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Weather—Fair, with rising temperature, today, followed by rain tonight and probably tomorrow morning; colder tomorrow; much colder tomorrow night.
Temperature yesterday—Highest, 41; lowest, 31.
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POST-SCRIPTS

By GEORGE ROTHWELL BROWN

"Our ultimate existence? What's our present?
Are questions answerless, and yet incessant."

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GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.

The news from Tampa's lost its zest,
We read nd shed a tear,
For Walter's name among the rest
Is not recorded here.

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Well, the season is opening a little earlier than usual—Washington lady names golf as the corespondent.

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It is understood that Maj. Hesse was caught by a neighborhood snooper in the very act of sipping a bottle of ginger pop.

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Congressman from upper New York State flies home and back to town again in time to vote for adjournment. Modern science has given an entirely new meaning to that old sweet song, "Put Me Off at Buffalo."

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The General Electric Company seems to take an extraordinary amount of credit for novelty in claiming that its new cook is a vacuum.

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"And 'tis a kind of good deed to say well:
And yet words are no deeds."

Mussolini replies to Vienna much in the manner of Henry VIII throwing the shadow of fear into Wolsey. Words are no deeds, and Caesar Augustus will waste no more of them.

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Henry Ford expects to put his flivver plane into volume production and sell it at the price of a new car, but just when does he promise delivery?

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Chairman Haugen contemplates several changes in the farm relief bill, but we doubt that with all his tinkering he can make it a bit more unacceptable.

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Henry Ford, declaring for Hoover, says he is a Republican because he was born one, but the fact seems to have temporarily slipped his mind when he was running for the Senate against Truman H. Newberry as a Democrat in 1918.

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It must be admitted that Jim Reed has thoroughly plowed the ground for Senator Walsh to plant a crop.

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For the first time in our history two members of the Catholic Church are rivals for the presidential nomination of a major party, and Houston may witness for the first time the spectacle of a national convention deadlocked between them and neither able to bear away the prize; but, on the other hand, the gentlemen using the Walsh sentiment to stab Al Smith may find they have started something they can't stop.

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It is understood that Old Cap Collier hasn't yet ferreted out the mystery of Tom Heflin's fiddle.

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Senator Curtis says that never before has he known the Senate to make such rapid progress with the legislative program. Take flood control, f'r instance.

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But for D'Annunzio the national security won by Diaz for Italy on her northern frontier might never have been maintained. Another romantic figure of the World War, of whom it may be said that his pen is mightier than the sword, and his sword mightier than the pen, lies critically ill.

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The A. P. tells a tale of hardship and peril in the frozen North for which it might have obtained a fat check from a red-blooded he-man magazine, only in a magazine it would have appeared too wild for good fiction. Draw up to the fire and read this one.

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The German biographer of Bismarck and Napoleon seems to feel that he has gradually worked up to Lincoln.

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The Lone Eagle flies into town as quietly as a wren.

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In 1918 Henry and Hoover were the same kind of natural-born Republicans.

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Back in the days of Bob Taylor, of Tennessee, there'd have been some sense in sending a fiddle to a Senator but where that Boston man made his great mistake was in not sending Tom Heflin a mouth-organ.

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Georgia Republicans vote to draft Coolidge and if they can't get him to take Hoover, or what have you?

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In speaking of Georgia Republican delegates we always want to know whether you mean on the hoof or on the roll call.

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Ruth and Judd, and Hickman and the New Jersey "torch slayer" obtain a comparative respectability, as the father of two little murdered children confesses to the dirtiest crime of the decade. Even the "Babes in the Wood" had only a wicked uncle.

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Ambitious janitor shoots the works.

MUSSOLINI WARNING TO AUSTRIA VOICED ON TYROL QUESTION

Interference in Control of Adige Region Held Intolerable.

PLAN FOR SOLUTION BY LEAGUE RIDICULED

'Geneva, What a Hope,' Duce Says; Address Is Cheered by Rome Deputies.

Rome, March 3 (A.P.).—Premier Mussolini today made a vigorous defense of the Fascist regime's policy in the Italian Tyrol and clearly restated the Italian position that administration of the district is a matter of internal policy interference in which by foreign governments would be intolerable.

Making a long-waited reply to Chancellor Seipel, of Austria, the premier defended the Fascist government's patience and forbearance in the administration of the upper Adige region, in which there is a strong German-speaking minority, and issued a warning that the fifteen German language newspapers published there would be summarily suppressed in case of a revival of "intolerable interference" from Austria or anywhere else outside of Italy's confines.

"A state respecting itself can not tolerate foreign interference," said the Italian premier. "Mr. Fuller, the Governor of Massachusetts, has supplied us with a striking example on that subject."

Means Sacco-Vanzetti Case.

(This reference was to the Sacco-Vanzetti case and referred to Gov Fuller's refusal to keep Sacco and Vanzetti—both Italians—from execution despite widespread movements in their behalf in foreign countries.)

After declaring that the German language newspapers in the province of Bolzano would be suppressed unless the anti-Italian campaign beyond the Brenner Pass was discontinued, Mussolini added:

"It is time to declare that insolent speeches, odious insinuations and vulgar insults have only one result—to accelerate the turning of the fascists vise and open an abyss between two neighboring peoples. As much as it is in our power we wish to be friends of the German world of which we recognize the good qualities and appreciate the contribution brought to human civilization but on one condition, that our safety, namely the safety of 42,000,000 Italians, should not be put even vaguely in question.

After questioning whether it was worth while to reply to the Austrian accusations, Mussolini said that de-

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GIRL DIES IN OFFICE OF PHYSIO-THERAPIST

Eleanor Lehman, 23, Was Being Treated by Dr. Louis Hoffman for Headache.

While undergoing treatment in the office of Dr. Louis Hoffman, physiotherapist, in the Victor Building last night, Miss Eleanor Lehman, 23 years old, of 30 K street northwest, died.

Miss Lehman had been complaining of a severe headache for several days and when she left the office at 914 G street where she was employed yesterday afternoon, she went to the office of Dr. Hoffman, accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Dottie King, of 832 D street southeast.

Dr. Hoffman, after being told of the young woman's complaint, began to treat her. After a few moments she moaned and fainted. Dr. Hoffman gave her ammonia, but the patient failed to revive.

When the young woman failed to respond to treatment, the physiotherapist called Dr. A. W. Valentine of 610 North Carolina avenue southeast. Dr. Valentine, the girl's family physician, upon his arrival, pronounced her dead.

Coroner J. Ramsay Nevitt was notified, and he ordered the police to conduct a thorough investigation of the death. He said that he would hold an autopsy today. Miss Lehman, who was a typist, was the daughter of George M. Lehman.

Battleship Collides With British Collier

Veletta, Malta, March 3 (A.P.).—The collier Corinthic, leaving the harbor here today collided with the stern of the British battleship Queen Elizabeth Both ships were damaged. Admiral Keyes was ashore at the time.

The Queen Elizabeth headed the allied fleet which demolished the Turkish forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles in 1915 and took part in extensive bombardment operations at the Gallipoli Peninsula. She was hit by Turkish shells and was damaged somewhat. Her eight 15-inch guns were reported to be the most accurate ever possessed by the British navy.

The Queen Elizabeth was the vessel aboard which the surrender of the German fleet was arranged at a conference between German and British representatives in 1918.

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FEDERATION OPPOSES $10,000,000 PARK LOAN

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The Federation of Citizens Associations last night disapproved the proposal that the District borrow $10,000,000 from the Federal Government with which to purchase park sites. It also disapproved the Lankford Sunday closing bill and took a compromise action that amounted to defeat of a motion to approve the rider on the District appropriation bill excluding nonresident children from attendance at District public schools.

Harry N. Stull, chairman of the committee on education, asked suspension of the rules to consider his motion that the House rider to bar Maryland and Virginia children from local schools be approved by the federation and that the Senate be asked to support it.

Debate on the motion lasted for more than an hour. Among the delegates who opposed the motion were

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Kvale's Son Held As Drunken Driver

Paul John Kvale, 32 years old, son of Representative O. J. Kvale, of Minnesota, was arrested late last night by Detective A. T. Fihelly, of the Ninth Precinct, and charged with driving an automobile while drunk. The young man was released in the custody of his father for his appearance in Police Court tomorrow morning.

The arrest was made in front of the Kvale home at 214 Massachusetts avenue northeast. Representative Kvale succeeded Andrew J. Volstead in the Minnesota delegation, being elected on a platform which declared he was "drier" than the author of the prohibition law.

M'ADOO TO THROW ALL HIS STRENGTH TO SIDE OF WALSH

Candidacy of Senator Is Seen as a Move to Block Smith.

TRI-CORNERED RACE NOW TAKEN TO WEST

Attitude of South Is Held in Doubt Through Advent of Dry Catholic.

BY CARLISLE BARGERON.

Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, is William G McAdoo's definite offer to the Woodrow Wilson and dry Democrats. The Montana senator, diligent and highly effective worker for the party cause ever since the first spout of Teapot Dome, announced yesterday that he had assented to the filing of his name in the presidential primaries of South Dakota, Wisconsin and California.

And Mr. McAdoo indorsed him, asserting that he would seek to throw his friends to the support of the Montanan.

This situation developed quickly following reports that Senator Walsh's name had been entered in California by McAdoo forces. Senator James A Reed, of Missouri, now in the State on a campaign tour, permitted the filing of his candidacy, and friends of Gov. Smith of New York, are expected to follow suit.

Statement by Walsh.

The Montana senator issued this formal statement?

"The purposed mention in the press to enter me as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President in the States of Wisconsin, South Dakota and California, has in no sense been inspired by me, though in each case I have assented to the plans of friends contemplating such action.

"It may be that the fact that I was born in the first named State and lived in the second for six years, and that I voted consistently for Mr. McAdoo throughout the long contest at San Francisco in 1920 and that in New York in 1924 may account, in some measure for the movement in these States.

"I have no campaign plans and no thought of quitting my duties here and to promote my candidacy, if such it may be called.

"If my services to the party have been such as to entitle me to consideration in connection with the Presidency, I dare say the rank and file are not ignorant of the fact."

Correct, Says McAdoo.

Mr. McAdoo followed with comment on the report that the senator was the California choice of McAdoo men.

"The report is correct," he said. "The progressive Democracy of California will give Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, enthusiastic support. I am confident that Senator Walsh will have the California delegation."

Thus it develops that Mr. McAdoo who was downed by the New York Governor four years ago, has not confined his activities the last several weeks to

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Electrocution of Cat Short Circuits Wires

Electrocution of a stray black cat yesterday morning, left residents of Anacostia and Congress Heights without electrical power for fifteen minutes following a short circuit.

The cat is said to have climbed a telegraph pole in front of 13 Bridge street southeast, and in strolling along a 13,000-volt high-tension feed line of the Potomac Electric Power Co. came in contact with the current and was burned to death. The feed line runs parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks in Anacostia.

Police Cars to Carry Doctors and Cameras

Budapest, March 3 (A.P.).—It will take a mystery of the deepest and darkest dye to baffle the new automobile section of the Hungarian police. Their motorized section organized this week embraces traveling laboratories completely equipped with movie cameras, a dark room, chemical apparatus, high-powered search lights, gas masks, and every other known modern police device.

The cars are spacious and swift. In them the first-rate crime experts, doctors as well as detectives, will dash to the scene of an outrage the moment it is reported. They will aim to arrive before the criminal's traces have been obliterated or the scene disturbed by inquisitive outsiders.

Long ladders are carried, so that photographers can reach upper story windows, search for finger prints, and take flash-light photographs of the setting of a crime, from opposite ends of a room before entering it.

FOUR AMERICANS SLAIN BY A POSSE IN MEXICO

Former United States Soldiers Were Fleeing Jail; Three Termed Deserters.

GUARD REPORTED KILLED

Tia Juana, Mexico., March 3 (A.P.).—Four Americans, three of them deserters from the United States Army and the fourth a discharged soldier, were shot and killed on a highway near here today after they had killed a watchman in making their escape from the Ensenada jail.

Reports received here by police were that the four Americans were members of a bandit gang who were arrested a few weeks ago after they had committed two highway holdups south of Ensenada. Their names are Russell E Tanner, 28, Lake Side, Calif.; L. M. Thompson, 23, Canada; Elton E. Morehouse, 25, Salinas, Calif., and Ebenezer R. Kirby, 22, New York City. When they were arrested they had with them a girl, Evelyn Costello, believed to be a resident of San Francisco, who was deported to the United States by the Mexican authorities.

Accounts of the shooting as given by the police authorities said that the four Americans escaped from the Ensenada jail this morning by sawing through the bars of their cell. Immediately after their escape they attacked and killed a night watchman and took his guns. A posse of officers from Ensenada followed them and found them on the Tia Juana-Ensenada highway, where a pitched battle took place.

In the fight the four Americans were killed and a Mexican police officer was wounded.

The Americans were held in the jail at Ensenada to await deportation to the Tres Marias Islands, the Mexican penal colony, to which they had been sentenced to serve five years after their conviction of the banditry charges. At the time of their arrest it was feared that they would be shot summarily, as this is the penalty for highway robbery below the border.

GEM ROBBERY CHIEF TAKEN IN RUM RAID

New York Police Hope to Find Girl's Slayer and Crush Liquor Gang.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—The directing chief of the sensational Schoellkopf jewel robbery of four years ago fell back into the hands of authorities today in two spectacular raid through which officials hope to wreck a highly organized gang of bootleggers and find a clew to the murder of a cabaret waitress.

Matthew Biddulph, who served a term in Sing Sing as ringleader of the gang that obtained $500,000 in jewels from the former Irene Schoellkopf on New Year's Eve, 1923, was one of eighteen prisoners taken in raids on a garage near the Hudson River and an office just off Fifth avenue. Liquor valued at $60,000 was seized in the garage.

Police said those arrested would be questioned in connection with the killing of Elsie Regan, night club employe whose body was found in a snowdrift in East Fifty-sixth street two years ago.

Mrs. Coolidge Finds Her Mother Improved

Northampton, Mass., March 3 (A.P.). Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, who came from Washington to her home city this week to visit her mother, Mrs. Lemira C. Goodhue, who is ill at the Dickinson Hospital here, today passed more than four hours at her mother's bedside. Mrs. Goodhue's condition was said by her physicians to have shown improvement.

With Mrs. R. B. Hills, of Northampton, one of her close friends here, Mrs. Coolidge went to the hospital twice today. Tonight she dined at Mrs. Hills' home.

'Chute Fails to Open; Stunt Man Is Killed

Greenwood, Miss., March 3 (A.P.).—"Spider" Burns, 27, of St. Louis, aerial "stunt" performer, was killed today when his parachute failed to open after he had leaped from an airplane at a height of 1,400 feet.

"CAROLINA FLORIDA SPECIAL"—Leaves 10:45 p. m. daily—Pinehurst, Southern Pines, Camden, next morning.—SEABOARD—714 14th St. N.W. Tel. Main 637.—Adv.

HIRAM REED GUILTY IN SCHOOL BLASTING, ILLINOIS JURY FINDS

Youth Accepts Verdict Without Any Show of Emotion.

SWEETHEART, HURT, GAZES AT THE FLOOR

Prisoner Tried to Kill Teacher to Avoid Marriage, It Was Charged.

Ottawa, Ill., March 3 (A.P.).—Hiram Reed, of Mossville, Ill., was found guilty by a jury tonight of bombing the Pleasant Valley schoolhouse, in which his sweetheart teacher, Miss Iola Bradford, was seriously injured after less than an hour's deliberation.

Reed accepted the verdict without signs of emotion. Miss Bradford merely gazed at the floor as the verdict was read.

Defense Attorney H. L. Richoloson immediately filed a motion for a new trial.

Conviction on the charge carries a sentence of 1 to 20 years. The jury made no recommendation to the court.

Sentencing Is Delayed.

March 17 was set for argument for a new trial. Pending decision on the new trial, sentence will not be pronounced. Reed is at liberty now on $20,000 bonds.

Hiram said he had nothing to say about the verdict, but the corners of his mouth twitched as he replied: "I still maintain I am innocent."

Reed, who made three confessions, told of placing dynamite in the stove to escape marrying the teacher who is about to become a mother. He repudiated his confessions from the witness stand, and denied his guilt, declaring his love for her and saying he was ready to marry her.

The dynamiting of the schoolhouse occurred on the morning of last December 1, the explosion almost killing the school teacher and disfiguring her probably for life. The blast went off just as she lit the fire in the school stove. By chance a number of pupils who arrived early that day escaped injury.

Coal Gas Blamed for Blast.

After questioning the teacher and hearing the story of her romance with Reed, the sheriff ordered the farmer youth taken into custody. He later confessed and said he had planned the dynamiting to rid himself of the teacher whom he had promised to marry when she told him she was to become the mother of his child. He led the authorities to the schoolhouse, told how he had gained entrance by picking the lock and described how he placed dynamite in the stove so it would explode when his sweetheart started the fire.

He later repudiated the confession and claimed it had been obtained by promises of immunity, and his defense was based on the contention that coal gas gathering in the stove overnight caused the explosion.

During the trial, Reed and the girl rarely looked at each other even while telling their stories of their former romance. Large crowds were attracted to the courtroom throughout the hearing.

5 Egyptian Students Killed Fighting Police

Cairo, Egypt March 3 (A.P. .—Police and students clashed today when the latter attempted a demonstration in protest against the proposed treaty with Great Britain. Five students were killed.

The widow of Zaghoul Pasha, trying to address the students from a balcony in an effort to calm them, was shouted down by cries of:

"Down with the treaty; down with the government."

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CLASH ON POLICE





Upper: Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police. Lower: Representative T. L. Blanton, of Texas.

LINDBERGH IN CAPITAL ON MYSTERIOUS MISSION

Flier Vanishes After Landing at Bolling Field With Four Passengers.

HIDES AT RACKET CLUB

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh flew to Washington yesterday, parked his plane in a hangar at Bolling Field, entered an Army automobile with his flight companions, and vanished as mysteriously as he had arrived.

At an early hour last night no trace had been found of his whereabouts Government authorities apparently were as mystified at his disappearance as the newspaper reporters who feverishly sought him.

Only after a thorough canvass of Washington hotels and the homes of his friends, was it learned last night that America's premier birdman had quietly taken quarters at the Racquet Club. Here he remained through the evening, his secret secure in the confidence of a few close associates, while the search continued far into the night.

Queried as to his whereabouts, Assistant Secretary of the Navy in charge of aviation, Edward P. Warner, declared he had been notified of his arrival, but knew nothing further of his trip to Washington. The officer of the day on duty at Bolling Field said he had vainly tried to fine the ace's Washington destination for the Secretary of War.

Col. Lindburgh will remain in Washington "a day or two," according to William P. MacCracken, Assistant Secretary of Commerce in charge of aviation. MacCracken admitted having held conversation with Lindbergh, but denied that he knew wheer he was stopping, or the purpose of his visit here.

"I offered to put a car at his disposal," MacCracken said, "but he declined my offer. He said he was going to rest up and wouldn't need it. He didn't say

BLANTON CHARGES POLICE HEAD DRANK IN 'REGULAR SALOON'

Delicatessen Is Cited as Liquor Resort Which Major Frequented.

INQUIRY WELCOMED BY SUPERINTENDENT

Three Arrested After Hearing at Which "Hijacking" Case Is Discussed.

Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police, has been drinking in a "regular saloon" here, Representative Thomas L. Blanton (Democrat), of Texas told the House yesterday.

In a speech loaded with startling statements, Blanton hurled the drinking charge at Hesse, hinted at graft in the enforcement of prohibition here, listed four alleged bootleg places that, he said, were running wide open, and accused United States Attorney Peyton Gordon of offering immunity to three bootleggers if they would expose a hi-jacking policeman.

Opening up on Hesse, the fiery Texan said:

"There has been brought to our attention by some of the substantial leading citizens of this District, that out there on the northeast corner of East Capitol street and Fifth street, at what is know as Simms Delicatessen, there is a regular saloon; and that your superintendent of police has been there at night many times to drink.

'Open Saloons" Are Listed.

"That was testified to before us under oath by substantial citizens. And that the man Simms in his drunken revelry from time to time has boasted that not a policeman will arrest him because he drinks with the superintendent of police."

Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty, who has jurisdiction over the Police Department, said last night that there would be a conference tomorrow at the District Building, at which it would be decided what was to be done about Blanton's charges against Hesse. Dougherty said that he had asked Blanton to supply him with all the affidavits that had been filed with the Gibson subcommittee regarding Maj. Hesse and alleged police protection of rum runners.

The "open saloons" listed by Blanton were all in the Third Precinct. One of them, he said, was at 2035 K street northwest, directly across from the police station. The others, he said, were at 1004 Twentieth street northwest, 2500 G street northwest and Twenty-seventh and K streets northwest.

Apprised of the charges made against him by Blanton, Maj. Hesse issued a statement saying he welcomed an investigation of his acts and utterances.

Prosecutors Are Questioned.

Blanton's criticism of Maj. Peyton Gordon was based on testimony given to the Gibson subcommittee earlier in the day by two members of Gordon's staff—Assistant United States Attorneys William H. Collins and Joseph C Connelly.

The Texan told the House that one of these men admitted that he had offered immunity to three bootleggers if they would help him to catch a policeman who hijacked their liquor truck.

"He was willing," Blanton declared, "and he said that the District attorney, the Hon Peyton Gordon, whose name is now up before another body for confirmation as a judge on the bench, offered immunity to these bootleggers if they would help him catch this policeman and they refused. And that is the only reason now that they have not immunity."

Bootleg Conference Cited.

Blanton's speech in the House topped off a day in which sensation followed sensation in his new liquor scandal. After Gordon's two assistants appeared before the Gibson subcommittee, a professional bondsman, Joseph P McGee, was called.

McGee, who said he and all other bondsmen acted as "angels" to bootleggers, admitted that three Jewish bootleggers had held a conference in his office with Policeman Edward M. Taylor, the purpose of which was to arrange for the return of $3,000 worth of liquor which the policeman had been accused of stealing from their truck.

An hour after the committee adjourned three men were arrested on a charge of conspiring to violate the national prohibition law. They were George Jacobson, Jack Rubin and Louis Butler. All three entered pleas of not guilty and were released in $5,000 bail each for a hearing before United States Commissioner Turnage the morning of March 13.

Policeman's Case Delayed.

Motorcycle Policeman Taylor, who was accused of hijacking a truck and stealing liquor owned by the three men, was scheduled to appear before the police trial board yesterday. However, the case was postponed a week in order to allow police officials to complete the case against him.

It was learned yesterday that the liquor involved in the case has not been found by the police investigators.

The events of yesterday and Blanton's speech grew out of an expose

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Lured Sons to End Lives In Canal, Father Admits

Coaxed Boys, 9 and 8, to Tie Selves With Wire and Walk Plank; Too Many Mouths to Feed, He Says, Blaming Woman.

Special to The Washington Post.

Chicago, March 3.—George Chisholm, 32, Indiana Harbor, Canadian veteran of the World War, this afternoon confessed the murder of his boys, George, jr., 9, and Edgar, 8, whose bodies had been taken, eight days apart, from the ship canal less than two blocks from their home in the town just across the Indiana line.

Chisholm broke down within a few minutes after Chief of Police James Regan, of Indiana Harbor, had taken him to the police station. He said he contrived the death of the boys because Mrs. Helen Lawrence, his housekeeper, nagged him continually because there were too many mouths in the house to feed. Chisholm and Mrs. Lawrence came to Indiana Harbor from Montreal.

"It was the night of February 6," Chisholm stated, and then began to weep and shudder violently. "I came home about 6:30 in the evening. I had made up my mind for her sake to get rid of the two boys and at about 6:30 I told them to put their little chincilla overcoats on and come with me.

"The canal is only a block and a half from the house and down there they were building a new wharf for the Great Lakes Dredge and Dock Co. I told the boys to come with me and led them down to the canal and up the bank.

"When I got to the pier I asked them if they wanted to see their granny in England. You see, chief, they didn't know their grandmother was dead and they were always talking about her. They both nodded and smiled and said they did, and I told them if they would do what I told them to they would see her.

"I told them to wrap some wires around their waists and fasten them

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New Radio Tube Can Cook And Heat Blood of the Sick

Sausages and Eggs are Fried 15 Feet from Wire on High Frequency Vacuum Invention—Rats Show Great Animation, Then Die.

Special to The Washington Post.

Schenectady, N. Y., March 3.—Engineers in the General Electric laboratories have devised a high-frequency vacuum tube that performs such feats as cooking by radio and raising blood temperature in humans.

As yet, Dr. W. R. Whitney, laboratory director, said today no uses have been found for the tube. It is considered so dangerous that persons working on it remain exposed no longer than fifteen minutes. Rats brought near it show great animation for a short time and then die.

Engineers demonstrated certain of the tube's effects today. It will light an incandescent bulb, fresh from the carton, without wire connection. A cold copper bar quickly heats so that it burns the hand. To cook by radio a wire was suspended over a table at a distance of 15 feet from the tube's radiating aerial.

When sausages and eggs were suspended from the wire in glass tubes they speedily fried. Water was boiled by heat transmitted through space.

Although the experimenters have not studied the tube's uses carefully, Dr Whitney hopes it may be used artificially to heat the blood of the sick. Fevers are being induced in several ailments now, notably paresis.

The tube, 5 inches in diameter and 2 feet long, is surrounded with wire, condensers and meters in a wooden cage. It operates as a self-excited oscillator on a wave length of 6 meters and may radiate 10 to 15 kilowatts of high-frequency power. That is about 50 times as much power as any previous short wave tube.

L. A. Hawkins, an engineer, pointed out that no new principle is involved, but that this tube for the first time makes possible high power on short wave lengths.

CITIZENS DEMAND WESTERN MARKET BE NOT ABOLISHED

Speakers at Old-Fashioned Outdoor Mass Meeting Point Out Usefulness.

LAST YEAR'S BUSINESS TOTALED OVER 400,000

Repairs Could Be Made for Only 50,000, Representative Hamner Says.

With a flag-draped soap box as a speakers' rostrum, and the militant blare of a band, several hundred citizens of West End Washington yesterday morning held an old-fashioned outdoor mass meeting in front of the Western Market, Twenty-first and K streets northwest, to protest the discontinuance of the market after June 30.

Despite the fact that the District Commissioners have consented to request a supplemental appropriation for the continuance of the market, the meeting adopted a resolution by acclamation protesting against the "intention of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to deprive us of our long accustomed and indispensable convenience."

Representative William C. Hammer, of North Carolina, a member of the House District committee, emphasized that Western Market will be indispensable to Wshington after next January when the Center Market will be abolished, and advised the citizens of the West End section to carry their fight to Congress.

Year's Business $400,000.

With modern equipment, such as could be installed with the $50,000 appropriation which the original budget estimates carried, the Western Market would practically double its aggregate business, which last year totaled over $460,000, Representative Hammer stated.

Other speakers at the meeting were Charles Edward Russell, writer and lecturer, of 2011 I street; Maj. Robert L. Longstreet, Willis B. Burdett, Rockville postmaster, who spoke in behalf of the farmers of Maryland who served the market; Admiral William S. Rodgers, president of the Dupont Circle Citizens Association; William Hahn, president of William Hahn & Co.'s shoe stores, which were launched in 1873 at the same time as the Western Market; Frank Van Sant, president of the West End Citizens Association, and Grover W. Ayers, temporary chairman in charge of the movement to retain the market.

Ayers Reads Resolution.

Mr. Ayers read the resolution, which was acclaimed by the gathering, and which read in part as follows:

"With care we have considered the few reasons that have been evasively and reluctantly given for the destruction of this great accessory to the economics and the comforts of our lives. We find these reasons to be disingenuous and unfounded.

"We point to the fact that the market has not been a drain upon the taxpayers, but has been a source of revenue to the District of Columbia, and that, therefore, every consideration of good business as well as of public welfare demands that it be retained.

"We know that it is the earnest desire of virtually all the residents in this region that the market shall continue and we respectfully petition Congress to take steps to make the popular will effective."

It is planned to send a special committee of West End citizens and market men before the Senate appropriations committee to urge the necessary appropriations for the market, when the committee takes up the District appropriation bill this week.

Midnight Closing Enforced in Court

Judge Gus A. Schuldt, of Police Court, decided yesterday that it is unlawful for a pool parlor to remain open after midnight on Saturday night, and imposed a fine of $25 on Charles Olive, secretary of the Northeast Amusement Co., which operates such an establishment at 1119 H street northeast, on a charge of violating the licensing law of February 25, 1897.

It was contended by the defendant that this law had been repealed by subsequent legislation. Poolrooms and similar places are required to close a full 24 hours on Sundays.

MASS MEETING PROTESTS AGAINST CLOSING MARKET



Louis Johrden, Post Staff Photographer

Representative Hammer, of North Carolina, a member of the House District committee, addressing the mass meeting held under the auspices of the West End Citizens Association as a protest against the proposed closing of the Western Market.

Chain Stores Hurt Marts Trade, Roberts Declares

Says Small Stand Dealers Unable to Compete With Quantity Buyers, at Hearing Before House District Group.

Why was it proposed to abandon the Western Market at Twenty-first and K streets? Aparently, the dealers and the patrons of the market never have obtained a satisfactory answer to this question.

The whole story of the proposed closing of the market is told in the copy of the hearings on the District appropriation bill, held by the District subcommittee of the House appropriations committee.

G. M. Roberts, superintendent of weights and measures, told the subcommittee that the estimate for maintenance and repairs to markets here had been reduced from $9,000 to $6,000. The reduction, he said, had been made possible largely through a decision to close the Western Market.

This market, he said, was antiquated, dilapidated and lacking in modern sanitary equipment. To convert it into a modern establishment, he said, would cost about $100,000. He then told how business had fallen off at the market.

"When that market was built in 1873," he said, "the section of the city surrounding it was a section of very high buying power. The population has changed. Many people of high buying power have moved farther out.

"Business is dull in the market. The equipment does not measure up to modern sanitary requirements. The building is in a more or less general state of disintegration. The roof is of tin, is so old and has leaked so much and is in such poor condition that we can not patch it any more with tin. We have had to pour a kind of tar preparation on it to stop the holes. There is no refrigeration.

"The fact that a large percentage of the population of high buying power has gradually moved away from that section of the city made me feel that I was not justified in recommending a large expenditure for completely remodeling that market. Furthermore, I did not believe that I would ever be able to reach this committee with a request for the necessary appropriation."

Representative Holaday (Republican), Illinois, declared that he had discovered that he could buy food cheaper at "chain" stores than at Center Market. Roberts agreed with him that this was possible. Holaday then asked him why the public markets should be continued.

"I believe," said Roberts, "that the general tendency in regard to such inclosed neighborhood markets as Western Market and Eastern Market, in which the stands are rented to small dealers, is downward throughout the country. There are, of course, some exceptions. The chain stores and other corner stores which now handle almost every kind of food are taking the business away from them. I think that is true here.

"The chain stores are able to buy in very large quantities, and, of course, buy to better advantage than small dealers in these markets. For that reason they may sell their goods, I believe, a little cheaper."

'SASHWEIGHT' ROBBER JAILED FOR 19 YEARS

Melvin Frost Sentenced by Justice McCoy—Others Given Long Terms.

Melvin Frost, colored, "sash-weight" robber, was sentenced yesterday by Chief Justice McCoy in Criminal Court to serve a total of nineteen years in prison on a charge of assault with intent to kill. The indictment was in three counts and a sentence of six years and four months was imposed on each count.

The assault was made on George L. Cartner, a collector for a furniture concern, on December 10, 1927, when Cartner entered Connors court northwest to collect a bill. He was struck over the head with the sash weight and dragged into the rear alley and again struck. Frost, the police say, got $125 from Cartner.

George Kline, alias Alexander D. Myers, who is alleged to have pretended deafness, was sentenced to serve fifteen years on charges of grand larceny and forgery. He is alleged to have obtained cash and some jewelry on worthless checks from a Connecticut avenue jeweler. He has been in prison before on several occasions.

William T. Harris, colored, was sentenced to serve 7½ years on a charge of housebreaking and larceny. He was accused of breaking into the Bell School on January 28 and stealing various articles. He has also served sentences for similar offenses.

Fraternity Will Meet.

The Washington Chapter of Phi Upsilon Omicron will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Florence Falgatter, 3525 Davenport street northwest, at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

JANITOR SHOOTS WIFE, MAN, ANOTHER WOMAN

B. M. King Uses His Pistol During Row in Apartment House Quarters.

TWO SENT TO HOSPITAL

Benjamin McKinley King, colored, 32 years old, janitor of the Clydesdale Apartments, 2601 Adams Mill road, yesterday afternoon shot and slightly injured his wife, Ida King, 32 years old and another colored woman and man in his quarters in the apartment house.

The shooting followed an altercation between King, his wife, and Blanche Mayfield, 31 years old, of 76 New York avenue northwest, and Lawrence Kanzer, 34 years old, of 1731 T street.

Kanzer, who was shot in the left leg and the Mayfield woman, who was shot in the head, were taken to the hospital in the Emergency Hospital ambulance, where they were treated by Dr. G. H. Smith, who said their condition was not serious.

Ida King was shot in the left arm but refused hospital treatment. Policemen Murphy and Mansfield arrested King in his apartment and took him to Tenth Precinct station, where three charges of assault with a dangerous weapon were placed against him.

New Trial Denied In Slander Action

Fred Pastor, 625 Keefer place northwest, who lost a $50,000 slander and false arrest suit against the Riggs National Bank, was denied a new trial yesterday by Justice Stafford in Circuit Court. Attorneys Howard & Bischoff counsel for the plaintiff, noted an appeal.

In this case the plaintiff charged that on February 3, 1926, he had been insulted by one of the officials of the bank and later unjustly arrested in connection with an attempted transaction involving a check for a small amount of money. Attorneys Frank J. Hogan and William H. Donovan appeared for the bank.

Man Cleared in Wife's Death.

Curtis Johnson, colored, indicted on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the shooting of his wife, Ismay Johnson, on September 9, 1927, in the 1200 block on Twenty-fifth street northwest, was acquitted yesterday in Criminal Court on his plea of self-defense.

Johnson, who was a soldier, stationed at Fort Myer, became involved in an argument with the woman and, according to his testimony, she attacked him with a butcher knife. Attorney John H. Wilson appeared for the accused.

CHANGE IN MERGER LAWS TO BE URGED BY UTILITIES BOARD

Plan Seeks to Cover All Possible Illegalities and Emergencies Unification Occasions.

PROPOSED CAPITAL CITED AS UNLAWFUL

Commission Not to Subpena North American Officials on Holdings Here.

The Public Utilities Commission will not limit itself in considering the pending street car merger agreement to approval of only those things that the companies can do under existing law but will hold the merger to be a large enough issue to transcend present laws and where the plan appears at present to be illegal will recommend to Congress that laws be changed to permit the unification on such terms as are finally agreed to.

This was indicated yesterday at the conclusion of a two-hour conference of the commission, Corporation Counsel W. W. Bride, its general counsel; Earl V. Fisher, its secretary, and Ralph B. Fleharty, people's counsel. No definite decision on legal points were announced, but the present disposition of the commission on certain points that have been raised was revealed.

One of the points at which William McK. Clayton, chairman of the committee on public utilities of the Federation of Citizens Associations, has charged in the public hearings that the merger is in conflict with present statutes is capitalization.

Revealed by Hanna.

Cross-examining John H. Hanna, president of the Capital Traction Co., Friday, Clayton elicited the statement that the present combined stock issue of the two railroad companies is 270,000 shares, worth, at par, $27,000,000, whereas it is proposed that the merged transit company shall issue at once 337,420 shares, par value, $33,742,000, an increase in stock capitalization of $6,742,000.

Clayton cited the law that forbids companies when merging issuing more stock than the combined issues of the companies before consolidation and drew from Hanna an admission that the existing law forbids such increase. Hanna hastened to add that the whole merger plan would have to be submitted to Congress anyway and that Congress could authorize such an increase of stock.

"Then you want this law repealed?" asked Clayton.

"Not necessarily," said Hanna. "The general law might not have to be repealed but the legislation permitting this merger would permit us to do it."

Enunciated by Brand.

The members of the commission after their conference yesterday did not state that they would support this view as to Clayton's claim of "overcapitalization," but Col. Harrison Brand, jr., did enunciate the identical principle on another point of law raised the first day of the hearing by Clayton.

On that day Clayton moved that the commission exclude from the merger hearings all consideration of the purchase by the merged company of the Washington Rapid Transit Co. One of his arguments in support of separate consideration of the merger and the bus company purchase was that the existing law did not permit one public utility company to buy the capital stock of another. Another argument was that the act of Congress inviting the present merger effort specified merger of street car companies and did not authorize merger therewith of bus companies.

"Our position is," said Brand, "that even if these points of law are valid we will be able, if we so decide, to suggest any merger provisions we regard as illegal to Congress and if some of them are in contravention of existing statutes Congress may either specifically authorize them or repeal any laws that stand in the way."

Clayton Permitted to Argue.

Therefore the commission has overruled Clayton on the separation of the bus company purchase from the merger proceeding, but will permit him to make his argument on the law and its specific application to the pending matters.

The commission did make one decision yesterday. It was that it would not subpena any officer of the North American Co. to testify concerning the stock holdings of that corporation in Washington street car companies, unless Clayton, who asked that it be done, establishes to the satisfaction of the commission that such testimony would be material or attendance of such witness is "reasonably necessary."

Brand said that the commission may summon witnesses on its own motion but its appropriation is modified by a clause which prevents its spending money to secure attendance of witnesses on the initiative of any one else unless the testimony would be material and the attendance reasonably necessary.

Point Is Still Troublesome.

The commission got nowhere in its consideration of the most troublesome point that has been raised, namely, the attempt by the lawyers of the street car companies to prevent attack by the federation or people's counsel on adoption of the court decision in the Capital Traction case as the basis of the proposed agreed valuation of $50,000,000 for rate making purposes.

John W. Childress, chairman of the commission, has stated his position publicly in the hearings. He forbade the federation representatives from going behind the court decision in their cross-examination, but his ruling is now undergoing reconsideration. Brand says that he has not yet satisfied himself whether or not the cross-examination should be permitted. Col. William B. Ladue, Engineer Commissioner, is said also to be undecided on this point.

The question of valuation presents itself in more than one form, notwithstanding the contention of lawyers for the companies that the merger hearing is in no sense a valuation hearing. In the first place the commission will have to decide whether or not it is going to enter into an agreement with the companies that a stated sum shall be adopted as the fixed value of the present properties of the companies for rate base. If it decides to enter into such an agreement, the commission then will have, utility experts say, to decide whether the proposed $50,000,000 is the right sum and, if not, whether it is too high or too low.

Must Consider All Elements.

Spokesmen for the federation say that the commission can not decide the latter point without taking into account all elements of value, whether or not heretofore disposed of by the courts for purposes of past valuations. Lawyers for the companies contend that the commission must enter into the agreement, if at all, on the condition that $62,500,000 is the present correct valuation of the transit properties for rate making, subject to possible disagreement as to value of Maryland properties and a few other items not affecting the total by more than $5,000,000, and that the decision must be, therefore, on whether the deduction of $12,500,0000 to bring agreed value down to $50,000,000 is sufficient reduction from true value.

Representatives of the companies have said to the commission, publicly in the hearings, that it is only necessary for them to establish that there is as much as $50,000,000 value in the properties. And they have indicated a determination that the decision in the Capital Traction case shall govern the computation.

If the commission should decide that the merger must proceed, if at all, without an agreed valuation, then after the consummation of the consolidation a formal valuation proceeding must be had to determine value as a rate base.

Hearings Resume Tomorrow.

The hearings will be resumed tomorrow. It is now questioned whether they will be concluded in time for the commission to pass on the agreement before the ratification meetings of stockholders. The shareholders of the Washington Railway & Electric Co. meet March 14 and those of the Capital Traction Co. the following day. So far but one witness, Hanna, has completed his testimony, requiring nearly three days.

There remain to be heard William P. Ham, president of the Washington Railway & Electric Co., who began his statement half an hour before the end of Friday's session; experts for Harley P. Wilson, sponsor of the merger plan; witnesses in opposition to the merger and for the commission.

After that there will be arguments by counsel, including William G. McAdoo, G. Thomas Dunlop, S. R. Bowen, Clayton, Fleharty and W. A. Roberts, vice chairman of Clayton's committee.

Family Takes Body Of Man Police Shot

The body of Guy Hogan, colored, who escaped from the Crownsville (Md.) Asylum ten days ago, and who was killed late Friday in a revolver battle with Montgomery County Policeman Harry Merson on the farm of Harry Hoskinson, 2 miles south of Rockville on the Great Falls road, was taken in charge yesterday by his relatives.

Hogan was found in a vacant cabin on Hoskinson's Farm, and when surrounded by Merson and County Officers Roy Bodmer and Robert Darby, rushed from the cabin toward Merson, shooting three times as he came. Merson threw himself upon the ground when Hogan raised his arm for his first shot. Apparently believing he had killed Merson, the man walked toward the supposed dead body, only to be met by a bullet from Merson's revolver. Justice of the Peace John Jones, acting coroner, viewed the body and pronounced the case one of justifiable homicide.

Girl Injured by Taxicab.

Miss Rose E. Jarvis, 17 years old, 4415 Kansas avenue northwest, was injured yesterday afternoon when knocked down in front of 2230 F street northwest by a taxi driven by John T. Rogers, 1608 Seventeenth street northwest. Miss Jarvis was treated at Emergency Hospital for bruises and shock.

MAN KILLED IN PLUNGE FROM THIRD-FLOOR ROOM

Walter E. Fisher, 76 Years Old, Veteran Riverman, Is Found Dead in Alley.

SUFFERED FROM ASTHMA

Plunging more than 40 feet from a third-story window of an apartment house at 1444 W street northwest, Walter E. Fisher, 76 years old, a veteran riverman, was instantly killed last night.

The sound of his body striking the alley beneath the windows of their apartment was heard by his sisters, Miss Harriet F. Fisher and Miss Martha C. Fisher, who were playing cards with friends in a room adjoining that from which the river captain's body fell.

Fisher, who made his home aboard a house boat, moored alongshore near Quantico, Va., arrived at his sister's home Friday morning, suffering from cardiac asthma, according to a physician who was summoned to attend him. The doctor stated his belief that his patient lost his balance while leaning from the window in an effort to inhale cool air to ease his suffering.

Their brother's body lying in the passage way was seen from the window by the two women who summoned other occupants of the building and went to the place he had fallen. Emergency Hospital ambulance was summoned but Fisher was pronounced dead upon the arrival of a physician, in charge.

Fisher was a man of small stature and those who viewed the bathroom window from which he made the fatal plunge, expressed a doubt whether it would be possible for a man of his size to lean far enough through it to become overbalanced and fall.

His sisters stated that Fisher had spent more than 50 years along the Potomac River, where he was known from Georgetown channel to Hampton Roads as Capt. Fisher. He formerly owned several fishing boats, but with advancing years, disposed of them to live quietly aboard his houseboat. His father, M. D. Fisher, was a Treasury Department official.

Man, 72, Injured by Auto.

John F. Rigner, colored, 72 years old, 6115 Fourteenth street northwest, was injured severely yesterday morning when struck by an automobile while he was working in the roadway at Observatory Circle northwest. He was treated at Emergency Hospital for possible internal injuries. Louis Pierce, 501 D street southeast, was driving the auto which struck the aged man, police state.

POLICE SQUAD NETS 22 MEN IN GAMBLING RAIDS

Four Charged With Setting Up Gaming Tables at Three Places Entered.

18 SUMMONED TO COURT

Trapping ten men in a room on the third floor of 907 D street northwest, police of the raiding squad yesterday afternoon arrested Julian C. Smith, of Alexandria, Va., on a charge of setting up a gaming table at an alleged handbook establishment on the second floor of the premises.

When the police, led by Sergt. O. J. Letterman, closed in on the establishment, an attempt was made by one man to escape through a third-floor window leading to the roof at the rear of the house. Nine of those arrested were released after being summoned to appear in Police Court Monday.

The raiders also battered their way into an alleged gaming establishment at 1914 Seventh street, where a sign proclaimed it to be the Terminal Social Club Inc. Here they seized dice and charged two men with setting up a gaming table. They were Lawrence G. Young, 59 years old, of 3027 Eleventh street northwest, and Roland Felton, 27 years old of 1815 Ninth street northwest, both colored.

Sergt. J. E. Bobo and Policeman Ray Aggleson, of the First Precinct, in the meantime organized a raiding party and arrested Thomas Edward Kelly, 24 years old, 1212 New York avenue, on charges of permitting gaming. He was released on $100 collateral while nine others found in the apartment were charged with disorderly conduct and released upon payment of $5 collateral each.

They gave their names as Leon Albert Coleman, 27 M street southwest; Franklin A. Smith, 1204 K street northwest; Francis B. Williams, 532 Ninth street northeast; Charles W. Weitman, 1413 Girard street northwest; Charles A. Hueter, 600 Twentieth street northwest; Ralph O. Diehl, 2505 Thirteenth street northwest; David M. Pettit, 1313 H street northeast; Thomas A. King, Highview Apartments, and Henry H. Gorsuch, 1209 Eighteenth street northeast.

Rotary Club Religious Service.

The annual religious service of the Washington Rotary Club will be held tonight at St. Alban's Church, Wisconsin and Massachusetts avenues northwest. The Rev. Charles Warner, "sky pilot" of the club, will speak.

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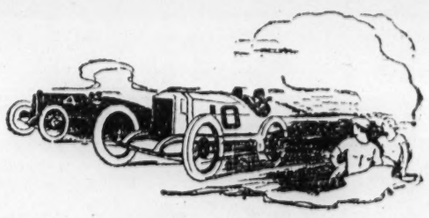
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FORD TO CONTINUE EFFORT TO PRODUCE AERO AT CAR PRICE

Faith in Flivver Plane Is Not Shaken by Fate of His Pilot, Brooks.

AUTO MAKER PLANNING TRANSOCEAN MACHINE

Ending Vacation in Florida, He Says He Will Fly to Europe, but Not Yet.

Fort Myers, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—Henry Ford, his faith unshaken by the tragic fate of Harry Brooks, his chief pilot, will continue experiments with his flivver planes and when perfected and put into volume production, will sell them for about the same price as his automobiles.

Ford said this tonight in making his first public comment on the crash of Brooks' plane in which the young aviator lost his life at Melbourne Beach, Fla., a week ago. He said he could not estimate the time required before starting manufacture of the planes in the quantity necessary to market them at automobile prices.

At the end of two weeks' vacation, Ford, tanned by the Florida sun and feeling fit, discussed the future of airplane manufacture before his departure for Detroit.

In his first public comment on the Brooks accident, Ford spoke affectionately of the Detroit boy whose tinkering with airplanes won him a place in the Ford organization.

He praised the courage and ability of the young flier and expressed deep regret at the mishap. Mr. Ford said he believed the accident was due to the stoppage of one of the gasoline tanks on the plane, and lack of time of the pilot to switch the fuel supply to another tank.

Lesson From Experience.

"We have learned from Brooks' experiences," Mr. Ford said, "and will take advantage of them in carrying on the work of this brave and brilliant man."

Steps have already been taken, he said, to eliminate some of the troubles Brooks encountered in his attempted flight to Miami.

Mr. Ford said tests similar to the Detroit-Florida jaunt which ended fatally for Brooks, will be undertaken as soon as another plane of similar design is ready. He said "one of the airmen" of the Ford organization would be promoted to the position in which Brooks lost his life.

Ford engineers, the manufacturer announced, are at work on a Diesel engine to motor a huge passenger plane capable of transatlantic service. He said he intended to fly to Europe in one of the huge planes "some day," but did not "think it will be this year." He said the date of an airplane trip he proposed making to Brazil had not been determined.

"If I go to Brazil," he said, "it will be by airplane. I would never spend 20 days making the trip by boat."

Strong for Air Travel.

While Mr. Ford admitted his one experience in the air had been limited to a flight with Col. Charles Lindbergh last summer, he said he was "strong for air travel" and would "take a plane whenever necessary to get anywhere."

Then the manufacturer turned to automobiles. Manufacture of the new Ford car, he said, was proceeding at the rate of nearly 1,000 a day and he expected production to reach a maximum of 5,000 a day by midsummer.

Ford told his next door neighbor, Thomas A. Edison, goodby before departing for Detroit. Edison assured the automobile manufacturer he "looked 100 per cent better than when you arrived." Ford reiterated that he favored Herbert Hoover for President. Ford said he was a "Republican because I was born one."

He would not venture an opinion as to the result of the experiments of his crony, Edison, in an effort to find a practicable rubber plant in Florida, other than to say: "If anything can be done about it, Edison will do it."

Before leaving, Ford made a round of junk yards and other places seeking Edisoniana for his Dearborn museum. On the Ford private car was a quantity of old machinery once used in the Edison laboratory here. The equipment was brought here during Edison's experiments with incandescent lamps and the phonograph and subsequently was sold to various plants in Fort Myers. One of the historic pieces was rescued by Ford from a junk yard.

Judge Calls Slayer Of Daughter Splendid

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—A 30-year-old father sent to the penitentiary for from 1 to 14 years for the slaying of his 3-year-old daughter, was described by the judge who sentenced him today as a "splendid man."

William Goeschell pleaded guilty to manslaughter after two juries had found him guilty and he had been granted new trials. He cut the throat of the child and his wife after a quarrel with the latter. The wife recovered.

"The fact that his wife publicly announced she favors free love is enough to make any man see red," said Judge Frank Comerford. "I believe he is a splendid man."

Italy Cuts Discount Rate.

Rome, March 3 (A.P.).—The official newspapers publish today a decree of the minister of finance reducing the discount rate and the rate of anticipation of interest of the Bank of Italy from 7 to 6½ per cent, effective on Monday, March 5.

OLDEST WOMAN EVER IN AIRPLANE



Wide World.

Mrs. Catherine B. Fenton, 104 years old, with George Haldeman, transatlantic aviator, at St. Petersburg, Fla., after she had set a record of being the oldest woman to ride in an airplane. Bob Smalley, president of the St. Petersburg Aero Club, is at the right.

Gale, Tossing Los Angeles, Endangers Lives of Many

Five of Ground Crew Cling to Airship as It Is Swept Upward; One Falls; Others Pulled to Safety; Falling Cable Imperils Others.

Lakehurst, N. J., March 3 (A.P.).—After pacing through a 4,500-mile jaunt as gently as a pony, the Navy dirigible Los Angeles suddenly kicked up its heels like an Army mule today, and for more than seven hours balked all attempts to stable it in its home hangar.

During that fractious period lives were endangered when the ship's main steel cable snapped and five sailors narrowly escaped death when they were jerked aloft in a blinding snowstorm, clinging to an outer hand rail of the dirigible with their bodies suspended over space.

The Los Angeles left at 6:55 o'clock on the morning of February 26 for a nonstop flight to Panama, which was accomplished without any untoward incident except for slight difficulty at the take-off due to a cross-hangar wind.

It was sighted back at the Naval Air Station here, after an uneventful one-stop return flight, at 11:40 o'clock last night. Then the trouble began.

Because of a gusty 30-mile cross-hangar wind it was decided to moor the dirigible to the top of the giant mast on the air field. Mast and landing crews took their positions as the ship cruised about waiting for a propitious moment to turn her nose into the coupler on the masthead.

At 1 o'clock in the morning the main cable was dropped from the Los Angeles to the mast and was secured preparatory to hauling in for the coupling operation. Then the cable, of steel and more than half an inch thick, snapped under the strain and fell like a lash among the crowd below. By good fortune, no one was hit and the ship rose as water ballast was dumped, drenching the ground crew underneath.

This mishap made mooring to the mast impossible and the ship cruised off and disappeared among black clouds of a gathering storm as officers on board and on the field discussed the situation by wireless.

It was not until 3:55 a. m. that it was decided to attempt a landing on the surface of the field and the ground lines were dropped southwest of the hangar. In the meantime all sailors, marines and civilian employes had been routed from their beds and 225 men were on hand as ground crew.

The ship was pulled down to earth and the ground crew, pulling on long ropes and tugging on hand rails that run around the base of the cabin, began walking it toward the hangar. Half the distance of some 200 yards had been crossed when the storm, which had been threatening for hours, broke with a force that it was almost impossible to stand against.

The great dirigible careened under the sudden blast of wind and snow, tore loose from the hands of the ground crew, and shot upwards through the storm. It happened so quickly that five sailors who had been dragging on the handrail automatically tightened their grip instead of loosening it. As the ship rose one of them dropped at a height of 20 feet and the others swung in mid air, their dangling legs blowing in the wind.

As the Los Angeles disappeared in the driving snow they were still swinging like pathetic pendulums under the cabin and those on the ground feared that the cold wind might cause them to loosen their hold before they could be saved.

It was learned later that at an elevation of 200 feet sailors in the ship risked their own lives to lean far out the cabin windows and drag in their comrades. The man who let go at 20 feet suffered slight injury to one leg and was taken to the air station sick bay.

After this second mishap the Los Angeles cruised about until the storm had passed and then made a graceful and successful landing, being walked into the hangar at 7 o'clock, just six days after it left on its long cruise.

In an interview after the landing Lieut. Comdr. Charles E. Rosendahl described the flight as a splendid training cruise and complimented both officers and men on the way they acted both in emergency and routine.

CARRIED 12 MILES ON ICE, MAN SAVED

Heroism of Friends Prevents Death of Fisherman in Lake Huron.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 3 (A.P.).—Carried on a cake of ice a dozen miles into Lake Huron Peter Paquin, a fisherman, was alive today, due to the heroism of his friends.

Paquin and Jack Vizenau were fishing some distance from shore when the ice on which the former was standing broke away and started down stream. Vizenau hurried to Prentiss Bay, 5 miles away, to obtain a boat, but found there was none there. He then telephoned a lumber camp at Cedarville, where George Dunn and Robert Hammel were told of Paquin's plight.

Dunn and Hammel obtained a boat and a horse to drag it 2 miles to open water and then were forced to spend two hours before they could get the motor started. They set out into the lake while practically all the inhabitants of Cedarville anxiously lined the shore. After several hours' search they finally located Paquin in the 2-acre cake of ice and brought him ashore.

"I never gave up hope," Paquin said. "I knew my friends would find me. But if the wind had not gone down I would have frozen to death."

Dyers End Strike At New York Plants

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Peace was declared in the dyeing and cleaning industry of New York and vicinity today when union leaders announced that their members would return to work Monday.

The strike, which union officials claimed had brought out 27,000 workers, was called two weeks ago in protest against so-called cut-rate cleaning establishments.

While announcing the termination of the strike, Adolph Grabstein, president of the Allied Council of Cleaners and Dyers, said that "the fight against the unfair shops will continue."

Admiral Andrew Long Marries at New York

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Admiral Andrew Theodore Long, who has been designated to represent the Navy Department at the coming Geneva Conference, was married today at the Municipal Chapel to Mrs. Villa V Fife former wife of George Buchanan Fife New York newspaper man. Admiral Long is a former commander of the European fleet and has been on duty with the general board at Washington.

Mrs Fife is a sister of Mrs. A. W. McKee, wife of Commander McKee, of the Navy. She was divorced about four years ago.

College in Ontario Burned Third Time

Port Hope, Ontario, March 3 (A.P.).—For the third time in 30 years Trinity College virtually was destroyed by fire today.

The fire started in the skating rink and spread to the gymnasium and the main college building, causing loss estimated at about $500,000. The only building not destroyed was the junior school, at the opposite end of the campus. None of the 150 students and members of the staff was injured.

Snow-Laden Roof Collapses, Killing 5

Batum, Georgia, U. S. S. R., March 3 (A.P.).—Five persons were killed here when the snow-laden roof of a public bakery crashed during a terrific snowstorm which has been sweeping transcaucasia.

At Tiflis, Georgia, and Erivan, Armenian telephone, telegraph and railway communications were crippled and several persons buried under the snow.

NEW YORK HEIRESS, BRIDE OF COWBOY, PLANS RANCH HOME

Former Barbara Monell Much Interested in What Papers Say of Romance.

WHIRLWIND COURTSHIP AT COLORADO SPRINGS

Husband, 6-Footer, Just Now Operating Harness Shop in Colorado Resort.

Colorado Springs, Colo., March 3 (A.P.).—A little breathless, perhaps, but none the less interested in New York accounts of her marriage to a cowboy-harness maker, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson Glaze, the former Barbara Monell of New York society circles, today told of her plans for a ranch home in the West.

The heiress, daughter of Mrs. Ambrose Monell, wealthy New York social leader, was married February 21 to Glase, who operates a small harness shop here. A chance meeting led to a whirlwind romance and the bronzed cowboy, a strapping 6-footer, won the hand of the 23-year-old girl who moved in the highest social circles in New York.

Mrs. Glaze told interviewers she preferred the type of man from the wide open spaces of the West. She said she would move to a ranch with her husband in a few months.

She had met her husband only a little more than a month ago, she related. An Episcopal minister performed the marriage ceremony.

Had No Honeymoon.

The bride asked what the newspapers were saying about her romance and was particularly interested in what was published in New York. She requested clippings from the New York papers which carried the news of the marriage today. There has been no honeymoon.

"We decided," she said, "to stay right here, but it was just as good as a honeymoon.

"Mother said it would be all right—the marriage, you know—and she was perfectly satisfied. I met my husband in his harness shop, where he had been in business about two months. I'd gone in to buy a muzzle for my dog.

Miss Monell came here last fall for her health. They would live on a ranch, as yet unbought, and would move out to it in about two months, she said. Mr. Glaze, the bride related, sold his ranch about two years ago and hadn't decided on a new one, but it would be a few miles east of Colorado Springs.

Husband From Illinois.

Obviously diffident in discussing her husband, Mrs. Glaze silently approved press descriptions of him—more than 6 feet tall, 27 years old, bronzed from ranch life and, it appeared, a mater in the art of Western romancing.

"Please," she reminded, "don't forget to send me those newspaper clippings. I want to see what they are saying about me—us."

The husband of the girl who astonished Newport at the age of 14 by making a 2-mile swim in the surf, came to Colorado fourteen years ago with his parents from Illinois, and for several years operated a large ranch. Some two months ago he started his business in Colorado Springs, buying his one-room shop with the proceeds from the sale of a bunch of horses. Glaze's parents own a dry-land ranch about 60 miles from here.

Mother Not Displeased.

New York, March 3.—With the explanation that "the difference in social standing is unimportant," Mrs. Ambrose Monell, possessor of both wealth and social position, today verified the report that her daughter, Barbara, had married Kenneth Wilson Glaze, rancher and harness-shop operator, of Colorado Springs, Colo. The wedding had her complete approval despite published reports to the contrary, she says.

"Mr. Gaze is a young man of fine character," she said, "as fine a young man as my daughter may wish for. And character counts much more than social position.

"My daughter and I went to Colorado Springs last December in the interest of her health and we took a house there. The wedding plans had my consent from the beginning, although I did ask them to wait a while, as I had business to look after in Europe. They, however, did not wish to delay."

Members of the family attending the ceremony, in addition to Mrs. Monell, were Ralph Monell, her brother and Mrs. John C. O'Donnell, her daughter. Mrs. Monell's husband, who was president of the International Nickel Co., died some time ago, leaving an estate valued at $15,000,000.

Miss Monell on her trip West took along some of her dogs, and a local ordinance requiring that they be leashed sent her to the Glaze establishment.

The bride is a horsewoman of note and her husband is likewise at ease in the saddle, having done plenty of cowboy riding in his ranching days.

KNOWS FATHER DEAD BEFORE WORD COMES

Treasury Official's Daughter Dons Black on Steamer; Says "Tell Me Truth."

Special to The Washington Post.

New York, March 3.—Treasury Department officials went down the bay today to inform Miss Helen Bothner, a passenger on the White Star Liner Megantic that her father, Charles G. Bothner, veteran supervising agent in charge of the drawback department of the subtreasury here, had died Wednesday night. Miss Bothner had been informed by officials on the ship Thursday that her father was seriously ill. But Miss Bothner arrived today wearing black and said to those intending to inform her:

"I know. Tell me the truth. He is dead."

She had announced to friends on board the ship Friday night that she knew her father was dead, although no word had been brought to her.

Treasury Department officials from Washington will attend the funeral tomorrow.

Hearst Is to Sell Tabloids, Is Report

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Negotiations are pending for the sale of one or more of the tabloid newspapers published by William Randolph Hearst to interests represented by Alexander P. Moore, former Ambassador to Spain and former publisher of the Pittsburgh Leader, it was learned today at the office of Col. Frank Knox, newly appointed general manager of the Hearst newspaper properties. An announcement may be issued Monday, it was stated.

Papers said to be involved in the negotiations were the New York Daily Mirror, the Boston Advertiser and possibly the Baltimore American.

"Slave Tunnel" Leads To Dispute in Detroit

Detroit, March 3 (A.P.).—Whether a tunnel discovered 20 feet below the surface of a downtown street here was an abandoned link in an "underground railway" through which slaves escaped to Canada in pre-Civil War days, or was merely an old coal chute, was a disputed question among the city's historians today.

Its proximity to the site of the old "Finney house barn," at one time a haven for fugitive slaves, led some to believe it might have been used as a "slave tunnel."

Other persons who viewed it said the so-called tunnel was nothing more than a passage connecting the lower part of a razed building with a sidewalk trap and coal hole.

The passageway was discovered when the wheels of a truck used in an excavation project broke through the roof.

COUNTESS SORANZO SUED FOR LOVE OF CONVICT

Action Based on Elopement of Former Miss Stevenson With J. F. Corbett.

WIFE IS SEEKING $250,000

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Suit for $250,000 for the love of her convict husband has been started in Manhattan Supreme Court by Mrs. Alice Bland Corbett, of Newcastle, Pa., against the Countess Andrew M. G. Soranzo, of Florence, Italy.

The suit is another climax to the romantic and criminal career of James F. Corbett, who crashed the portals of New York society and eloped with Marqueene G. Stevenson, now the Countess Soranzo, while he had a previous wife living. His second marriage has been annulled.

Corbett is now serving a 5-year term in Sing Sing Prison for grand larceny. His first wife is in Newcastle with their daughter, Julienne, and the Countess has returned to America with her husband to fight what her attorney describes as an "outrage."

The countess' father is Frederick A. Stevenson, assistant vice president of the American Car & Foundry Co., who wrecked Corbett's romance with his daughter when private detectives found Corbett's photograph in the "rogues' gallery."

Corbett married Alice Bland in Newcastle in 1922, and is alleged to have deserted her in November, 1924, shortly after their child was born. Corbett next appeared in Park avenue social circles where he began his romance with the former Miss Stevenson. They eloped to Buffalo in December, 1925. Their marriage was annulled in that city when Corbett's previous marriage was disclosed. Miss Stevenson married Count Soranzo May 21, 1927.

Corbett was described as a distinguished looking man with ingratiating manners and marked ability as a dancer, swimmer, golf and bridge player. He has a record of three criminal convictions.

ATTORNEYS WRANGLE AT HICKMAN'S TRIAL

Walsh, Threatened, Apologizes to Court After Dispute Over Legal Point.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 3 (A.P.).—Heated wrangles of counsel and sharp threats from the judge marked the joint trial today of William E. Hickman and Welby Hunt for the slaying of C. Ivy Toms, druggist.

Judge Elliott Craig and defense attorneys vainly battled to stem the volume of words in the testimony of Dr. Frank A. Mikels, the first of a battery of prosecution psychiatrists attempting to break down Hickman's insanity defense.

"Boil it down! Boil it down!" Judge Elliott Craig frequently interrupted as the witness gave in detail every move of Hickman he had observed and every word the prisoner had spoken to him in the last two months.

While Dr. Mikels was being cross-examined, Jerome Walsh, Hickman's counsel; James Costello, assistant prosecutor, and the witness all started arguing at the same time over a legal point. Judge Craig entered the fray with the admonition to Walsh that "an adjournment until Monday—and you know where you'll be." Walsh apologized.

Dr. Mikels' testimony, holding Hickman to be sane, was virtually the same as given by him in the youth's trial for the murder of Marion Parker, for which Hickman is under sentence to be hanged.

Victor Searles Loses $250,000 by Will Suit

Boston, March 3 (A.P.).—The State Supreme Court today affirmed a Probate Court decree to the effect that Victor A Searles, Boston artist, had forfeited his right to a $250,000 bequest because he contested the will of his uncle, Edward F Searles, Methuen millionaire.

The will contained a clause which directed that the share of any beneficiary contesting the document be given to the regents of the University of California. When the case was heard in Probate Court the executors were ordered to pay the $250,000 to the university.

The elder Searles died on August 6, 1920, leaving an estate of $30,000,000. His only heir at law was his nephew. The latter contested the will and the executors compromised by paying him $4,000,000.

MRS. MAHER IS BRIDE OF BERNARD H. KROGER

Capital Woman's Marriage to Cincinnati Man Takes Place in Palm Beach.

PLAN VISITING IN SPAIN

Palm Beach, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—Bernard Henry Kroger, retired Cincinnati capitalist, was married here today to Mrs. Alice Farrington Maher, Washington, whom he had known since her girlhood.

The wedding, solemnized at Bethesda-by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, followed announcement of the engagement made only last night at a dinner given by Mrs Rudolph Nomans, daughter of the bridegroom. Rector George M Thompson officiated at the ceremony, which was attended by a group of relatives and friends.

Robert Farrington Flynn, Washington, brother of the bride, gave her hand in marriage, while Chester F. Kroger was best man for his father.

The newlyweds left immediately for a motor tour of the Florida west coast. They will spend May and June in Cincinnati and will go abroad to spend some time in Spain with the bride's cousin, Thomas E. Campbell, head of the American Mission to the Seville Exposition, who will present them at court in Madrid.

The engagement and marriage following swiftly came as a surprise to society. Mrs. Kroger since her divorce three years ago had been spending the winters here with her sister, Mrs. John E. Dana. Mr. Kroger, who maintains a home here, recently was elected president of the Old Guard Society of Palm Beach.

Mrs. Maher is the daughter of the late Henry P. Flynn, of this city. She has been active in society here, and was noted as a horsewoman. She has exhibited at recent horse shows here, and has been prominently identified with the Riding and Hunt Club.

She was married to Horace Maher, of Roanoke, Va., in 1918, at St. Matthew's Church here. They were divorced in 1924 in New York, Mrs. Maher being given custody of their daughter, Dana.

2 Noted Pennsylvania Women Candidates

Harrisburg, Pa., March 3 (A.P.).—Two women, prominent in Pennsylvania politics, today filed nominating petitions as candidates for Congress against incumbents seeking reelection.

Mrs. Cordelia Brice Pinchot, wife of the former governor, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination in the Fifteenth district against Representative Louis T. McFadden, chairman of the house committee on banking and currency, who seeks his eighth term.

Miss Agnes Hart Wilson, daughter of William B. Wilson, Secretary of Labor in the Woodrow Wilson Cabinet, will run for the Democratic nomination in the Sixteenth district, now represented by Edgar R. Kiess, Republican candidate for the ninth term in the House. Kiess began his congressional career by defeating Miss Wilson's father.

Man Kills 10 to Avoid Search of His Home

(Special Cable Dispatch.)

Warsaw, March 3.—Rather than to allow police to search his cellar, Fedor Kledey, smuggler in the township of Wjelmy, near Warsaw, blew up himself and his whole family, killing three children and seven adults and severely injuring eight more.

Kledey stood at the cellar door, smoking a cigarette, and arguing with the police patrol wanting to search the cellar for smuggled goods. When the police officer gave an order to rush him he threw the lighted cigarette over his shoulder into a vat full of ether, causing an explosion which wrecked the house. The people in the town tried to lynch the police, who took refuge in their barracks and sustained a regular siege until reinforcements reestablished order.

Texas District Judge Accused of Murder

Huntsville, Tex., March 3 (A.P.).—A charge of murder was filed today against Carl T. Harper, a district court judge, alleged to have shot and fatally wounded Jack L. Rich, a truck driver, during an altercation after a collision of the automobiles driven by the two men. Rich, said to be a former amateur wrestler, died in a hospital.

CHARITY CONCERT BY PRINCE DROPPED

Dental Foundation Calls Off Arrangements With Hohenzollern.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—The International Dental Health Foundation for Children, Inc., today announced it had canceled all negotiations for a charity concert under its auspices by Prince Joachim Albrecht, conductor, composer and cousin of the former Kaiser of Germany now en route to the United States.

Dr. Louise C. Ball, president of the foundation, made public a wireless message sent to the prince aboard the liner Majestic, saying because of "astounding developments" in negotiations with Paul Sydow, the prince's manager, the foundation has withdrawn its support to the concert which had been scheduled for March 12 at the Metropolitan Opera House.

Sydow had previously announced that charitable organizations which he had approached about concerts had said, "No, thank you," and that there seemed to be an unfriendly attitude toward members of the Hohenzollern family.

The foundation's message to the prince, however, indicated the negotiations for the concert fell through entirely because of inability to effect arrangements with Sydow.

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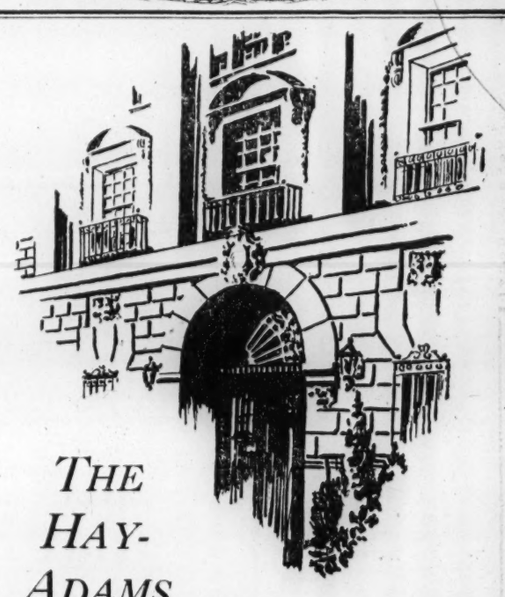
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CHANGES PROPOSED IN HAUGEN MEASURE BY FARM LEADERS

Will Meet Specific Objections Raised by Administration, Spokesmen Assert.

INVESTIGATIONS WOULD BE MADE BY REQUEST

House Committee to Vote on Recommendations as They Come Up, Chairman Says.

(Associated Press.)

Revision of several features of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, including provisions governing in part the operation of the equalization fee, has been recommended to the House agriculture committee by a group of leading farm organizations.

The proposed changes, made public yesterday by Chairman Haugen, are designed in some instances, the farm organization spokesmen said, to meet specific objections raised by the administration to the measure.

The committee tomorrow will take up consideration of the bill in executive session and Haugen said that the recommendations would be voted upon when the committee reached the sections of the measure to which they would apply. He expects the committee to vote on the bill before the week-end.

Inquiries by Farm Board.

The farm organizations, among other things, recommended that investigations by the farm Board which would be created under the bill, be initiated upon the request of the leading cooperative associations and farm organizations representing the producers of a commodity for which assistance in handling the surplus is sought.

This change is recommended, the organizations said, to remove one of the constitutional questions raised by the attorney general, who objected to the provision in the former bill on the ground that it was an unconstitutional delegation to unofficial bodies of the power to determine when the regulation would go into effect.

Other recommendations were for:

Broadening of the term "surplus" to make clear that any domestic national surplus, whether it is seasonal or year's total in nature, can be dealt with by the board.

Authority for the board, under specific restrictions, to make insurance agreements with cooperatives on staple crops.

May Suspend Fee.

The farm organizations also urged the committee to consider the advisability of giving the board authority to suspend collection of the equalization fee in the event of litigation. The letter to the committee said:

"It might be well that under certain circumstances produced by litigation, as, for instance, the enjoining of the collection of the equalization fee in substantial amounts, the board would find it a wise policy to suspend entirely the collection of the fee upon the commodity.

"It may be that the present language of the bill does not deprive the board of discretion in such a contingency. In the event, however, it is determined that the board is not vested with such discretion, it is suggested that the committee consider the desirability of the inclusion of a specific provision upon the subject."

Those Who Urge Proposals.

The letter was signed by the following:

S. H. Thompson, president of American Farm Bureau Federation; William Hirtle, president, and F. W. Murphy, chairman legislative committee of the corn belt committee; William H. Settle, president Indiana Farm Bureau; George N. Peek, chairman North Central States agricultural committee; C. B. Steward, secretary Nebraska Farm Bureau; Chester C. Davis, of the committee for agricultural service; Earl C Smith, Illinois Agricultural Association; B. W. Kilgore, for American Cotton Growers Exchange; J. N. Kehoe Burley Tobacco Growers Association; R D Farmes, secretary Dark Tobacco Growers Association.

DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Not in session.

Senator Walsh (Democrat), Montana, announced that he had assented to the entering of his name in the Democratic presidential primaries in Wisconsin, South Dakota and California.

Agriculture committee approved the Caraway bill to prohibit speculating in cotton and grain futures on exchanges.

Senator Watson (Republican), Indiana, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, predicted that the committee would take early action on the Fess bill to promote railroad consolidation.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:40 to meet at noon tomorrow.

Passed the Agriculture Department appropriation bill, carrying a total of $143,000,000.

Representative Blanton (Democrat), Texas, accused Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police, of drinking in a saloon.

Hearing on the Box bill continued before the immigration committee Fred Marvin, of the Key Men of America, declared that the Mexicans pouring into the United States are "saturated" with socialistic and communistic ideas The committee decided to call Secretary of State Kellogg and Secretary of Labor Davis.

Merchant marine committee reaffirmed its stand in favor of an equal distribution of radio broadcasting stations on a basis of population and area.

Representative Morin, Pennsylvania, announced that he would not be a candidate for the Republican senatorial nomination in that State.

Former Senator Rice W. Means, of Colorado, representing the United Spanish War Veterans, told the veterans' committee that he was opposed to any legislation designed to have the Veterans Bureau absorb various soldiers homes.

Representative Newton (Republican), Minnesota, drafted a bill to restrict the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the setting of minimum rates.

CAPITOL CLOSE-UPS

By CARLISIE BARGERON.

WHILE busying himself in the interest of Secretary Hoover's candidacy, Undersecretary of the Treasury Ogden L. Mills is not faring so well personally in New York. Inasmuch as he was the party's nominee for governor two years ago it might be assumed that he is the party leader in the State. He is, nominally, of course. But instead of being the real leader, there is considerable doubt as to whether he will be able to go to the Republican convention as a delegate.

His Hoover activities quite probably had something to do with it, but at any rate when the big seven delegate slate was made up he was not on it. Mr. Mills is not a man easily daunted, so he hastened to consult with his district leaders with a view to going to the convention from his district. Lo and behold, the district leaders want to see the big show themselves, so Mr. Mills was not to be accommodated there.

Still in an agreeable frame of mind, he said that he would go from Representative LaGuardia's district. Of all the districts in New York he should pick out one which has only one delegate coming to it by virtue of its weak Republicanism in the last campaign.

It so happens that former Representative Siegel has been going to the convention from that district for years. It is now a case of whether Mr. Siegel wants to step aside for Mr. Mills. It would be a decided touch of irony, however, should Mr. Mills be left out in the cold.

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SOME commentators profess to see a rivalry between Mr. Mills and Charles D. Hilles, vice chairman of the Republican national committee, over the Secretaryship of the Treasury as the underlying reason for their espousal of opposing presidential causes. Mr. Mills, of course, is for Mr. Hoover and Mr Hilles is for Mr. Uninstructed Delegation.

Capitol gossip has already assigned Mr. Mills to the Treasury post in the event of Mr. Hoover's nomination and election and while it has not gone so far as to assign Mr. Hilles there in the event of a victory for Mr. Uninstructed Delegation, it is said that he wants it It is the only Cabinet place to which he does aspire, it is said, having once had reason to believe he could get another Cabinet place but declining permission for the use of his name.

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NOW any doubt as to Mr. Hilles enmity to Hoover in his advocacy of an uninstructed delegation may be dispelled. He is not confining his activity to New York either. He has written letters to Ohio leaders telling them that because of the excellent services rendered by Mrs. Wilma Sinclair Levan, national committeewoman from that State, that he hopes she will be supported in her campaign to be a delegate to the next national convention On its face, it seems like a perfectly harmless request. But it so happens that Mrs. Levan is running as a Willis delegate.

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ABRAM F. MYERS, member of the Federal Trade Commission, who recently had quite a tilt with a Senate committee over the commission's action in dismissing its case against the Continental Baking Corporation, which coincided with the entering of a consent decree in a suit in the Federal Court at Baltimore, is reported to be planning to resign. He is to become identified, so the report goes with an independent group of motion picture operators.

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JUST as Tammany sets about the very delicate task of giving tone to its Houston delegation, somebody at the Capitol launches a move to have the brown derby adopted as the Al Smith campaign symbol. Of all men, Senator Edwards, of New Jersey, promptly subscribes to it, as do some of the Tammany members in the House Others, however, amenable to the New York "tone" idea, have put their stamp of indignant disapproval on the suggestion.

It goes without saying that in this day of a dressed-up Tammany, the idea will get nowhere in New York.

The leaders in New York, in their endeavor to send men to the convention who would harmonize with Southern culture, slow-going but deep, left Senators Copeland and Wagner out in the cold, it is pointed out, and to send a brown-derbied 'brigade down there would be to undo all the good work that has been done. Tammany is to leave its jim dandies at home and only those will go to Houston who can profess humility and say "suh," it is insisted.

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ON future trips of the President it will be the imperturbable Mr. J. Russell Young, of the Washington Star, who will see to it that the accompanying correspondents are not overlooked. He has just succeeded John T Lambert, of the Universal Service, as president of the White House Correspondents Association, an office, incidentally, that requires tact, the patience of a Job, and an understanding of as many different whims and temperaments as there are correspondents in the party There was one at Rapid City, for example, who thought the President should cut short his vacation and come home because there was not a restaurant in town that could serve two-minute boiled eggs in one minute.

Young will be installed amid appropriate ceremony at the association's dinner at the Mayflower March 17, at which President Coolidge, members of the Cabinet and other distinguished folk are to be the guests.

Incidentally, Young and the President are the first ones to show up at the executive offices every morning.

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SENATOR CARAWAY, of Arkansas, is of the opinion that the great majority of the lobbyists who infest the Capitol constitute an economic waste. He has introduced a bill dealing with them, which the Senate passed Friday.

An enterprising man gets an idea and sells it to enough people to insure him a salary as a lobbyist. Then his aim is to go before as many committees of Congress as possible and make as many statements. With these he persuades his clientele that he is active: that he is "on the job." Hardly one out of ten is ever willing to appear before a committee to discuss a question. He wants to make his "prepared speech." The committee members, often with no more than one or two present, let him make it and that is all there is to it.

The most disappointed man, probably, ever to appear before a committee was a preacher, who, tiring of the remuneration of the pulpit, evolved himself a crusade. To get started, he wanted to make a speech before a committee. He harassed his senator so much that the senator finally prevailed upon one or two of the committee members to pretend to give him a hearing. The "committee" was convened and the preacher delivered his set speech at break-neck speed. When it was all over he learned to his chagrin that there had been no stenographic report of his speech taken. He had nothing with which to get subscribers to his cause.

At the recent hearings on the District boxing bill before the Senate District committee, a young educated boxing instructor appeared. He talked with a deep voice. That is, the volume of his voice seemed to spend itself in his throat.

"Mr. Chairman, senators and my other auditors here," he began in perfectly good college debate style, "this country does no need battleships. It does not need soldiers. Its security rests upon the development of the muscles of its men." Senator Walsh, of Massachusetts, interrupted to ask that he confine himself to discussing the opposition to the bill of the District Commissioners. "I'll get to that in a minutes," he promised, then he began his address all over again.

DIED

BABCOCK—On Thursday, March 1, 1928, at 912 East Capitol street, CAROLYN M BABCOCK.
Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Monday, March 5, at 11 a. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

BERRY—On Saturday, March 3, 1928, at her residence, JENNY, beloved daughter of the late Philip and Emma Heath Berry.
Funeral services at St. Philip's Church, Laurel, Md., on Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m.

BOOTH—On Saturday, March 3, 1928, at his residence, The Argonne, CHARLES AUSTIN BOOTH, colonel, Twenty-sixth Infantry, U. S. Army, retired, husband of Flora R. Booth.
Funeral at Arlington National Cemetery on Monday, March 5, at 3 p. m.

BRIMER—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at Garfield Hospital, JOSEPH LUTHER, beloved husband of Ida M. Brimer. Remains resting at his late residence, 1006 East Capitol street.
Funeral services Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m., from Epworth Methodist Church, Thirteenth street and North Carolina avenue. Interment at Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

CHASE—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at Brunswick, Ga., ELLA M., daughter of the late Winfield S. Chase and sister of R. D Chase, of this city.
Upon arrival remains will rest at the chapel of Joseph F. Birch's Sons, 3034 M street northwest. Funeral from St. John's Episcopal Church, Potomac and O streets northwest, on Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

CLARK—Suddenly, at Garfield Hospital, on Friday, March 2, 1928, at 9:15 p. m., ALEXANDER H., beloved husband of Audry Moyer Clark, of 29 Westmoreland avenue Takoma Park, Md.
Interment at Montgomery, Ala. (Montgomery, Ala., papers please copy.)

COLCORD—On Friday, March 2, 1928, CHARLES HERBERT, beloved son of Willard A. and Anna L. Colcord.
Funeral from his late residence, 615 Van Buren street northwest, on Monday, March 5, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

CONNER—Suddenly, on Friday, March 2, 1928, at 11:10 p. m., CHARLES W., beloved husband of Effie Conner and father of Charles Carl Conner, in the forty-ninth year of his age.
Services at Norval R. Tabler funeral home, 928 M street northwest on Monday, March 5, at 7:30 p. m. Interment Leesburg, Va., on Tuesday, March 6, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

FLECK—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at 11:15 a. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs Luther Hess Waring, 616 Quebec place northwest, MARY ADA FLECK.
Funeral services and interment at Tyrone Pa.

FUNKE—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at his residence, 3816 Fourth street northwest, JOSEPH D., beloved husband of Katherine E. Funke, dear father of Carlyle, Blanche and Esther Funke.
Funeral services at his late residence on Monday, March 5, at 8:45 a. m., and at St. Aloysius Church at 9:30 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

MICHAEL—On Thursday, March 1, 1928, at New York City, ARTHUR, beloved husband of Thelma Michael.
Services will be held at his late residence, 1117 Euclid street northwest, on Monday, March 5, at 1 p. m. Services will be conducted by the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

MURRAY—On Saturday, March 3, 1928, at 11 a. m., at 5316 Colorado avenue northwest, HELEN THOMPSON, beloved wife of the late Helge O. Murray and daughter of Dr and Mrs. M. F. Thompson.
Funeral services at the Sixth Presbyterian Church, Sixteenth and Kennedy streets northwest, on Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

POULTON—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at his residence, 1108 Monroe street northwest, WILLIAM E., husband of the late Sophie F. Poulton.
Funeral services will be held at his late residence on Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m. Interment at Prospect Hill Cemetery.

RIEDEL—Suddenly, on Thursday, March 1, 1928, at George Washington Hospital, GUSTAVE H., beloved husband of Mary E Riedel, aged fifty-seven years.
Funeral from his late residence, 138 Twelfth street southeast, on Sunday, March 4, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited Interment at Rockville, Md.

RIEDEL—A special communication of Hope Lodge, No. 20, F. A. A. M., is hereby called for the purpose of attending the funeral of brother GUSTAVE H. RIEDEL on Sunday, March 4, at 12:30 p. m.
ALEXANDER B. MILLER, Master.
Attest:
PAUL B. ELCAN, Secretary.

RIEDEL—The sir knights of Orient Commandery, No. 5, K. T., will assemble at the asylum on Sunday, March 4, at 1 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late sir knight, GUSTAV H. RIEDEL, who passed away, suddenly, on Thursday, March 1. Full Templar uniform. By order of the commander.
OTTO B. ROEPKE, Recorder.

ROTH—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at the residence of her parent, 234 Twelfth street southeast, PAULINE LOUISE, beloved daughter of Martin and the late Pauline C. Roth (nee Ernoldi).
Funeral services from the above residence on Monday, March 5, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to the Holy Comforter Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

SOKOL—On Friday, March 2, 1928, at his residence, 4805 Iowa avenue northwest, JOSEPH, beloved husband of Mollie Sokol and devoted father of Henry, Samuel, Jacob, Celia, Eva and Rose Sokol and Mrs. Samuel Stearman, aged sixty-six years.
Funeral from his late residence, Sunday, March 4, at 11 a. m. Please omit flowers.

WATSON—On Thursday, March 1, 1928 at 2:30 a. m., at Sibley Hospital, JOHN W., beloved husband of Ellen A. Watson, in the fiftieth year of his age.
Remains resting at the Nevius funeral home, 924 New York avenue northwest, until Monday morning. Funeral from his late residence, 1619 Otis street northeast, on Monday, March 5, at 2 p. m. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

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HOOVER IS ASSAILED IN WILLIS ADDRESS; TERMED EUROPEAN

Not an American in Thought or Action, Senator Says at Wellston, Ohio.

FARM PRODUCT PRICES HELD DOWN, IS CHARGE

Policy of Investing in Foreign Industries Would Lower Tariff, It Is Held.

Wellston, Ohio, March 3 (A.P.).—Keeping his promise to conduct a fight without gloves, Senator Frank B. Willis unloosed a bristling attack here tonight of Herbert Hoover, who is in the field against him for Ohio delegates to the Republican presidential convention

Notifying his constituents that he is not a "stalking-horse candidate," the Ohio senator in an address at a political meeting assailed the Commerce Secretary for what he said was his stand on the tariff, foreign relations farm relief and the Great Lakes water diversion problem.

He also declared that Hoover representatives, in endeavoring to work out an agreement regarding control of the Ohio delegation without entering the April primaries, had sought to have him accept conditions "dishonorable to myself and humiliating to my friends."

Life of British Gentleman.

Senator Willis said the country is entitled to know a candidate's viewpoint on public questions, and Republicans to know whether they were in harmony with party doctrines. Then he added:

"It seems to many Americans that the fact that for 23 of the 33 years of his adult life, Mr Hoover saw America only at long intervals, and, as a writer for him said in 1917, only from our fastest train windows, that his life was in all essentials that of a British gentleman, and not an American either in thought or action, is a vital fact not to be overlooked in choosing a man now to direct the destinies of the American people; that Mr. Hoover views America from the European viewpoint is apparent in every study of his remarks on public questions."

The Secretary of Commerce has advocated, Mr. Willis continued, the investment of American capital to build up industry in foreign countries, a doctrine, he said, directly opposed to the Republican theory.

Would Endanger Tariff.

"If Americans are to be urged and encouraged to make investments abroad in foreign factories," he declared, "it will be absolutely inevitable that these same Americans will eventually be found to be advocating a policy which will admit the products of these foreign factories into the American market at a lower and even lower rate of duty."

Setting forth what he said were Mr Hoover's views on foreign relations, Senator Willis said that in 1919 he had urged the people of the United States to uphold the Versailles treaty and the League of Nations covenant without reservations. He also declared Mr Hoover was "in most cordial sympathy" with the position of President Wilson in 1918 that a Democratic Congress should be elected to support his leadership.

"If Secretary Hoover could have had his way in 1918," continued Mr. Willis, "the fundamental doctrines of this Nation, adhered to by every administration from Washington to Coolidge, would have been abandoned, and we would have been thrown into the vortex of internationalism.

In a Democratic Primary.

"This attitude of the Secretary appealed to many people in this country, as is evidenced by the large vote given Secretary Hoover's candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency in the Michigan primary in 1920.

Turning to the problems of the farmer, the Ohio senator said that if Mr Hoover were President "it would be interesting to know whether he would manifest the same watchful care over the farmers and their interests as he did as food administrator."

"It is a matter of common knowledge," he went on, "that under his leadership the price of farm products was held down, while the price of other products was allowed to go sky-high This was the beginning of the farm depression.

"The agricultural population of this country, struggling almost in despair to save itself from annihilation, is wondering whether the viewpoint of Secretary Hoover has changed, or is likely to change, with reference to the agricultural problem."

Refers to Water Diversion.

Declaring that the question of water diversion at Chicago was of interest to Ohioans because it was lowering the level of Lake Erie to the detriment of Ohio ports and industries, Mr. Willis said it was to be noted that at the very time the citizens of Ohio were doing all they could to stop the "unlawful" diversion Mr. Hoover was asserting in addresses that it was "essential, that it must be continued."

"The important fact that the people of Ohio will remember," the senator added, "is this—that he asserted boldly that the Chicago water diversion was essential and must continue forever, that the question of remedies lay in the field of future experimentations."

More Questions Hurled At Hoover by Willis Men

Keeping Secretary on Defensive Appears to be Plan of His Focs in Ohio; Clubs Being Formed to Boost Both Candidates.

Special to The Washington Post.

Columbus, Ohio, March 3.—It is the season for the organization of clubs in Ohio designed to augment the strength of Herbert C. Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, and of United States Senator Frank B. Willis, who are contending for 51 delegates from Ohio to the Republican national convention. There have been few outstanding developments tending to give any line on the situation as between the two men.

A Hoover Club was organized at Ohio State University and a Hoover Club was organized in Columbus with Col. Edward Orton, jr., at the head of it. Clubs for Willis were organized at Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, his home, with more than 1,100 members and one of almost equal size was organized at Ohio Northern University, at Ada, where he formerly was a teacher of law. A Hoover Club of 50 was organized at Delaware. With these adjuncts to the regular organization under way, the time is soon to come for the important strokes of the campaign.

It is clear that the strategy of the Willis men is to be to keep the Hoover forces on the defensive. Col. Carmi A. Thompson, Cleveland, the Willis manager, is amazingly frank in his discussion of the matter not mincing words in the least. This week he renewed his questions as to where Mr. Hoover stands on the League of Nations, World Court, farm relief and other subjects. He also asked again where Mr. Hoover stands on prohibition. The Willis theory is that the letter to Senator William E. Borah was equivocal and designed to carry water on both shoulders. Therefore, the question was renewed.

In the meantime, other inquiries have been hurled at Mr. Hoover. Col. Thompson used a recent session of Willis supporters here as a sort of megaphone for this purpose. He asserted that the friends of Senator Willis reported a "growing curiosity as to Mr. Hoover." In expanding this idea, Col. Thompson said that since the first reaction from the Hoover invasion had subsided there was a perceptible lessening of support for him. Regular Republicans, he insisted, are rallying to Mr. Willis.

"It is most significant," he said, "that people wish to know more about Mr. Hoover. That is the cry everywhere. They are not disposed to take him purely on faith. They want to know his views and they want to know more about the man. For instance, these questions are asked, 'What investments has he in the United States?' 'Where did he make his money?' 'Where does he stand on the tariff?' We are glad that people are making these inquiries. We think that the answers will make for greater strength for Senator Willis."

Other Willis men spoke even more directly. They had heard the story that Mr. Hoover had applied for British naturalization and have been slow to discard the tale even though it was denied officially in London.

The Hoover management has been less inclined to make the sort of canvass that the Willis men are making. Reliance has been placed on the sentiment for Mr. Hoover and the insinuations against him have not been answered thus far.

Another phase of the canvass which is assuming form is the open alliance among the other candidates against Mr. Hoover. The Willis cohorts boasted about this in their meeting this week and said that efforts are to be made to show that Mr. Willis is to have the active support of friends of former Gov. Frank O. Lowden and Vice President Charles G. Dawes. Representative Charles Brand, Urbana, of the Seventh District, is the liaison officer for the farm bloc and is a Willis candidate for alternate at large.

Should Mr. Hoover come into Ohio to speak it is the gossip of Willis forces that he is to be asked many questions Whether he can stand that form of campaign no one knows, because while Ohio has heard him on a number of occasions it has been under friendly auspices.

There are reports that Gov. Lowden is to speak in the Ohio canvass. If this should prove true, it is said that Senator Willis is likely to be placed in an embarrassing position with Gov. Lowden supporting him. The reason is to be found in Willis' former opposition to farm relief legislation. Broad hints have been given in the past that Senator Willis intended to change his position, but he has said nothing in any speech in Ohio to point to a change of heart or position. The Hoover papers are beginning to point this out and to make trouble for him. While the farm bloc in Ohio, which really favors Lowden, might vote for Willis delegates on the ground that if Hoover wins in Ohio he would be nominated, the fact is that there would be little enthusiasm about it.

In the course of the week the Cleveland News joined the Hoover movement in Ohio. The press of the State is nearly evenly divided, with Hoover having the best of it in the cities and Willis in the smaller centers. The Democratic press favors Hoover and Democratic politicians, generally, hope he will be nominated. Many Republican publishers expect to take political advertisements from both factions and hope there are many.

As a sample of the kind of material that Willis forces are issuing, take this clipping from the Chagrin Falls Exponent:

"At the present time, indications are that all of the Willis delegates will stick to the senator to the finish, but that if they are released by Senator Willis, they will switch to either Dawes or Lowden in preference to Hoover. In fact, outside of the larger cities, both Dawes and Lowden appear to be gaining much more strength than Hoover with Ohioans. Dawes is a native of Marietta, Ohio, and Dawes sentiment is especially strong in southern Ohio Lowden sentiment is particulary noticeable in the rural districts where the former Illinois governor's program for farm relief is looked upon with much satisfaction.

"In fact the Willis-Hoover battle is beginning to take on all of the earmarks of an old-fashioned wet and dry fight, especially in the larger cities, with the wets favorable to Hoover and the drys backing Willis. However, Senator Willis' strong denunciation of American participation in the League of Nations and of cancellation of war debts, and his prompt and strong support of the prohibition laws, the government's Nicaraguan policy and a high protective tariff have made the senior Ohio senator a power to be reckoned with even in the districts where much Hoover, Lowden and Dawes sentiment is smoldering.

"Present indications are that Hoover will stage a losing fight in Ohio, which will do much to hurt his cause throughout the country."

SENATE COMMITTEE VOTES FUTURES BILL

Measure Would Limit Exchange Dealings in Cotton and Grain Crops.

(Associated Press.)

Speculation in cotton and grain futures on exchanges would be prohibited under a bill approved yesterday by the Senate agriculture committee and sponsored for several years by Senator Caraway (Democrat), Arkansas.

The measure is far reaching in its terms and is expected to meet with stiff opposition on the floor, but it has behind it the strength of the producers of these two commodities who long have sought legislation.

As explained by the author, the bill is aimed at short selling of cotton and grain with the resultant fluctuations in prices, but it does not prohibit future selling where the person who sells has a reasonable right to expect that he will have possession of the produce that he sells.

American U. Teams Win Two Debates

Debating teams of American University won a dual victory last night, one team beating the Western Maryland University Team here, and the other conquering the same institution's team at Westminster, Md.

The debate was on military protection of American private interests abroad, and the two teams of American University took opposite sides of the question in each city. The team representing the local university here consisted of William Warner, Willis Delaplain and Blake Espey. The local team which went to Westminster consisted of Roland Rice, Hugh Speer and Fred Carpenter.

Phelan Heads Smith California Delegates

San Francisco, Calif., Mar. 3 (A.P.).—James D. Phelan, former United States senator, heads the list of candidates for a California delegation favorable to Gov. Alfred E. Smith to the Democratic national convention. The list was issued today by H. H. McPike, chairman of the Smith campaign committee here.

South Dakota Tells Preference Tuesday

Pierre, S. Dak., Mar. 3 (A.P.).—South Dakota's political parties will express their preferences for presidential nominations in separate State conventions here next Tuesday, when candidates for State offices also will be indorsed.

Adherents of former Gov. Frank O Lowden, of Illinois, already here predict his indorsement for the Republican presidential nomination, while in the Democratic ranks considerable interest has been aroused by a contest between factions for and against Al Smith, Governor of New York.

First interest here, however, is in the gubernatorial and minor State posts with several candidates for the governorship nomination.

HAMMER SUGGESTS FROE IMPEACHMENT

Statement Follows Report That Recorder Failed to Adopt Efficiency Methods.

Arthur G. Froe, the Recorder of Deeds of the District, ought to be impeached, Representative Hammer (Democrat), of North Carolina, declared yesterday at a meeting of the Gibson investigating subcommittee of the House District committee.

George C. Havenner, investigator for United States Bureau of Efficiency, told the subcommittee that Froe had failed to adopt recommendations made by the bureau designed to improve the efficiency of his office and save the Government money. Had all the recommendations been adopted, Havenner said, a total of $124,000 might have been saved. This led Hammer to declare that Froe ought to be impeached

Froe is a colored man, and there are a number of colored persons employed in his office. Herbert D. Brown, chief of the Bureau of Efficiency, told the subcommittee that Froe evidently believed that the investigation made by the bureau was designed to oust the colored employes from their jobs.

Minnesota Majority For Lowden Claimed

St. Paul, Minn., March 3 (A.P.).—State Senator Claude H. MacKenzie, chairman of the Minnesota Lowden-for-President committee, issued a statement tonight claiming "at least 23 of the 27 Minnesota delegates to the Republican national convention" will support the former Illinois governor for the presidential nomination.

Drys Find Moonshine Still in Farmer's Bed

Clarksburg, W. Va., March 3.—The odor of moonshine liquor led officers to a still in bed with Cleon McMillan, a Jarvisville farmer, when they raided his home late yesterday.

As a result McMillan is a prisoner in the Harrison County jail here, awaiting the action of the grand jury Tuesday.

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MORIN IS OUT OF RACE FOR SENATORIAL SEAT

Explains Pennsylvania Should Present United Front in Coming Election.

OTHER PLANS IN DOUBT

(Associated Press.)

Representative John M. Morin, of Pennsylvania, announced yesterday that he would not be a candidate for the Republican senatorial nomination in that State. In a statement issued at his office he said that on the eve of a presidential election he believed that the Republican party in Pennsylvania "ought to present a united front."

Mr. Morin, whose name has figured in senatorial speculation, did not say whether he would seek reelection to the House. He has until tomorrow night to file for his congressional seat.

"A survey of the political conditions in Pennsylvania," he declared, "convinces me that a contest at this time would so disrupt the Republican party that its effect would be injurious to the success of the party in November. I feel that my candidacy at this time would prevent desired unity and cause embarrassment to my many friends.

"Therefore I have decided not to be a candidate for United States senator and will give my support to the regular Republican candidates. In withdrawing from the field I wish to thank the many friends throughout the State who have so generously tendered me their support."

Coolidge Is Told Of Senate's Speed

(Associated Press)

Senator Curtis, of Kansas, Republican leader in the Senate, told President Coolidge yesterday that never before, in a long session of Congress, had such rapid progress been made in disposing of measures on the legislative calendar.

Senator Curtis pointed to the early passage of the appropriation bills, the approval of the alien property bill and the intensive study in both houses of farm relief and flood control bills, as indicating the speed of Congress.

Former Gov. Nestos Is Senate Candidate

Minot, N. Dak., March 3 (A.P.).—Former Gov. H. A. Nestos, affiliated with the Republican faction opposed to the Nonpartisan League, announced today that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator from North Dakota.

REED REMAINS SILENT ON WALSH'S CANDIDACY

Renews His Plea in Reno for Democratic Harmony on Essential Issues.

ASSAILS G. O. P. GROUP

Reno, Nevada, March 3 (A.P.).—Party unity for a campaign on an issue of "restoration of honesty to government" was asked here tonight by Senator Reed, of Missouri, as battle lines were drawn for a contest in the West at least between himself, Gov. Smith of New York and Senator Walsh, of Montana, for the Democratic presidential nomination.

The Missourian took no cognizance in his prepared address here of the announcement made yesterday in California that the allies of William G. McAdoo in that State would support Senator Walsh on a "dry, anti-Tammanyite, Woodrow Wilson Democrat" platform in the May 1 primary, but he speated the battle cry sounded in the Golden State that "there is more in this campaign than a bottle of whisky and a schooner of beer."

"Salvation of this Government," he declared, "is the dominant issue. I want to repeat that Democrats must forget their differences on controversial questions dividing the party if they are to accomplish the overthrow of the corrupt group controlling the Republican party and running the Government."

Senator Reed renewed also his plea for the wiping out of religious or racial prejudices, and emphasized that he had no quarrel with "the rank and file of the Republican party," but was fighting the "corrupt" management of that party.

Senate to Take Up Esch Nomination

(Associated Press)

The Senate interstate commerce committee agreed yesterday to begin actual consideration of the nomination of John J. Esch, Wisconsin, as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission in executive session tomorrow morning.

Determined opposition to the confirmation of Esch has been maintained in hearings before the committee by senators from the Southern coal fields, because of his vote in the lake cargo coal rate case.

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DENIES COMPETITION WITH OTHER NATIONS

Number of Cruisers Provided Ten Less Than Recommended by General Board.

(Associated Press.)

Approval of the new $274,000,000 warship building program was recommended to the House yesterday by its naval committee which declared that the proposed construction was designed "to meet the most urgent needs of the Navy without unnecessary delay."

In a report drafted by Representative Andrew (Republican), Massachusetts, and concurred in by all of the 21 members except Representative McClintic (Democrat), Oklahoma, the committee said that even upon completion of the proposed fifteen cruisers and one aircraft carrier that the American Navy still would be inferior to that of Great Britain.

"The program is intended to so round our naval forces as to make them reasonably competent to support our policies and safeguard our interests throughout the world," the report said. "Its purpose is to insure that these policies and interests be respected and peace maintained.

Report Denies Competition.

"It is in no sense a competitive program since the essence of competition is the effort to excel or outdistance another. The program when completed will still leave our Navy in a secondary position.

"The addition to our naval forces of the fifteen 8-inch-gun cruisers and one aircraft carrier will help to remedy the weakness of our fleet in these respects if their construction be undertaken within the next three years. The committee does not attempt to forecast possible further developments in other countries or at the naval conference to be held in Washington in 1931 and makes no proposals for laying down vessels after that year."

Andrew said that Admiral Jellicoe, representing Great Britain at the Geneva naval arms conference, had said that in a fleet five cruisers are required for every three capital ships, and added: "On this basis, as the United States has 18 capital ships, the ratio would call for 30 cruisers with the capital fleet, quite apart from any cruisers used for detached service."

Far Short of Needs.

Andrew said that Rear Admiral Charles F. Hughes, chief of naval operations, had emphasized in testimony before the committee that the United States should have a minimum of nine cruisers to guard focal points, such as ports on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, the Panama Canal and the Hawaiian zone, and needed at least six additional cruisers for convoy work.

"This makes a total of 15 required for detached control tasks," Andrew continued. "In other words, with the 28 cruisers for the capital fleet and the 15 for detached service, Hughes estimated the minimum of our cruiser requirements as 43, summarized as follows: Fleet, 26; destroyer squadron flagships, 2; focal points, 9 and convoy, 6; total, 43.

"Your committee desires to emphasize that when the fifteen cruisers are completed the United States will have only 33 modern cruisers. This is ten less than the essential minimum determined by the Navy general board." Even if only 28 cruisers are detailed to our capital fleet as called for by Admiral Hughes, rather than the 30 indicated by Admiral Jellico's estimate of what is required, this will leave but five cruisers for guarding important points, for convoy work, for protecting commerce and for controlling the seas.

"It is hardly necessary to add that if these cruisers be not built the United States will have no e for control duties and the capital fleet will be lacking ten cruisers considered necessary to its safety and efficiency.

The fifteen proposed cruisers would be of 10,000 tons displacement each, the maximum permitted under the Washington arms conference, while the aircraft carrier would be of 13,000 tons or less than half the size of the two new carriers, Lexington and Saratoga.

Lieut. Schildt, Marine Hero, Awarded Medal of Honor

Aviator Saved Lives of Three Comrades in Battle in Nicaragua at Risk of Own, Citation Issued by Secretary Wilbur Says.

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LIEUT. CHRISTIAN F. SCHILDT.

Award of the Congressional Medal of Honor to Lieut. Christian F. Schildt, Marine Corps flier, for heroism in battle and saving lives of three comrades at the risk of his own beyond call of duty at Quilali, Nicaragua, January 6-8, was approved yesterday by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur.

The citation for Lieut. Schildt, now on duty with the aviation detachment, Second Marine Brigade, in Nicaragua, reads as follows:

"For extraordinary heroism in the face of the enemy, distinguished by conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty. On January 6, 7, 8, 1928, at Quilali, Nicaragua, during the progress of an insurrection in that country, Lieut. Schildt, then a member of a marine expedition which had suffered severe losses in killed and wounded, volunteered under almost impossible conditions to evacuate the wounded by air, and transport a relief commanding officer to assume charge of a very serious situation.

"Lieut. Schilt bravely undertook this dangerous and vitally important task, and by taking off a total of ten times in the rough rolling street of the partially burned village, under hostile infantry fire on each occasion, succeeded by almost superhuman skill, combined with personal courage of the highest order, in accomplishing his mission, thereby actually saving three lives and bringing supplies and succor to others in desperate need."

Lieut. Schildt, who won second place in the 1926 Schneider International Cup races at Hampton Roads, Va., is one of the foremost pilots of the Marine Corps, flying since 1919, and being specially efficient in pursuit aviation.

He was born in Richland County, Ill., March 18, 1895, was graduated from graded and high schools at Olney, Ill., and had two years in mechanical engineering at Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind.

He enlisted in the Marine Corps June 23, 1917, and served as a private until June 9, 1919. After this date he was a cadet student naval aviator and received his pilot's license September 18, 1919. He was commissioned as second lieutenant, United States Marine Reserve Corps, June 10, 1919, and served in this capacity until October 10, 1919, when he was given a temporary rank of second lieutenant in the active Marine Corps and held this until April 13, 1921, when he was given a permanent rank. He graduated in aerology at Pensacola in 1923, and as a naval photographer at Chanute Field, Ill., May 2, 1925.

Lieut. Schildt received a letter of commendation from the major general commandant, J. A. Lejeune, Marine Corps, for service rendered the United States Geological Survey in securing air photographs of coast and rivers of Santo Domingo and Haiti in May, 1921. He also received a letter of commendation from Secretary of War Davis for taking third place in annual machine gun and bombing matches at Langley Field, Va., in 1926.

He piloted a DT-4 plane, powered with a Wright T-3A engine in the Detroit News trophy race held at Mitchel Field on October 13 1925, in conjunction with the Pulitzer race of that year. He finished in second place with an average speed of 118.9 miles per hour, being just a fraction of a second behind the winner, Lieut. Harmon, U. S. A., whose speed was 119.9 miles per hour.

Gabaldon to Quit His House Seat

(Associated Press)

Announcement that Commissioner Isauro Gabaldon, of the Philippine Islands, will shortly resign from the House was made yesterday at the commissioner's Capitol office.

It was said that he proposed to return to the islands to accept the nomination from his district to the hous of the Philippine Legislature.

BLACKMER COUNSEL ASK OIL CONTEMPT CASE BE DISMISSED

Miller and Battle Tell Siddons Law Seizing $100,000 Is Unconstitutional.

COURT TAKES PLEAS UNDER ADVISEMENT

Pomerene Contends Congress Had Right to Enact Statute Under Fire.

(Associated Press.)

Turning to another of the cases growing out of the oil scandal, Justice Frederick L. Siddons in the District of Columbia Supreme Court took under advisement yesterday a motion to dismiss contempt proceedings against H. M. Blackmer, of Denver, missing witness in the Fall-Sinclair oil conspiracy trial.

Blackmer, summoned as a Government witness, refused to return from Europe and testify concerning the Liberty bond oil profits of the Continental Trading Co. The Government wanted his testimony in its effort to show that part of the bonds reached Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior after he had leased the Teapot Dome Naval Reserve to Sinclair.

Counsel Attacks Law.

The contempt proceedings were brought under a recently enacted law sponsored by Senator Walsh (Democrat), Montana, which would permit the court to declare forfeited as much as $100,000 of the property of any American citizen who refused to return from abroad to testify in a criminal prosecution.

Nathan L. Miller, former governor of New York, and George Gordon Battle, Blackmer's counsel, contended that the law was unconstitutional in that it violated the rights of their client as guaranteed under the fourth, fifth, sixth and eighth amendments to the Constitution.

Living Abroad Permanently.

They argued that the proceeding was a criminal prosecution and therefore the court was without jurisdiction until Blackmer was in custody of the court.

Blackmer, former chairman of the board of the Midwest Refining Co., was said by his counsel to have given up his Denver residence in 1924 and in 1926 had decided to live abroad permanently.

Atlee Pomerene, who, with Owen J. Roberts, comprised special Government counsel, argued that men prominent in the Continental deal had fled the country to keep from testifynig in the Fall-Sinclair case, and that Congress had ample authority to enact the statute. He maintained that whether Blackmer was a resident of this country was immaterial so long as he was a citizen.

A. J. Barnouw to Speak.

Prof. A. J. Barnouw, of Columbia University, will make an address this evening at 9 o'clock at Wardman Park Hotel, under the auspices of the Bureau of Commercial Economics. The Netherlands Minister, J. H. van Royen, will be the guest of honor, and moving pictures of the Netherlands and the Netherlands East Indies will be shown.

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2---$80 Cutaway Suits, 1---42, 1---38 Long, $35.00

$2.50 Madras Union Suits 85c
$2.50 "Arrow" Shirts, white broadcloth, neckband or attached collar $1.35
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STATE ORDERS QUIZ INTO BIRTH RECORD OF BOYER'S "HEIR"

Attorney General Wants to Place Responsibility for Fraudulent Entry.

HINTS ALSO AT PLOT AGAINST BOY'S RIGHTS

Mother May Avoid Deportation of Child by Paying Immigrant Tax.

Detroit, March 3 (A.P.).—The legal muddle over the name and heritage of a 4-year-old child, passed off as her son by Mrs. Myron L. Boyer, daughter-in-law of Joseph Boyer, an executive of the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., became further complicated today when State Attorney General Wilbur M. Brucker ordered a thorough investigation into the case.

Brucker said he desired to protect the State's records, and possibly place the responsibility, if it is found that fraud was committed in executing a birth certificate representing the child as the son of Myron L. Boyer.

Asks Federal Delay.

Harry M. Metcalf, assistant attorney general, has been ordered to urge Federal authorities here to take no final step toward deporting the child to Canada, its place of birth, until the State's investigation has been completed.

John L. Zurbrick, district director of immigration, who had announced he would call Mrs. Boyer and the child before a special board of inquiry Monday to determine whether the child would be deported, said today a hearing may not be necessary.

Zurbrick said he has asked Mrs. Boyer to appear at the immigration offices early next week for questioning with respect to the child's birth certificate and the manner of his entering the United States. He said she could avoid a hearing before the board by taking the child to the American Consul at Windsor and obtain for him a visa and pay a head tax. The child then could be legally admitted, he said.

Myron Boyer, who only recently learned the child was not his son but had only been represented as such by his wife, has filed suit against the State to expunge the boy's birth record from State records as his son.

Second State Inquiry.

Brucker said that before answering the petition the State would investigate the possibility of a conspiracy to deprive the child of an inheritance. Also he said, the possibility that Mrs. Boyer believed she legally adopted the child when she paid a physician, according to her statement $1,500 to take care of the adoption also will be investigated.

The child, who bears the name of Joseph Boyer, faces the loss of a $5,000,000 inheritance, set aside in a trust fund by the elder Joseph Boyer for his "grandson," as a result of his identity being disclosed.

Mrs. Boyer, who is living here with the child, has declared that if her adopted son is deported she will go with him. Admitting she faked his birth as her son, she declared that no law will separate her from him.

HEFLIN FEARS GERMS IN FIDDLE



Wide World

Beware the Greeks who come bearing gifts! That is exactly what Senator Heflin, of Alabama, is thinking about the man who sent him this violin. The Senator fears that it contains deadly germs and that the design is to have him play the fiddle and inhale the germs.

SHANGHAI ROBBERY IN AMERICAN STYLE

Bandits, Armed, Escape in Autos With Gold Bars Worth $50,000.

Shanghai, March 3 (A.P.).—Making their biggest haul in recent years, robbers last night raided a building in the international settlement and made off with about $50,000 in gold bars.

The robbery was stated to have been staged in what was termed "American style." Gunmen armed with automatic pistols held up the staff and forced the manager to open the safe. The contents were quickly transferred to waiting automobiles which sped away.

No arrests were made, but the robbery was followed by a series of rapid quick raids by police, wearing bullet-proof clothes, which had been made for them during the afternoon. They arrested a gang of 24 kidnapers, who are part of a larger band of terrorists. They also released a 7-year-old Chinese boy who was being held for a ransom of £30,000 ($150,000).

The authorities of the international settlement on Thursday considered conditions to be so peaceful that they canceled the state of emergency which has been in force for nearly a year, since the days of the Nationalist advance.

VENEZUELAN TROOPS HALT U. S. TOURISTS

Turned Back From Caracas, Consul Has Visitors Recalled to Ship.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—The story of how a visit to Venezuela was brought to an abrupt end by political disorders was related today by a party of 412 excursionists who returned from a 22-day cruise on the Megantic.

The tourists, largely members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, landed at La Guayra February 25, intending to go to Caracas, the capital, half of them in automobiles and the rest by rail. The automobile in which Charles Schwenker, Columbus, Ohio, real estate man, had started with his family was turned back by soldiers, who told them that because of the disorders they could not enter Caracas. Schwenker and the soldiers warned other automobilists. The train was not permitted to start.

On advice of the American Consul, the officers of the Megantic recalled all passengers to the ship which sailed for San Juan, Porto Rico. John K. Tener, former Governor of Pennsylvania, was a member of the party.

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POPE SAID TO WISH NO SUBJECTS UNDER RULE OF HOLY SEE

Unwilling to Burden Vatican With Government Needed for Small State.

ITALY WILLING TO MEET DESIRE IN CEDING LAND

Reported to Favor Removal of Railway Line and the Aurelia Road.

By SALVATORE CORTSEI
(Rome Correspondent of the Associated Press.)

Rome, March 3 (A.P.).—Pope Pius XI is reported to have said "the territory granted to the Holy See must be a state without subjects" in speaking of the possible solution of the "Roman question," for which negotiations, with evident good will on both sides, are in progress.

The Italian government, to comply with the pontiff's desire, is willing to displace the ancient Aurelia road and the railway line from Viterbo to Rome, both of which cross the territory to be ceded to the Holy See, making them pass outside it. This arrangement will suppress the present railway station of St. Peter. For the same purpose all the houses recently built on this territory would be expropriated.

No Temporal Burdens.

The wish of Pope Pius XI to have no subjects in his enlarged territory is prompted by the unwillingness of the Vatican to burden itself with the governmental machinery necessary even for a small temporal state, such as police, law courts, prisons, postal and telegraph service and banks. It seems difficult to reconcile this attitude of the Pope with the other desire attributed to him—that the residences of the 33 embassies and legations accredited to the Holy See, together with those of the cardinals of curia and, if not all, at least the most important of the congregations, should be on papal territory.

The cardinals of Curia are those living in Rome, about 25 in number, while the congregations correspond to the departments of a civil government. To carry out such a plan would involve the residence on pontifical ground of several thousand persons who would require several thousand more as servants, artisans, tradespeople, doctors and nurses. These would form a small city, requiring all the services of public utility, which is what the Pope wishes to avoid.

Vatican a Precedent.

As a solution of these difficulties it is pointed out that the Vatican, during the 58 years which have elapsed since the fall of the papal states, has contained a population varying from 100 to 300 persons, for whom it has not been necessary to establish a complicated bureaucratic organization of their own, with the exception of a small fire brigade, a first aid station and limited number of gendarmes taken from former carabineers of Italy, and employed only for urgent police duty.

Cardinal Bourne, Archbishop of Westminster, has stated that "the presence within the kingdom of Italy itself of the independent republic of San Marino, the existence of the sovereign principality of Monaco in the republic of France, and the free state of Andorra, surrounded on every side by the jurisdiction of other states, show how easily, with a little good will, the civil independence of the Holy See might be adequately secured without detracting in any way from the essential unity of the kingdom of Italy."

Marines at Shanghai Get Christmas Fund

Shanghai, March 3 (A.P.).—The 1,200 United States Marines stationed here as the American contribution to the international defense force are spending for souvenirs the sum of 1,275 Mexican dollars presented to them by foreign residents who do not belong to any of the "big five" group of nations.

The money is their share of a fund these residents raised for the soldiers of the American, British, French, Japanese and Italian forces in appreciation of the protection received from them. It was a Christmas fund, amounting in all to $12,000 Mexican (half that in American money), but distribution of it among the five contingents has only lately been completed.

10 Fishermen Lost With Ships in Ice

Riga, Latvia, March 3 (A.P.).—Four fishing boats are missing and ten fishermen are believed to have perished in ice floes off the Latvian coast south of Libau.

Tugs responding to distress calls from the fog-bound region today found six boats wedged in the floes, but four others disappeared.

MINE TO BE REOPENED TO END DEADLY FEUD

Peace Parley Decides Upon 30-Days Operations in Pittston Shaft, No. 6.

FOUR KILLED IN DISPUTE

Scranton, Pa., March 3 (A.P.).—Hope of an early ending of Pittston's mine union warfare, which has claimed four lives, was seen tonight, following a peace parley held here today by coal operators and union chiefs.

After a long conference in the offices of the Glen Alden Coal Co., at which Maj. W. W. Anglis, chairman of the Anthracite Conciliation Board, presided, it was announced that the Pennsylvania Coal Co. had agreed to reopen the No. 6 colliery at Pittston next week and permit the 700 miners to go back to their jobs.

The company, in agreement with the union leaders, is to keep the mine working for 30 days, during which time a committee of miners and company officials, together with district officers of the union, will endeavor to adjust the grievances that long have been pending at No. 6 and to make a thorough investigation into conditions.

If no agreement is reached in 30 days then the status of the case is to revert as of this date. The colliery will be reopened at the same rates and conditions that prevailed when it was shut down late in December.

Another development today in the Pittston mine union conflict was the arrest of Anthony Grifano, at his store in Garfield, N. J., on a murder charge on information lodged by Pennsylvania State police. Grifano is said to be wanted in connection with the shooting this week of Alexander Campbell and Peter Reilly. Police refused to discuss the arrest.

Peter Saudargas, alias Reilly, was buried today at Pittston. More than 500 miners marched in the funeral procession from the man's home in Inkerman to Pittston. State troopers were on guard but there were no disorders.

U. S. Flier Escapes In Crash Off Peru

Lima, Peru, March 3 (A.P.).—Grit and presence of mind probably saved the life of Lloyd Moore, an American aviator attached to the Peruvian navy.

Flying off Huarmey, the propeller of his plane burst in midair. Moore managed to land, but the pontoons were crushed by the impact. He was not injured and neither was his mechanic.

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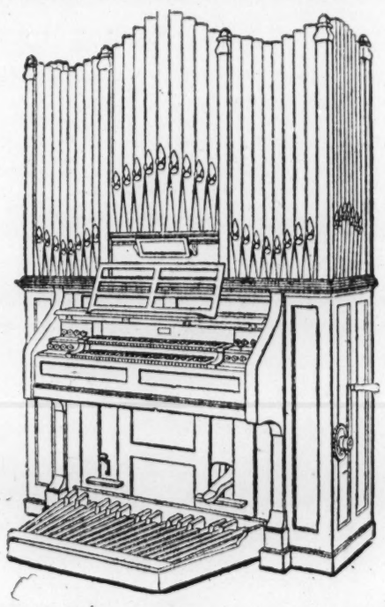
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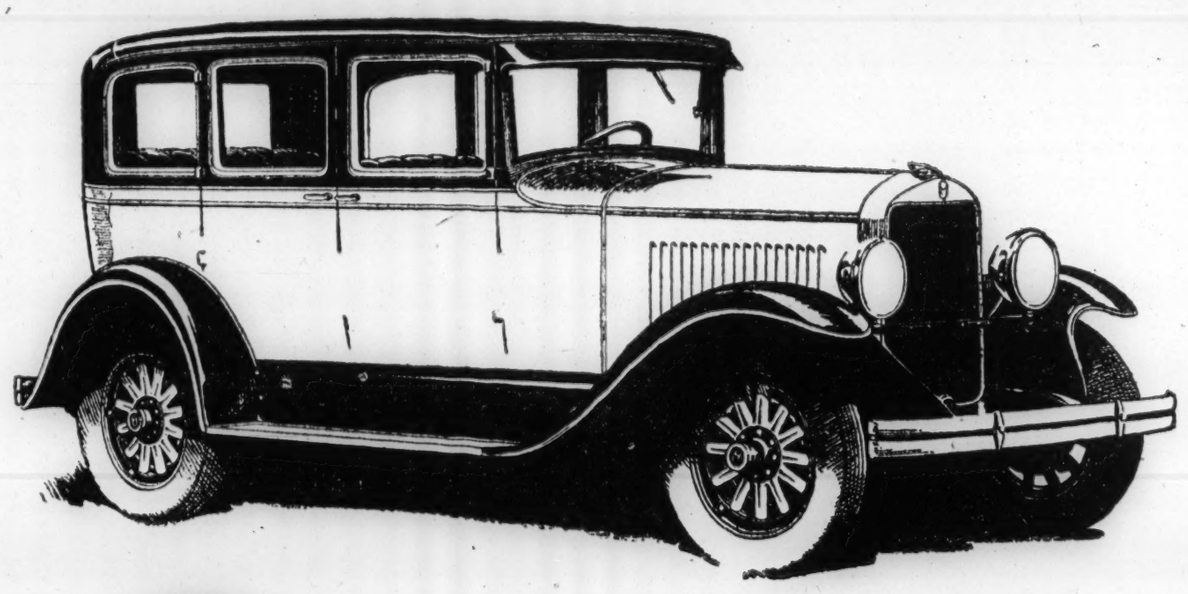
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MINIATURE AIRCRAFT TOURNAMENT OPENS WITH TEST FLIGHTS

Maj. Gen. Patrick Presides at Meeting of Enthusiasts at Central High School.

FIRST POINT WINNER IS HAROLD GREENFIELD

Post Model Contestants View Actual Plane Working at Capitol Airport.

Harold Greenfield is the first point winner in the miniature aircraft tournament being conducted under the auspices of the Community Center Department of the public schools. At the first meeting of the tournament, held last night at Central High School, Harold flew a flying top a distance of 26 feet 10 inches. Duke Hamilton was second and Conant Emmons third.

Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, U. S. A., retired, former head of the Army Air Service and active chairman of the committee in charge of the local miniature aircraft tournament, presided at last night's meeting. Miss Sybil Baker, director of the Community Center Department, who is secretary of the committee, opened the meeting and introduced Gen. Patrick, who made a short talk outlining the purposes of the tournament.

Allen Moulton, president of the Capital Model Aero Club, made a short talk on model planes and offered the assistance of the club to any boy wishing information on construction work. He also announced that any boy over the age of 14 is eligible for membership in the club.

Pa.. Garber Lectures.

The main talk of the evening was a lecture by Paul Edward Garber, curator of aeronautics at the Smithsonian Institution on "Model Aeronautics." Mr. Garber illustrated his lecture with slides and showed in an interesting manner the development of the flying idea from its first inception to date. He said that most of the planes attempted or built were constructed by men who first worked on model planes. He also illustrated the making of several planes.

Mr. Garber announced that the next meeting will be held on the Monument Grounds on St. Patrick's day, at which time there will be a kite-flying contest and other exhibitions. Materials for the kites can be obtained from the Capitol Model Aero Club.

The big thrill of the evening was offered by Lloyd Fish, the versatile youth who has already made an excellent record with model planes. Lloyd gave several exhibition flights with two models of the baby R. O. G. type, made from kits obtained from The Washington Post. The little planes flew in a circle, one of them circling the room three times before gliding to a stop.

Contestants Visit Airfield.

The Army Band, under the direction of Acting Leader Bingert, furnished excellent music before the meeting and during the several intermissions.

Members of the Airplane Model League of America, who have made baby R. O. G. planes from kits obtained from The Washington Post had a thrill yesterday when they were taken to the Capital Airport at the south end of the Highway Bridge yesterday morning as the guests of Manager Funkhauser of Capital Airways, Inc.

Mr. Funkhauser and Lieut. J. E. Boudwin showed the boys the fundamentals of flying, explaining each operation of the plane, and then Lieut. Boudwin, a World War Ace, took off for an exhibition flight, executing some difficult tricks within a small radius, where the boys could see perfectly.

Boys Cheer Aviator.

He appeared much embarrassed when, on landing, he was greeted with three hearty cheers from the boys in recognition of his efforts.

Getting back to last night's meeting, it was explained that it is not necessary to belong to any club or league to enter the D. C. Miniature Aircraft contest. At the same time the Contest Editor wishes to point out that the national events at Detroit, to which The Washington Post is giving three trips, are being held under the auspices of the Airplane Model League of America by the American Boy, and it is necessary for the winners of these trips to be members of the A. M. L. A. Membership is free. Simply sign the coupon on today's construction article page, inclose 2-cent stamp and membership card and button will be forwarded.

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POST MODEL PLANE CONTESTANTS STUDY REAL SHIPS



Hugh Miller, Post Staff Photographer.

Lieut. J. E. Boudwin, of the Capital Airport, explaining the mechanism of a real airplane to the boys who have built model airplanes in the contest sponsored by The Washington Post.

COSTES INJURES LEG WORKING OVER PLANE

French Fliers Are Unable to Thaw Out Aero, Stalled on Sharon Farms.

Sharon, Pa., March 3 (A.P.).—A frozen motor today prevented Dieudonne Costes and Joseph Lebrix, French airmen and conquerors of the air over four continents from continuing an interrupted flight from Mitchel Field, N. Y., to Detroit. The fliers, who were forced down in a snowstorm on a farm near here yesterday, worked several hours today carrying boiling water from a farmhouse to the Nungesser-Coli, but the engine would not function properly.

The aviators this afternoon returned to Sharon from the farm, some 3 miles distant, after Costes had received a minor injury while working about the plane. Costes and his companion returned later, however, and was little the worse for his hurts. He suffered strained ligaments in one leg when he stepped into a rut. Fearing they might not be successful in the attempt to place the motor in satisfactory running condition, the fliers wired the French Consul in New York asking that an expert mechanic be sent to aid them. Word was received that a man would be sent to aid, but it was unknown just when he would arrive.

Annulment Suit Dismissed.

The annulment suit filed by Mrs. Helen Carlysle Shaw, 441 I street northwest, against William F. Shaw, 927 M street northwest, was dismissed in Equity Court yesterday by Justice Hitz at the request of the plaintiff through her counsel, John M. Baker.

Unknown Civil War Dead to be Honored.

The Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will conduct memorial services at 3:30 this afternoon at the Tom of 2,111 Unknown Soldiers of that war in Arlington National Cemetery.

LINDBERGH IS HERE IN SEARCH OF REST

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why he was in Washington, or where he was going to stay."

Ignorance of his whereabouts was also professed by Capt. Emory Land, U. S. N., at whose home Lindbergh stopped on a previous trip to the Capital.

Col. Lindbergh arrived at Bolling Field from New York in the late afternoon, in a cabin monoplane. He brought four passenger, Harry H Knight, Maj William B Robertson, Harold M Bixby and B F Mahoney.

The flier remained at the controls of the plane until it had been wheeled safely into a hangar. Elaborate precautions evidently had been taken to preserve the secret of his destination, for an Army automobile was backed alongside of his ship with prearranged skill. Into this he clambered quickly and was as quickly whisked away.

One of his passengers in the flight from New York declared the care taken to hide his Washington destination was motivated by his desire to become "a private citizen." Each gave a different version when asked to explain the trip to Washington. One said he was "out for a little fun;" another that he was here on "business," and a third that the visit was a "personal" matter.

On arrival, Col. Lindbergh exchanged greetings with Lieut. Roy S. O'Neal, of Bolling Field. The flight from New York was described as "rocky" by the passengers, who said it took nearly three hours to make the trip.

Despite insistence of the Bolling Field staff that they had not been notified of Lindbergh's intention of flying to the Capital, a small group of persons were on hand when the plane taxied down the field.

Disappointed in his effort to get the autograph of the flier, 13-year-old Abe Mushinsky broke into tears when the Army automobile carried him away from the field. He had waited beside one door of Lindbergh's plane with his pen in readiness for the signature. Lindbergh chose the opposite door, and was gone before the boy could circle the ship.

Hearing in Fish Bill Fixing Veteran Rates

The House civil service committee will hold a hearing Wednesday on the Fish bill providing for a definite veterans' preference clause in the civil service law, Chairman Lehlbach, of New Jersey, announced yesterday. The hearing had been requested by Capt. Edwin S. Bettelheim, jr., chairman of the legislative committee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The Fish bill would require the Civil Service Commission to add ten points to whatever earned rating a disabled veteran gets on his examination and to add five points for other veterans.

Smallest Rembrandt.

Paris.—A small picture at a big price is a little canvas attributed to Rembrandt. It sold at auction for nearly $3,000. The picture is little larger than a postal card.

FLIERS, DOWN, PADDLE THROUGH WATER ON ICE

Escape of Two Canadians and Eskimo Related From Hudson Straits.

FIGHT DEATH TWO WEEKS

Ottawa, March 3 (A.P.).—The victory of three men over ice, cold and starvation was told today in the survival of two Canadian airmen and an Eskimo guide who cheated death after two weeks on ice floes of the north Atantic and the mountain wilderness of Labrador.

The harrowing tale of the survival of the trio was related in a message to the marine department from Squadron Leader T. A. Lawrence at Port Burwell, on Hudson Straits.

The long battle began when Pilot A. A. Lewis and Flight Sergt. N. C. Terry, with an Eskimo guide, were forced down on an ice floe 60 miles at sea in the north Atlantic, and ended when the trio staggered into Port Burwell on Hudson Straits.

Small ice pans used as rafts in the journey shoreward, the keen marksmanship of the Eskimo guide who provided raw meat for food, and the help of a native hunter over Labrador mountains brought the trio out of the north alive.

Coming down in thick weather and facing the intense cold of Arctic winter, the trio were lost two days at sea without bearings. They traveled eastward for one day before the weather cleared and they discovered they were heading away from land.

They turned about and using their small emergency raft until it was lost, began the journey toward land. After the raft was lost they paddled across open water between floes on small ice pans.

After consuming part of their emergency rations the fliers and their guide were forced to lighten their burdens by throwing the rest away, the raw meat of walrus, shot by the Eskimo guide, furnished food from then on.

They landed on the Labrador coast in the vicinity of Kamaktorvik, from where they made their way over 40 or 50 miles of rough, mountainous country to Port Burwell.

"When abandoned," the message said, "airplane was intact with exception of broken propeller and stiff legs on skiis caused by running into heavily rifted ice."

MISSING PLANE'S PARTS FOUND IN SEA OFF COAST

Coontz Reports Discovery by Searchers Near Cape Charles City, Va.

WIDE HUNT CONTINUES

Finding yesterday of a portion of the Navy plane missing since Monday morning at 2 o'clock, with Commander T. G. Ellyson, Lieut. Comdr. Hugo Schmidt and Lieut. Roger Ransehousen aboard, 4 miles south of Cape Charles City, and about 20 miles northeast of the naval air station at Hampton Roads, Va., will result in an intensified search of that locality from land, sea and air, in the hope of finding the remainder of the plane and bodies of the airmen, the Navy Department announced yesterday.

Rear Admiral Robert E. Coontz, commandant, Fifth naval district, directing the search, informed the department of the finding of the starboard horizontal stabilizer and rudder of the plane.

In accord with the plan of concentration, the Coast Guard cutter Apache was assigned yesterday to complete all unfinished work and search Mobjack Bay also. Planes from the naval air station at Lakehurst, N. J., searched the west side of Chesapeake Bay between Annapolis and Baltimore.

Marine planes from Brown Field, Va., secured the land area 10 miles inland and the west side of the bay between the Potomac and Patuxent rivers. The planes from the naval air station at Anacostia, D. C. combed the peninsula between the Patuxent River and the bay up to Holland Point. The Army blimps from Langley Field, Va., covered the area 10 miles inland between the Potomac and Great Wicomico rivers.

Sergt. Savage of the Marine fliers, engaged in the search, had a forced landing at Waldorf, Md., yesterday, but neither he nor his plane was injured.

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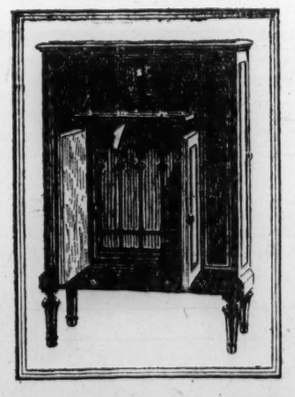
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36-inch Imported Broadcloth, a yarn-mercerized, permanent finish quality in white, black and all wanted colors.

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39-inch Rayon Sport Satin, a satin face rayon quality, in white, black and a large range of wanted colors.

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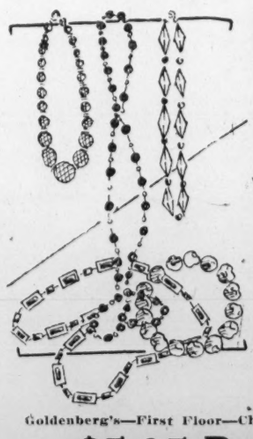
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SMITHSONIAN MEETS DEMANDS OF WRIGHT IN AIRPLANE DISPUTE

Secretary Abbot Offers to Remove Label on Old Langley Machine.

FALSE, WAS CHARGE BY FAMED AVIATOR

Kitty Hawk Aero, Now on Way to British Museum, Coming Back if Wright Accepts.

(Associated Press.)

An offer, with a view to bringing the original plane of the Wright brothers, which was flown at Kitty Hawk, N. C., to the Smithsonian Institution was made yesterday to Orville Wright by C. G. Abbot, secretary of the institution. Mr. Wright recently announced he had sent the machine to the British National Museum.

Reviewing in part the controversy that has arisen over the subject, Mr. Abbot made his offer in the following statement:

"Elected in January to be secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, I inherited a knotty problem, for February brought me face to face with the Wright controversy. On February 13 I wrote to Mr. Orville Wright: 'It would be a matter of great gratification to me and to all our countrymen if now or even at a later time, you should see your way to depositing it (the Kitty Hawk machine) here.'"

"On his part Mr. Wright has said that both he and his late brother wished to deposit the plane in the United States National Museum, but that it is now sent 'to the British National Museum because of the hostile and unfair attitude shown toward us by the officials of the Smithsonian Institution.' It is stated that the plane is still subject to recall. Since both Mr. Wright and the Smithsonian desire it, there remains only to come to just terms.

Public Vitally Interested.

"The people of the United States, who support the National Museum, are vitally interested. They ardently desire that an object of such pride to all Americans as the Wright machine of 1903 should join the national walhalla of aeronautics where rest so many planes that have made aviation history.

"I will not again present from the other point of view questions recently raised by Mr. Orville Wright and his friends, for fixed opinions would remain unchanged. Braving warnings that whatever I now say will be misconstrued, I ask a fair hearing for the following offer:

"To make understood what I now propose, I must explain that the Langley machine of 1903 is now on exhibition in the National Museum, with a label attached which was prepared in 1925, according to the advice of a committee.

"Two gentlemen from outside the Smithsonian, namely, Dr. Joseph S. Ames, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, and Admiral David W. Taylor, United States Navy, who are now chairman and vice chairman, respectively, of the United States National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics (of which Mr. Orville Wright is also a member) formed the committee.

Committee Label Quoted.

"At the late Secretary Walcott's request, they examined the records of the Langley machine, including much unpublished correspondence; took testimony of experts, and presented a report, which was given to the press on June 9, 1925. The label as revised to accord therewith now stands as follows:

"'The original Langley flying machine of 1903, restored.

"'In the opinion of many competent to judge, this was the first heavier-than-air craft in the history of the world capable of sustained free flight under its own power, carrying a man.

"'This aircraft slightly antedated the machine designed and built by Wilbur and Orville Wright, which, on December 17, 1903, was the first in the history of the world to accomplish sustained free flight under its own power, carrying a man.'

("There follows in small type accounts of the investigations of Langley and of his machines, too long to quote here.)

"I believe that label to be just, as do my colleagues, and can not think anybody would wish us to recant falsely. For the sake of the public, I make the following offer.

"If Mr. Wright will openly state in a friendly way that he appreciates that the Smithsonian Institution honestly believed that the Langley machine of 1903 was capable of sustained free flight under its own power, carrying a man, and that it now removes that public statement, not in confession of error, but in a gesture of goodwill for the honor of America; then I am willing to let Langley's fame stand on its merits, and to reduce the Langley label to this simple statement: 'Langley aerodrome—the original Langley flying machine of 1903, restored.'

"I will do this, of course, provided Mr. Wright will deposit the Kitty Hawk machine in the National Museum, where it has always been wanted, where it will have the place of honor due it, where the label will state that it was the first heavier-than-air craft in the history of the world to accomplish sustained free flight under its own power, carrying a man, and where it will be preserved inviolate to the Wrights' perpetual honor."

PRINCIPALS IN MARRIAGE DEBATE



Judge Ben B. Lindsey (left), proponent of companionate marriage, and Rabbi Abram Simon, of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, who will oppose the judge in a debate Thursday night at Washington Auditorium.

CHURCH DIVORCE VIEW ASSAILED BY LINDSEY

With Ban on Birth Control Leads to Irregular Unions, Judge Says.

Church bigotry on divorce and birth control "is doing more to promote irregular unions than it is to keep people living together after they are married," Judge Ben B. Lindsey declared yesterday at a luncheon at the National Press Club. He was in Washington arranging for his debate Thursday with Rabbi Abram Simon on "Shall Companionate Marriage Be Legalized."

Judge Lindsey asserted that companionate marriage is simply "the old-fashioned institution of marriage brought up to date, only sanctioning practices now clandestinely carried on."

"The two practices," he said, "which primarily make most marriages by ministers companionate marriages are birth control and divorce by mutual consent. I challenge any clergyman to deny that most modern intelligent couples married by them practice birth control. And at least 75 per cent of couples who are divorced get that divorce by mutual consent."

Jugoslavia Honors U. S. Cavalry Officer

Secretary of War Davis was informed yesterday by Secretary of State Kellogg that the medal and Order of the White Eagle, third class, has been conferred on Lieut. Col. William F. H. Godson, cavalry, by the Jugoslavian government.

Lieut. Col. Godson was relieved recently as Military Attache to Jugoslavia and Greece and is at present on leave and en route to this country. The State Department will retain custody of the awards until Lieut. Col. Godson is authorized to accept them.

Open Forum Speaker.

Paul Lesh, an attorney, will address the Washington Open Forum at the Playhouse, 1814 N street northwest, at 3 o'clock today. Charles W. Pafflow, president of the organization, will also speak.

Senators to Start City Bill Hearings

The District subcommittee of the Senate appropriations committee will begin hearings on the District appropriation bill tomorrow morning. The first to be called will be Commissioners Dougherty, Taliaferro and Ladue.

Senator Phipps (Republican), of Colorado, is chairman of the subcommittee. Other members are Jones (Republican), of Washington; Bingham (Republican), of Connecticut; Oddie (Republican), of Nevada; Nye (Republican), of North Dakota; Glass (Democrat), of Virginia; Kendrick (Democrat), of Wyoming; Copeland (Democrat), of New York, and Bratton (Democrat), of New Mexico.

Bankruptcy Petition Filed.

Baldwin A. Hopkins, a salesman, 445 Decatur street northwest, filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy yesterday in Bankruptcy Court. He listed his debts at $9,492 and his assets at $200. Most of the indebtedness is represented by judgments rendered in the Municipal Court for small amounts. Hopkins appeared as his own attorney.

ADVENTISTS SHOW GAIN IN NUMBERS

Increase by Churches for Ten Years Put at 435; Property Worth 6,998,988.

Seventh Day Adventists of the District of Columbia gained 435 in their church membership during the 10-year period from 1916 to 1926, according to statistics released by the Department of Commerce yesterday. During the same time, however, the number of churches of that denomination in Washington decreased from six to four.

In 1926 the Seventh Day Adventist Churches in the District of Columbia reported a membership of 1,441, as compared with 1,006 in 1916. The value of the four church edifices in 1926 was placed at $211,000, and their total expenditures for the year was reported as $128,581.

For the country as a whole, there were 1,981 churches of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination in 1926, with 110,998 members, as compared with 2,011 churches and 79,355 members reported in 1916. The total expenditures for 1926, as reported by 1,849 churches, amounted to $6,998,988, as compared with $1,887,772 reported by 1,737 churches in 1916.

Dean W. A. Wilbur Will Give Lecture

The ninth of a series of ten lectures known as the ten-event course will be held in the chapel of Georgetown Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Dean William Allen Wilbur, of George Washington University, will be the speaker.

His subject will be "The Poet," as announced by Mrs. Wallace Radcliffe, under whose direction the lecture series is held. The last of the series will be on March 19, it was announced.

Reviver of Delphi Rites to Talk Here

Mrs. Eva Sikelianos, organizer of the revival of the ancient Delphic Festival at Delphi, Greece, in the spring of 1927 will speak under the auspices of the Greece America Society at the Washington Club, Seventeenth and K streets northwest, Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Sikelianos is the daughter of the late Courtlandt Palmer of New York, founder of the Nineteenth Century Club. She has spent twenty years in Greece, doing research work and studying the ancient Greek drama.

Britten Will Speak On Navy and Peace

Representative Fred A. Britten, of Illinois, will address a meeting of the Columbian Women Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at Corcoran Hall. He will speak on "The Relation of the American Navy to World Peace," in which he will trace the history of the peace movement as it has been influenced by the United States, and will endeavor to show that preparedness is not antagonistic to the principles of world peace.

The Columbian Women is composed of the alumnae and wives of the faculty of George Washington University. Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, president of the organization, will preside.

Pastor Will Mark 22d Anniversary

The twenty-second anniversary of the ministry of the Rev. John Weidley at the Reformation Lutheran Church, Pennsylvania avenue and Second street southeast, will be observed at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Rev. L. M. Zimmerman, D. D., will preach the anniversary sermon. His subject will be "The Call of the Cross."

8 CONDUIT REPAIR BIDS ARE RECEIVED

4 Miles of Lining to Be Reinforced, Closing Water Tunnel for 45 Days.

Receipt of eight bids for repair of the old Washington City water supply tunnel was announced yesterday by the United States Engineer's Office, where the bid of the Warren F. Brenizer Co., local firm, of $33.50 per square foot for concrete work, and $400 for lining shaft was reported the lowest.

The repair work for the tunnel running from Georgetown to McMillan Park reservoirs, a distance of 4 miles, will consist of placement of concrete struts to support weakened brick lining in a section 1,837 feet long, running 208 feet east of Thirty-fifth street and 1,629 feet west.

The tunnel will be out of use during the repair period, 45 days. It carries the District water supply between the two reservoirs and at the present time supplies gravity service for lower parts of the city, having served the entire city before the new supply plant was placed in commission. The McMillan Park filtration plant also will be out of service during the repair of the tunnel and filtration will be carried on by the Dalecarlia plant during this time.

DEWEY AND COMPANY TO ERECT MEN'S CLUB

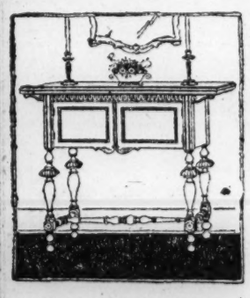
Structure to Cost 80,000 Will Be Built on 14th Street Northwest.

Dewey & Co. have filed an application for a building permit for a men's club to be located at 2825 Fourteenth street northwest, near Columbia road, similar to the Racquet Club. Estimated cost of the proposed structure is placed at $80,000.

The site has been leased to the Dewey concern by the Queensberry Club of Washington for a period of ten years, it was announced by James Dewey, president of the corporation owning the property, and resident agent of the club.

Plans by George T. Sanymyers, architect, call for the upper four floors to be devoted to lounge, hotel and card rooms and gymnasium for the use of members of the Queensbury Club and their guests, while other features of the structure are to be for public use.

A lobby will be located on the first floor as well as a coffee shop and kitchen, while on the mezzanine will be a "bandbox" room for dinner and teas. In the basement will be a swimming pool and barber shop.



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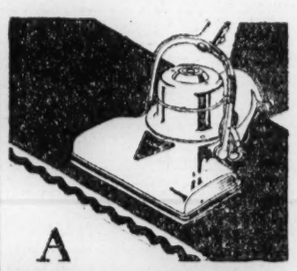
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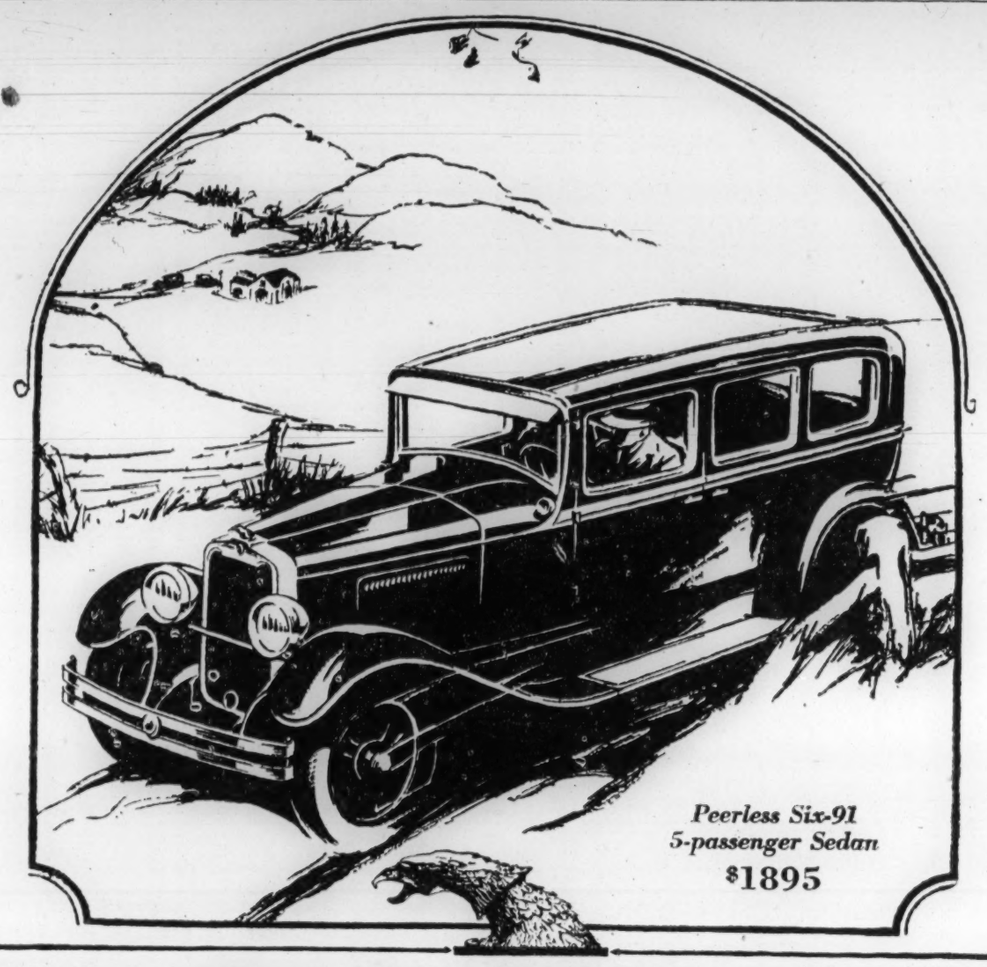
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BORAH SPEAKS AT IDAHO BANQUET ON SATURDAY

Home-Grown Products to Be Served at Feast Observing Territorial Day.

PROGRAM IS ARRANGED

Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, will be the principal speaker at the annual Idaho Territorial day banquet, which will be held Saturday night at Meridian Mansions, 2400 Sixteenth street northwest, by the Idaho Society of the District.

George D. Casto, chief examiner for the alien property custodian, will preside as toastmaster, and brief addresses will be made by Wallace McBride, president of the society; Senator Frank R. Gooding and Representatives Addison T. Smith and Burton L. French, all of Idaho. On the entertainment program is Mrs. Lucile Earl, soloist.

In the receiving line at a reception preceding the banquet will be Senator and Mrs. Borah, Senator and Mrs Gooding, Representative and Mrs Smith, Representative and Mrs. French, former Gov. and Mrs. D. W. Davis, former Senator and Mrs. Fred T. Dubois, former Senator and Mrs John F. Nugent, Dr. Edgar B. Brossard, United States Tariff Commissioner, and Mrs. Brossard, and Earl Venable, secretary of the Republican national congressional committee, and Mrs. Venable.

As a feature of the feast, home-grown Idaho apples and potatoes will be served. The following officers and members of the executive committee of the society are in charge of the program: Wallace McBride, Cora Rubin, George B. Haddock, Ezra P. Monson, Sidney G. Reid, Newel G. Daines, G. Osmond Hyde, Mrs. Kate E. Venable, Mrs. Florence J. Ormond, Fred U. Brossard and Earl J. Soelberg.

Department Rules On War Decoration

Award by the United Daughters of the Confederacy of the cross of military service to soldiers who served in the World War and who are sons of Confederate veterans resulted in an inquiry at the War Department as to whether the decoration may be worn on the Army uniform.

Secretary of War Davis replied yesterday, that while badges of military societies commemorative of the wars of the United States may be worn on the uniform, they can not be worn with official decorations, service medals or substitutes therefor, except at meetings, ceremonies or functions of such societies.

Parks Director Gets White House Table

The old table of the White House state dining room, used during President Arthur's term is now in the office of Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant 3d, director, office of Public Buildings and Public Parks.

The table is of black walnut, carved with national shields and flags, its legs terminating in bird claws and ball feet. It was so large that it had to be cut in half before it could be moved into Lieut. Col. Grant's office.

Author Will Review Many Current Plays

Mrs. Frederic E. Farrington, well known author, will speak at the Public Library Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, on the significant plays of the current theatrical season.

Among the plays to be reviewed by Mrs. Farrington are "Caponsacchi," "Escape," "Marco Millions," "Strange Interlude," "Porgy," "And So to Bed," and "Dr. Knock." Mrs. Farrington will also speak on several of the revivals, produced in a new manner, which have found favor in New York this year.

Fultz Bible Class Has 300 at Dinner

More than 200 members of the Fultz Bible Class of the United Brethren Church and their friends attended the annual dinner and entertainment of the organization held Friday evening. A turkey dinner was served by the churchwomen.

Following the dinner a minstrel show was held, and a large collection was made for the benefit of the Quincy Orphanage.

Cosmopolitan Club To Discuss Voyage

Plans for a river excursion to Norfolk, Va., will be discussed at a special meeting of the Cosmopolitan Club to be held March 15, it was announced at a luncheon of the organization held at the Carlton Hotel yesterday. Booster prizes were awarded to Dr. Albert Smith and Dr. J. Rozier Biggs at the meeting.

The committee appointed to gather information regarding the proposed trip is composed of Paul Davis, Emory Gaither and William King. They will report at the next meeting.

WRC Station Host To Advertising Club

Members of the Washington Advertising Club will be guests of the National Broadcasting Co. an radio station WRC at a luncheon to be held at the National Press Club at 12:30 tomorrow.

Frank A. Arnold, director of development of the broadcasting company, will be the principal speaker at the luncheon which will be followed by an inspection of the studios of the radio station.

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—The material is a beautiful flat crepe in the new Patou blue. A plain blouse with a pleated skirt. The novel cape is buttoned to the sleeves, and is detachable, a gilt metal ornament relieves the plainness of the front and a gilded metal belt outlines the waist.

—Other popular new models are equally as attractive as the one illustrated, and each model possesses some charming feature of its own that adds new luster to the fame of Meri-Kans.

The new colors are Parma Violet, Japanese Green, Patou Blue, Castillian Red, Beige, Navy and Black.

—Misses' Sizes, 14 to 20.
—Women's Sizes, 36 to 46.

A Feature of Our Spring Silk Week

Heavy Washable Flat Crepe

Black, White, Pink, Orchid, Cafe Creme, Lucerne Blue, Brittany Blue, Pilot Blue, Chin Chin Blue, Coral, Golden Corn, Crane Gray

Regular $2.00 Quality

$1.49 Yd.

Goya Red, Garland Green, Peach, Flesh, Mother Goose, Turquoise, Sea Pink, Old Rose, Rose Beige, Marie Antoinette, Grasshopper, Navy

—Washable flat crepe is a beautifully soft-finished crepe, in black, white and colors, 39 inches wide and an appropriate weight for daytime, afternoon and evening dresses, also for lingerie and costume slips.

$2 Printed Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe at—

—Gorgeous array of these materials in more than 100 printed designs, and new Spring colors. 39 in. wide. **$1.69 Yd.**

$4.00 Black Satin de Luxe

—A fine quality firmly woven, 40 inches wide, and particularly fashionable for Spring coats. **$2.95 Yd.**

$2 All-Silk White Tub Broadcloth

—Heavy tub broadcloth for making men's shirts and women's costume slips. White only. **$1.50 Yd.**

$1.95 Printed Satin Radient (rayon)

—39 inches wide and shown in three different rose patterns on light and dark grounds. A lovely material for slips and kimonos. **$1.29 Yd.**

Kann's—Street Floor.

New Wool Tweeds

$1.39 Yd.

—In new Spring weaves and in tan, gray and green mixtures for new Spring dresses and suits; 54 inches wide.

54-In. Coating and Suiting Tweeds

—These are of excellent weight in brown, tan, gray and oxford, splendid quality. A yd. **$1.98**

54-In. Featherweight Ensemble Tweeds

—Also tweeds in plaid and heather mixtures, for ensembles and coats, for, yard, **$3.50**

40-In. Rayon Sports Satin Lining

—In black, white, and thirty colors, a special value at, yard, **75c**

Kann's—Street Floor.



Smart New

Spring Hats At $5

—So great is the variety in this collection that almost any one can find a dozen hats to please, and each one different. There are crochet straws, cellophaine combined with hemp braid, satin combined with crochet straw, combinations of felt and Milan braid, and Railroad braid combined with satin. Trimmings are pins, ribbons, flowers, etc., and among the new colors are—

Monkey Almond, Rose Glow, Gooseberry, Sand, Orchid, Wood, Atmosphere, Kasha, Lucerne Blue, Castilian Red, Black, etc.

Kann's—Second Floor.



New! Shoulder and Wrist

Triangle Sets $2.50 Set

—In sports scarfs it is the latest fad to have matching triangles, one knotted about the shoulder, and the other on the wrist. They are made of beautiful hand decorated crepe de chine, in new designs and colors.

Crystal and Mirror Buckles and Buttons

To Trim Spring Frocks

Buckles and Slides at 39c to $1.59

—These crystal and mirror buckles and slides are in various designs, and in white and colors.

Buttons at 19c to $1.20 Doz.

—Crystal and Mirror effects in white and colors, in ball, half ball, oval, square and round shapes, some set with rhinestones; various sizes.

Kann's—Street Floor.

An Unusual Purchase

Hand Tailored Suits

Regular $35.00 Values

$24.75



—One of these smart models is illustrated. The materials are fine mannish suitings and tweeds, in all the new Spring colorings, with 7-8 and full length coats. They are excellently cut, and beautifully hand tailored. The coat linings are of crepe de chine.

—Sizes 16 to 44 in the assortment.

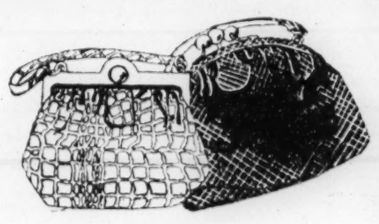
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Modernistic Jewelry At $1.00

—Striking new jewelry, and very modernistic in design, all are reproductions of the highest quality new Modernistic jewelry. There are necklaces, earrings, bracelets, hat ornaments, etc. Very novel in design, in plain and imitation jewel set effects.

Kann's—Street Floor.



High Grade Handbags $3.49 Ea.

Reg. $5 and $7.50 Kinds

—From the standpoint of style and quality these bags will satisfy the most fastidious taste. New clasps, new frames, new colors stamp them as distinctly this Spring's, and the leathers include shoe calf, calf alligator, calf lizard, antelope, suede, etc. Many of them are imported bags. There are a few silk bags in the assortment.

Kann's—Street Floor

Lace Yokes

89c to $1.89 Values

69c Ea.

—These yokes are very much in demand for dresses and lingerie purposes and are in "V," round, square and bodice top shapes, in cream and ecru shades and applique and Bretonne types.

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Cire Laces

—These are the very latest of laces for blouses and the entire dress. Colored cire finish Spanish laces, in small patterns, and very lustrous, soft draping qualities. The colors are Queen and Royal blue, cocoa, apple green, violet and red.

—36 in. All-Over Lace at $3.50 Yd.

27-Inch Flouncings, $2.75 and $3 Yd.

Kann's—Street Floor.



Jabot Scarfs $2.25 Ea.

—These also are very new, in a printed block design, joined triangles that form neckerchief and jabot.

Kann's Street Floor.

Crystal "Trees"

For Table Decoration

$4.98



—As sparkling as a real tree that is coated with ice. They have glass stand and silver thread wound stems, with foliage and flowers of green or red glass, combined with crystal glass.

Kann's—Third Floor.

Kann's "Leading" **Corselette**



Specially Priced at **$4**

—This splendidly fitting corselette is an exclusive model with Kann's in this city. It is designed for the medium to the full figure, has a reinforced abdominal belt, boned back and six hose supporters. The material is a rich brocade, the side gores are of hand-woven elastic, the brassiere top of silk Swami, with two-toned ribbon straps.

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Kann's—Second Floor.

500 Boxes of Fine Grade

Writing Paper 50c Box

—This paper is in the very latest tints, with fancy lined envelopes; fancy and linen finishes. Each box contains 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes. Every box in the sale is worth at least $1.00.

Kann's—Street Floor

Sale! Self-Filling

Fountain Pens 79c Ea.

—This special assortment offers the large Jumbo pen in red, black and mottled effects, also metal pens with ring and clip. Each is fully guaranteed, with the 14-karat iridum pen point. Desirable for the school girl or boy, also for office use.

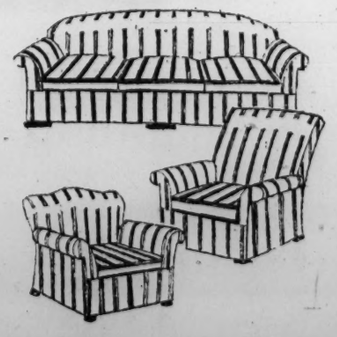
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To be made in one size Only for average suites,

$15.98 Set

Delivery in Three Weeks



—The material is a genuine Belgian linen, and you may select the material from seven attractive striped designs. The sets are all in one size—a size that will fit any average suite. We make this special offer to encourage you in having your slip covers made now before our workroom is overcrowded with orders.

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Your looks and your health suffer, too

Foot Comfort Expert

from New York will be here March 5th to 10th

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Free Demonstration



Avoid foot trouble as you would any other disease. It has a bad influence on your health, steals your vitality and makes you old-looking all too soon.

Visit our store on the above date and get the benefit of the skill and experience of a Foot Comfort Expert from Dr. Wm. M. Scholl's personal staff.

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Kann's—Fourth Floor.

HEARING ON ZIHLMAN FISCAL INQUIRY BILL IS LIKELY THIS WEEK

Author Has Asked Beers, of Pennsylvania, to Conduct Sessions.

MARYLANDER WANTS 60-40 PLAN REVIVED

Says Commission Measure Provided Would Evolve Just Finance Program.

Hearings on the Zihlman bill to create a commission to study the fiscal situation in the District probably will begin this week The author of the bill, Representative Zihlman, of Maryland, said yesterday he had asked Representative Beers, of Pennsylvania, to conduct the hearings. Beers is chairman of the subcommittee on fiscal relations of the House District committee.

Representative Zihlman, who is chairman of the House District committee, is convinced that the system whereby the Federal Government contributes an annual lump sum of $9,000,000 toward the District's expenses should be abandoned and that the plan whereby the District paid 60 per cent and the Federal Government paid 40 per cent should be revived.

Backs 60-40 Plan.

In any event he believes a fair fiscal plan would be formulated by the commission which his bill would create

"Congress should return to the 60-40 plan of fiscal relationship, which is the substantive law upon this subject," Zihlman said yesterday. "For more than a half century Congress recognized that this was essentially a Federal City established by act of Congress, over which the Federal Government is for all time given exclusive jurisdiction by the Constitution of the United States.

"Taxes and tax rates must be measured by the ability of the taxpayer to pay. Of the 75,000 owners of real estate in the District of Columbia, a large percentage are Government clerks—if not Government clerks then the business and professional men who serve them. To put an undue burden of taxation upon them means that the Government must increase their meager salaries or provide the means wherewith to pay.

Would Give Representation.

Those in authority in the District of Columbia have outlined comprehensive plans for city development. Many of these projects are largely of a Federal nature. Should the people of the District of Columbia be taxed for purely governmental projects is the question Congress should consider.

"If a plan is considered, representatives of the citizens of the District should be given a hearing and a voice, as they are now paying 75 per cent of the expenses of municipal government. The plan proposed by me is to give representation to both branches of Congress and to the citizens of the District. There has been some objection to the form of the commission proposed, but I am not wedded to any particular plan. What I am after is results."

Maj. Butler Named Sigma Nu Phi Head

Maj. Jarvis Butler, of the Sigma Nu Phi Fraternity of this city, yesterday was elected president of the new Professional Interfraternity Conference, following temporary organization of the body at the Hamilton Hotel. The constitution adopted yesterday will be submitted to the 30 member fraternities before the organization meets for final incorporation in New York November 30.

Officers elected yesterday included Dr. Ralph W. Elliott, Phi Rho Sigma Fraternity, of Cleveland, vice president; Dr. Stroud Jordan, Alpha Chi Sigma Fraternity, of Brooklyn, secretary-treasurer, and Dwight P. Ely, Alpha Rho Chi, of Columbus, and H. G Wright Delta Sigma Pi, of Chicago, members of the executive committee. The officers represent law, medical, chemical, engineering and commercial fraternal groups.

Shade Tree Experts To Meet in Capital

The fourth annual Shade Tree Conference will be held in Washington on March 22 and 23, according to an announcement by the Department of Agriculture. The conference will be attended by State foresters, representatives of the District office of Trees and Parkings, Public Buildings and Public Parks, American Forestry Association, scientists of the Department of Agriculture, and others interested in trees.

During the conference the delegates will be taken on a tour designed to show the exceptionally effective use of shade trees in Washington, and the large number of rare trees and fine specimens of native trees in this city Visits will be made to Arlington and Mt. Vernon.

Brand's Nine Words Puzzle All Friends

Col. Harrison Brand, jr., member of the Public Utilities Commission, carries in his pocket a list of nine words which he offers to friends to be spelled He says he has not yet found any person who can spell more than six of them. Here are the words:

Repellent, rarefy, vilify, innuendo supersede, harass, embarrass, plaguy and accommodate.

Padlock Injunction Issued.

A final injunction of the so-called "padlock" variety, was issued yesterday by Justice Hitz in Equity Court against Louis Gritz at premises 534 Eighth street southeast, who had been charged with violating the prohibition law. Gritz will be allowed to remain in possession and make use of these premises for lawful purposes, provided he furnishes a bond of $500. Assistant District Attorney Harold W. Orcutt appeared for the Government in this case.

$10,000 Asked in Suit.

Donato Matarasse, administrator of the estate of Carmine Matarasse, deceased, filed suit yesterday in Circuit Court against C. Matthews Dick, 1411 H street northwest, to recover $10,000 damages Through Attorneys Sleman & Rosenfeld it is alleged that the death of Carmine Matarasse resulted from a collision between an automobile in which he was riding and another machine driven by the defendant near West Grove, Pa., on July 1, 1927.

Gold Star Mothers to Meet.

The District Gold Star Mothers Chapter of American War Mothers will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Hamilton Hotel. All interested war mothers are invited to attend.

DICKENS READER



FRANK SPEAIGHT.

'DICKENS NIGHT' PLAN OF WELLESLEY CLUB

Speaight to Present Sketches at Memorial Hall on March 16.

The Washington Wellesley Club will give a "Dickens' night" at the Memorial Continental Hall March 16, it was announced yesterday. Frank Speaight, English character actor, will give several of the Dickens' interpreations which have gained him international fame.

Among the sketches which Mr. Speight will present are "Boots at the Holly Tree Inn," "Bob Sawyer's Party," "Grandfather Smallweed," and "The Pickwickians at Bath." The interpretations will be given with virtually no stage accessories and without the aid of make-up, Mr. Speaight depending solely on voice control and facial expression.

All of the proceeds from the entertainment will be placed in the Marion K. Brookings Wellesley Scholarship Fund, out of which is provided annually a sufficient sum to enable a Washington girl of limited financial resources to attend Wellesley.

THREE ALIENS SUE TO ENTER COUNTRY

Secretary Kellogg Requested to Show Why They Should Not Be Admitted.

Three suits for mandamus, raising two questions of law, were filed yesterday in the District Supreme Court by Harvey L. Cobb in behalf of three foreigners seeking admission into the United States.

Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg is required to show cause in two of the suits why the State Department refuses to act upon the applications. One involves the right of a German subject Edward Schmidt, now in Niagara Falls, Ontario, to have his visa number transferred from Cologne to Niagara Falls, thus permitting him to enter this country from Canada rather than go back to Germany.

In the second suit Secretary Kellogg is required to show cause why Ernest Kahn, also a German citizen, who is now in this country employed by the banking firm of L. F. Rothschild, should not be permitted to technically enter the United States under the immigration quota, despite the fact that he is already in the country on a visitor's visa.

The third suit involves the right of an American wife, Mrs. Marion K. Kuhn, to have her husband, a Polish subject, admitted under the preferred quota law.

HOWARD WILL FIGHT SUNDAY CLOSING BILL

Never Been to Sabbath Baseball, but Would Have Neighbor Go, if He Likes It.

Representative Edgar Howard, Democrat from Nebraska, has never attended a baseball game here on Sunday, but he is ready to fight if anybody attempts to stop his neighbor from attending one on that day.

This is one of the statements which Howard makes in a form letter sent out by him in reply to letters protesting against the Lankford Sunday closing bill. So far Howard has received 2,000 protests against the bill

"I could not support such a bill," his letter says. "My Quaker mother taught me that I must accord to all persons the right to worship God in their own way, and not try to compel them by law to worship in my own way.

"I am a great lover of sports, yet I never attend a baseball game on Sunday. But I will fight to give my neighbor a chance to see a game on that particular day if he shall so desire."

Wife Charges Golf Won Mate From Her

Mrs. Florence D. LaCovey, 1820 Ingleside terrace northwest, who says that her husband, August J. LaCovey, employe of the Department of the Interior, has neglected her for his game of golf, filed suit in Equity Court yesterday for a limited divorce.

They were married June 23, 1923, and have one child. Through Attorney John W Wood, the plaintiff also charges cruelty.

RED CROSS TO START CAMPAIGN FOR NURSES

Jane A. Delano Recruiting Week Will Include Rally at Central High School.

PRIZES FOR BEST ESSAY

Jane A. Delano Recruiting Week, dedicated to enrolling graduate nurses in the Red Cross nursing service, and to directing the attention of high school and college girls to the wide possibilities of service in the nursing profession, will open tomorrow under the auspices of the American Red Cross Nursing Service.

An award of honor, in the form of a badge, will be given to the Washington nursing school which enrolls the greatest number of its senior students in the Red Cross nursing service, and the presentation will be made at a nurses rally to be held in Central High School auditorium on March 12 in commemoration of the birthday anniversary of Jane A Delano, wartime head of the Red Cross nurses.

John Barton Payne, chairman of the central committee, American Red Cross will preside at the rally and the principal address will be made by Maj Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff of the United States Army.

Music will be furnished by the Army Band, and the invocation and benediction will be given by the Rev P. M Rhinelander and Mgr. P. C. Gavin, respectively.

A Red Cross flag will be presented by Miss Mabel T Boardman, secretary of the central committee, to the student nurse whose essay on some phase of the Red Cross nursing service is adjudged by a committee of graduate nurses to be the best submitted.

Authority Sought To Sell Firehouse

The Commissioners yesterday instructed Corporation Counsel W. W Bride to draft an amendment to the District appropriation bill to authorize them to sell the property bought for a fire engine house at Sixteenth and Webster streets northwest and which has been found to be protected by a covenant in the deed stipulating that it shall be used for none other than residence purposes.

Bride was told to phrase his amendment so that when the property was sold the money would be reappropriated to be used for the same purpose in order that another site may be acquired if the one suggested on District property at Thirteenth and Allison streets is not found satisfactory.

Doctor Sought Here In the Torch Killing

Dr. Louis Clement Schmidt, wanted for questioning in connection with the torch murder in New Jersey of Margaret Brown, is being sought here.

B. H. Soper, 1712 Corcoran street northwest, told police he saw a man resembling photographs of Schmidt as he was attempting to extricate a coupe which was wedged between other cars parked along Kenyon street, near Fourteenth street, Friday night The car bore a New Jersey license tag, the first three numbers of which were 311 he said.

Soper told police he thought nothing of the incident until he went home and saw a picture of Schmidt and a description of his car.

Government to Fill Messenger Places

Applications for positions as junior messengers and assistant messenger in the departmental service will be received from boys and girls between the ages of 16 and 20 years up to March 24, the United States Civil Service Commission announced yesterday.

The entrance salary for junior messengers is $600 a year, and for assistant messengers $900 a year. A probationary period of six months is required and advancement after that depends upon individual efficiency, increased usefulness and the occurrence of vacancies in higher positions, the commission states

Round Table Knights To Mark Anniversary

The sixth charter anniversary celebration of Round Table International will be held during the week beginning tomorrow in 65 American and Canadian cities. Washington Knights of the Round Table will observe the anniversary at their regular weekly luncheon meeting Friday at the University Club

The Round Table had its birth in Oakland, Calif., in a group meeting of five men held in an office in that city and has since spread all over the United States and Canada.

Billiard Cue Weapon in Fight.

Louis Soloman, 36 years old, 707 Quincy street northwest, was injured on the head yesterday morning when struck with a billiard cue during an altercation in a pool room at 2006 Georgia avenue northwest. Police later arrested Frank Cofer, 29 years old, 1002 Eighth street, and held him on a charge of assault. Soloman was removed to Garfield Hospital for treatment.

Man Sought After Blaze.

A man seen running from a burning house at 4222 Dix street northeast early yesterday morning is being sought by police. The house was damaged to the extent of about $200 when firemen arrived. A quantity of gasoline-soaked rags were found within. It is owned by Mrs. Eva Longus, who lives there with her husband. Both were absent at the time of the fire.

Wife Charges Cruelty.

Henry J. Meyer, 1259 New Hampshire avenue northwest, was sued yesterday in Equity Court for a limited divorce by Mrs. Florence A. Meyer, 2841 Monroe street northeast. They were married May 12, 1924, and have one child Through Attorney John T. O'Brien the plaintiff charges cruelty and neglect.

Broken Main Floods Tunnels at School

Tunnels in the subbasement of the Western High School were flooded knee deep yesterday, when a water main burst.

A quantity of the water flooded the gymnasium floor. Dr. Elmer S Newton, principal, reported little other damage. When the break in the pipe was discovered Engineer J. D. McCauliffe cut off the water, averting further inundation.

TRADE BOARD HOST TO ODELL S. SMITH

Testimonial Dinner Given Him for Success in Handling Midwinter Banquet.

As token of appreciation for his zeal and effort as chairman of the committee responsible for the success of the midwinter dinner of the Board of Trade, Odell S. Smith was tendered a testimonial dinner at the Hotel Mayflower last night by the membership and public order committees.

President Edwin C. Graham presented Mr. Smith, who is also chairman of the public order group, with a handsome brief case and umbrella as a memento of the occasion, and in a brief presentation speech thanked him on behalf of the organization for his untiring work arranging for the annual banquet.

Appointment of John Bardroff as chairman of the committee in charge of the annual shadbake, was announced.

John Saul, chairman of the membership committee, presided, and William R. Ellis was chairman of the committee which arranged last night's dinner. In addition to Mr. Graham, W. W Everett, first vice president, and Ben T. Webster, secretary, were guests. About 150 members of the two committees attended.

Following the dinner, the evening was turned over to an entertainment program. Those entertaining were the Georgetown College Collegians, Marie and Marie, in a dance specialty; vocal numbers by Pauline Loria, soprano, and Floyd Williams and "Bill" Raymond, tenors.

SPECIAL NOTICES

W. R. McCALL, JEWELER,
Watch and Clock Specialist.
NEW ADDRESS, 1342 EYE ST. NW.

THE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY FOR THE District of Columbia will hold an examination for those wishing to obtain certificates to practice in the District of Columbia as certified public accountants on the three (3) days beginning on or about MONDAY, May 14, 1928, the exact time and place to be more specifically announced later. Applications must be made on forms provided by the board, and filed before April 15, 1928, with C. V. DARBY, Secretary Munsey Building, Washington, D. C.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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I want to join the Melody Way Piano Club. Send my Membership card and button and enroll my name to entitle me to the music lessons without cost or obligation.

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In order to become a member, these questions must be truthfully answered:

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What grade are you in?.....

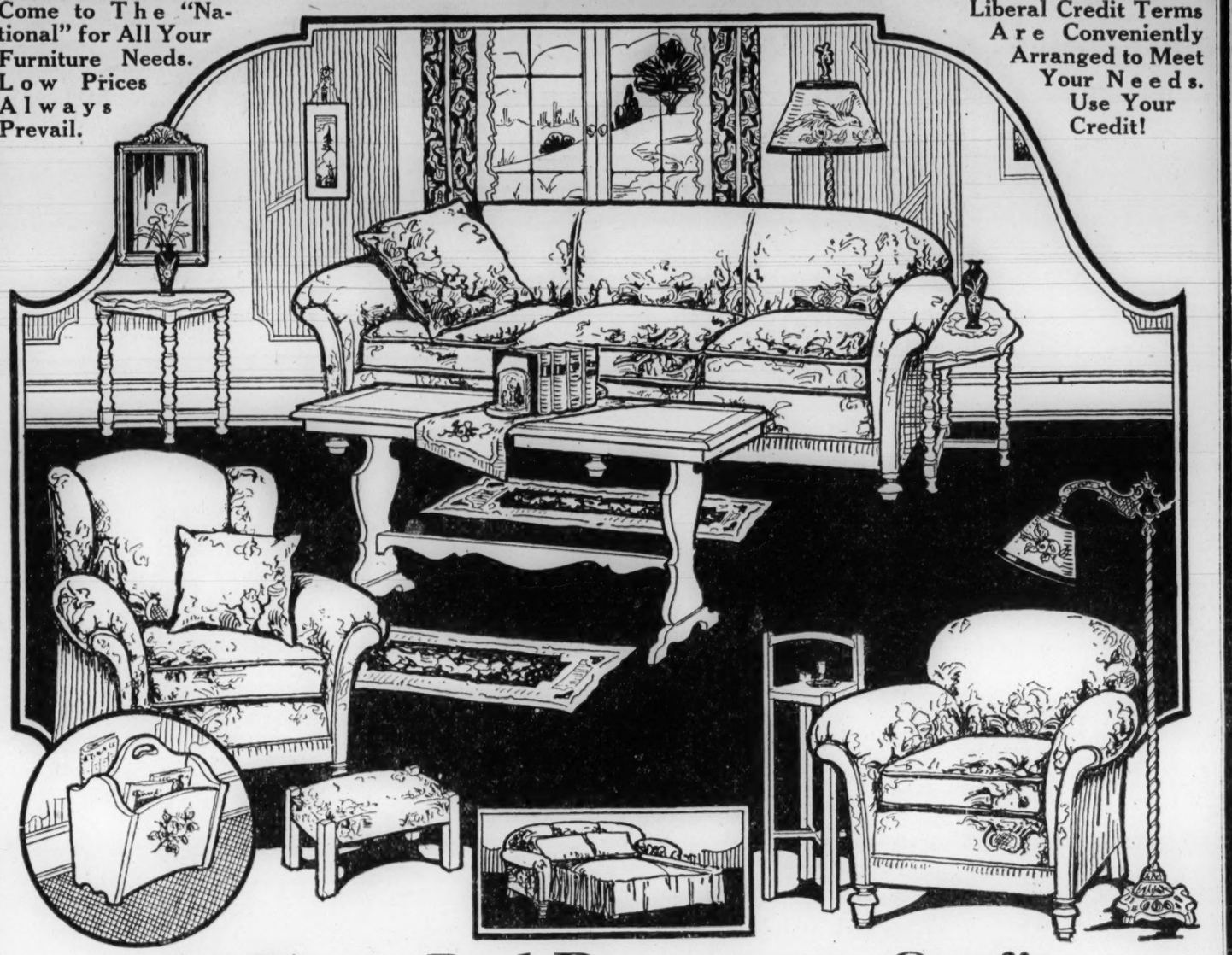
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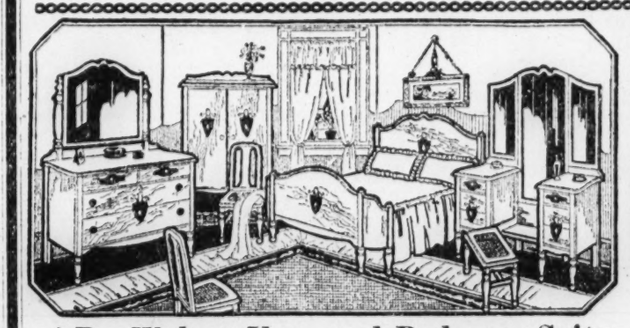


14-Piece Bed-Davenport Outfit

Here is an elegant outfit, composed of 14 essential pieces, which will completely furnish your living room! 3-piece overstuffed suite consisting of Bed-Davenport, Armchair and Wing Chair, is upholstered in good quality velour, and well constructed with heavy springs. Davenport Table, End Table and Smoking Stand, all nicely finished in mahogany over gumwood. Two Book Ends, Table Scarf, Metal Base Bridge Lamp and Shade, Foot Stool, Decorated Magazine Rack and Sofa Pillow complete the outfit. A marvelous value at this price!

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4-Pc. Walnut-Veneered Bedroom Suite

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Framed-Top Living Room Suite

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9x12 Mottled Axminster Rugs
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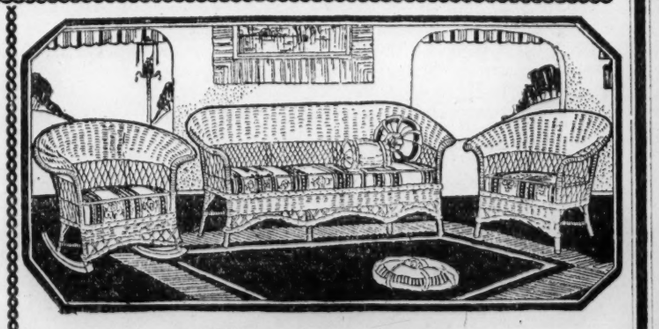
9x12 and 8.3x10.6 Velvet Rugs
$23.95

9x12 Tapestry Rugs
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27x54-inch Axminster Rugs
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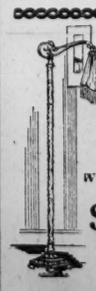


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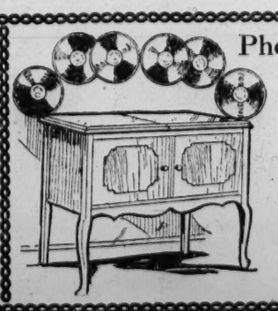
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New Style Floor Lamp With Silk Shade

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AWAITING HANGING, U. S. WOMAN FINDS HER LOVE IS GONE

Doris McDonald Stops Sending Affectionate Letters to Slayer Husband.

PRAYER FOR CLEMENCY; DEATH DUE MARCH 23

Wife Previously Insisted She Alone Was Guilty in Taxi Man's Death.

Special to The Washington Post.

Montreal, Quebec, March 3.—The shadow of Canada's mobile scaffold from which Doris McDonald is to hang on the morning of March 23, has chilled the flaming love which transformed the slender 20-year-old murderess from a jazzy Westchester County (N. Y.) flapper into the faithful "gun moll" of George McDonald, the one-time Broadway confidence man who is to die with her.

And with her love has ended the strange correspondence, the love letters of a condemned couple, which until this week passed daily between the death cells in which the young American husband and wife are awaiting the moment when they will pay for the murder of Adelard Bouchard, the Lachine (Quebec) taxi driver whom they shot down last July.

After one hysterical outburst, when she pleaded for a final meeting with her husband before the execution day, the young wife suddenly turned against the man whom she tried to save by insisting, when first arrested, that it was she alone who fired the bullets into the back of the unsuspecting Bouchard.

Writes Now of Religion.

"I have tried to make Doris write her letters to her husband, telling her that he needs consolation at this time, but Doris' eyes have been opened," the mother assistant superior in the Fullum street jail told the reporter today. "The old feeling of passion has disappeared and the poor child sees things clearly about this man McDonald.

"And so she writes to him of her new consolation in religion. But the love no longer exists."

The girl, who only a few weeks ago insisted that she wanted to die on the same scaffold with her husband after vainly trying to shield him by persisting in the untruth that she alone was guilty, has now thrown the blame of the crime on McDonald and his male companion, and protested her own complete innocence.

Still Prays for Clemency.

And while the condemned girl is praying for the clemency which she once spurned, all is not going well with the work of the volunteer groups of Americans who are trying to save her from the Valleyfield Prison noose.

Her foster mother, Dr. Frances Palmer, and Doris' 2-year-old child have returned to New York, partly because they wish to avoid any more publicity which might arouse further Canadian feeling of insistence on the death penalty and partly because the foster mother found herself at times unable to agree with the more aggressive tactics of Doris' real mother, Mrs. Hazel Greco, of Chicago.

"Something has to be done and done quickly," Mrs. Greco cried impatiently today. "All this waiting around is not going to save my child."

The mother's outburst came after she had been warned by Montreal counsellors that if any "band wagon" or publicity campaign accompanied the mercy plea it surely would be denied.

Attorney at Cross-Purposes.

Likewise the Canadian attorneys are working rather at cross-purposes in the condemned woman's behalf and more or less independently of the American counsel retained by the Mount Vernon, N. Y., committee of old friends and neighbors of Doris.

H. C. Calder, a leading member of the Canadian bar, who recently debated with Clarence Darrow on capital punishment, is insistent that the girl rest her plea for clemency on the mercy recommendation of the jury which found her guilty.

Her other Canadian lawyer, J. J. Legault, is attempting to obtain a new trial, an attempt which well informed barristers here insist is futile.

Neither Canadian lawyer is paying any attention to the "sex crazy" plea advanced by Mount Vernon friends of the girl.

Sergt. York Receives A Letter From Haig

Nashville, Tenn., Mar. 3 (A.P.).—Two prized acquisitions, one a 12-pound son, and the other a letter of praise from the late Field Marshal Haig, are new treasures of Sergt. Alvin C. York, World War hero, who has disposed of business interests in order to superintend the building of his school for mountain children.

The letter from Marshal Haig, written from Bewersyde, St. Boswells, Scotland in reply to a December letter of York's, wishes him success in his project, and expresses the general's pleasure that "You, who gave such splendid proof of your powers of leadership in the war, use the same great powers in peace to advance the good of your fellow countrymen."

And the baby—Sam Houston York is his name, and he is the fourth son born to the war veteran.

Poles Vote Today; Test for Pilsudski

Warsaw, Poland, March 3 (A.P.).—The power of Marshal Josef Pilsudski, the premier, will be put to a test in the election of a new Diet tomorrow.

The proposed change of the Polish constitution to the form of the American Constitution will be on the agenda of the new Diet. Under the present constitution the president is chosen by the Diet and Senate in a national assembly.

It is generally predicted that the election will fail to produce a Diet which, with the government, will be able to cooperate continually, and many believe that Pilsudski will force the newly elected Diet to change the electoral law and then decree its dissolution.

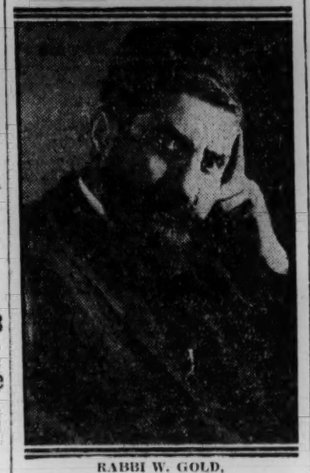
Father Is Convicted Of Killing Daughter, 3

Vanceburg, Ky., March 3 (A.P.).—Robert H. Pitts was found guilty of the willful murder of his 3-year-old daughter Mary Magdalene today and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

The jury reported at 1:15 o'clock this afternoon after having deliberated 2 hours and 45 minutes.

Thirty minutes earlier a special panel sworn in to try Pitts' accomplice, Mrs. Marie Frazier, found her guilty and fixed life imprisonment as her punishment. She had pleaded guilty and her trial was simply a formality, the prosecution having agreed with defense counsel on the sentence.

RABBI TO SPEAK



RABBI W. GOLD,
vice president of the National American Mizrachi Zionist Organization, who will address a mass meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Fourteenth and Euclid Street Synagogue. He will speak on the Mizrachi.

RICH WOMAN POISONED, CHARGE IN ESTATE FIGHT

Coroner Orders Body of Mrs. Mary A. Dickinson, of Chicago, Exhumed.

WILL IS CALLED FORGED

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—The body of Mrs. Mary Alice Dickinson, widow of John Dickinson, Wall street broker and board of trade operator, is to be exhumed Monday as the first step of an inquiry into charges that she died from unnatural causes and that a will disposing of her $100,000 estate was forged.

Countercharges of a conspiracy among disgruntled relatives followed publication of intimations today that fraud, forgery and conspiracy attended the writing of the purported will, in which all but $5,000 of the estate was bequeathed to two nieces, Miss Grace Johnson and Miss Margaret Johnson Davies, of Evanston, with whom the woman lived.

Coroner Oscar Wolff ordered exhumation of the body after hearing allegations that a prominent physician had been consulted about a plan to allow the aged widow to die painlessly by administering a drug. The physician refused, relatives said, and another was consulted. Five days later, on last January 4, Mrs. Dickinson died at the hotel apartment of the nieces.

Attorney John H. Ryan, who drew the will and witnessed it, said in behalf of Miss Johnson that the exhumation would be welcomed.

Mrs. Dickinson became eccentric about seven years ago, and a bank was appointed conservator of her estate. Last August her family agreed she should be cared for by Miss Johnson and Miss Davies.

Mrs. Elizabeth McKay, Dowagiac, Mich., a sister, received $2,000 under the will, and Henry Johnson, of Evanston, a brother, $1,000. A gift of $20 was designated for another sister, Mrs. Kathryn J. Kane, of Los Angeles, with the notation, "Because of her utter lack of affection." The two nieces received the residue.

17 Given Up as Lost As Ship Disappears

Philadelphia, March 3 (A.P.).—Disappearing a few hours out from Philadelphia, the British freight steamer, Sagua La Grande, her captain, Samuel P. Jones, and crew of sixteen were given up for lost today by the owners, the Marine Agency of St. Johns, Newfoundland, according to a telegram to Wesenberg & Co., local steamship agents.

The freighter, with 864 tons of coal, left here January 22 for Halifax and was last sighted off the Delaware Capes about eight hours after leaving this port. Under favorable conditions the ship should have reached Halifax in about five days.

James Kidd, M. P., Dies in a Taxicab

London, March 3 (A.P.).—James Kidd, conservative member of parliament for Linlithgowshire, Scotland, died suddenly last night while traveling in a taxicab after having addressed a meeting at Bathgate. He was 56 years old.

Mr. Kidd's death foreshadows an interesting by-election in Linlithgowshire, which is always nicely balanced between the conservative party and the labor party. The conservatives gained the seat in the general election of 1924 by a majority of 642 over labor, the vote being as follows: James Kidd, conservative, 14,765; Emanuel Shinwell, labor, 14,123.

Socialists at Vienna Lose Police Control

Vienna, Austria, March 3 (A.P.).—By obtaining 117 out of 125 mandates for representation in the rank and file of the Vienna city police, the Christian Social party has wrested one more service concerned with law and order in Vienna from the grasp of the Socialist element.

This victory follows the ousting of Socialist representatives from the executives of the Republican army after the riots of last July and of the Socialist confidential men in the provincial gendarmerie force last November.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED TO ASBESTOS FIRMS

U. S. Brings Suit to Nullify Contracts; Sherman Act Held Violated.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—A suit to nullify contracts alleged to have been made in furtherance of a conspiracy to control the interstate and foreign commerce of the United States in asbestos was begun today in Federal Court.

The Government named as defendants Dillon, Read & Co., Clarence Dillon, Asbestos Corporation, Ltd., Canadian Johns-Manville Corporation, Ltd., Quebec Asbestos Corporation, Ltd., Johns-Manville Corporation, Philip Carey Manufacturing Co., Keasbey & Mattison Co., Richard V. Mattison, Duval R. Goldthwaite and George B. Crabbs.

The petition alleges violation of all Federal antitrust legislation, particularly the Sherman act. It was filed by United States Attorney Charles H. Tuttle and signed by Attorney General Sargent. Injunctions against acts of restraint and unlawful monopoly were demanded.

BRUMBY FOLLOWED ADVICE OF EXPERTS FROM WASHINGTON

Not Necessary for Him to Know Submarines in Detail, He Says.

ADMIRAL ASSERTS HE TOOK LOGICAL COURSE

S-4 Salvage Officer Adds He Has Received No Order to Return Here.

Panama, March 3 (A.P.).—Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby, who was declared by a naval court of inquiry to be unfit to command the control force of the United States fleet in a statement made public today, declares that to date he had not received instructions to return to Washington.

The admiral, who returned here from maneuvers near the Perlas Islands, discussed the findings of the court in regard to the S-4 disaster off Provincetown, where he directed salvage operations. He said he was not at the scene of the disaster as an expert but to give orders and direct the work systematically, which was exactly what he did. He asserted that he had experts sent out by the Navy Department to advise and assist in directing the work.

Did the Logical Thing.

"It was unnecessary that I know every detail of the construction of the submarine to direct operations there," the admiral said. "I will admit that I was given advice by experts sent there by the naval authorities at Washington and that I followed that advice. It was the only logical thing to do."

There was no dissension between officers as to what should be done, he asserted. They conferred from time to time, he declared, and he assumed responsibility for the work, giving orders and seeing that they were obeyed.

"In many cases," Admiral Brumby continued, "my orders were at the suggestion of officers lower in command than myself. This is just what any one else in such a position would have done. I can offer no excuses nor apologies in that respect, for I believed then, and I believe now, that I did right."

Asked Minute Details.

Referring to his testimony before the board of inquiry, Admiral Brumby said that before he was summoned to appear, Admiral E. H. Campbell, naval judge advocate, had informed him as to points upon which he would be called to testify. Later, he stated, when called before the court he was closely questioned regarding many minute details of the disaster and as to the details of submarine construction, which he was unable to answer at that time. Admiral Brumby continued:

"It might have been possible that I made the statement before the court that I did not know anything about submarines. If I did I meant that I did not have intimate knowledge of submarine construction."

Admiral Brumby said he had sent full details as to his position to the Navy Department by mail and that this should have reached Washington more than two weeks ago.

3 Dead of Anthrax; 2 Hair Workers Ill

Philadelphia, March 3 (A.P.).—A man and a woman are dead and two other persons are in a serious condition in the Municipal Hospital from anthrax. All were employed in a hair-curling factory in the northwest part of the city and are believed to have contracted the disease from a shipment of animal hair from Russia and China. The dead are Fred Hettrick, 38, and Mrs. Kate Panek, 40.

Hollywood Stars

Eric Von Stroheim Defies Attorney to Battle in Court Hearing.

Special to The Washington Post.

Hollywood, Calif., March 3.—Eric Von Stroheim, who was in court as a witness in the case of Fay Wray vs. Edna Schley, challenged Miss Wray's attorney to wage battle in the hall outside. Von Stroheim was in the witness box at the time. The attorney, Lyndol Young, who formerly acted for Lita Chaplin, started for the door with the movie director, but the judge called them back and threatened to send both of them to jail.

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One of the current laughs of Hollywood is directed at the husband of one well-known star. For reasons which this star says, fill a brief case in her attorney's office, she filed suit for divorce against her husband, known as a sort of a man about town in movie circles. The day she moved out in order to sue her husband, the husband got a "tip-off" about the impending suit, and moved out, too.

The wife and her attorney suspected that the husband was in a certain apartment, which was registered as that of a young woman, but no being prohibition agents, they could not get into the apartment to see if he was there, so they could serve him with papers. Process servers were picketed all about the apartment in question. There were day shifts and night shifts of process servers. Finally, about two nights ago, the husband thought the coast was clear, and cautiously emerged at 1:30 a. m.

"Here he is, boys," yelled process server No. 3, and "the boys" swooped down with their copies of service.

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Feodor Chaliapin, jr., over whom the local immigration officers, the authorities at Ellis Island and the Bureau of Labor at Washington recently expended much correspondence, has ended the imminence of his forcible deportation by agreeing to sail for Paris. Young Chaliapin is to sail from New York on April 1. He was picked up here on a charge of overstaying his five months' visitor's permit.

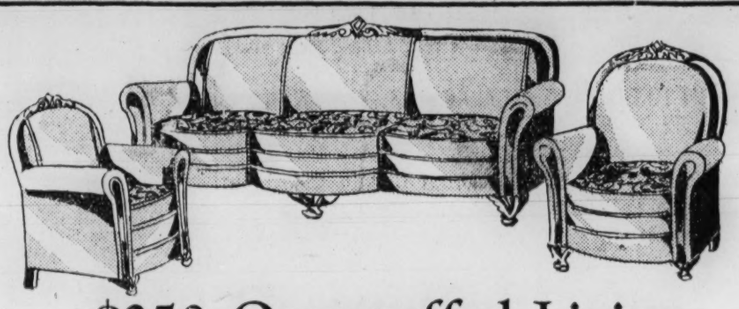
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The current mystery of Beverly Hills is: Who is the ghost that dropped a lady's garment in Gloria Swanson's yard. While Gloria is in the East there was a ghost scare at her home. An eerie figure danced about the front lawn while automobiles drove up. Neighbors appeared and finally some one sent for the police to arrest "a crazy woman." When the police car drove up, shooting its spotlight from one house to another, the "ghost" danced through the shrubbery into the back yard and vanished. At the same time howls of laughter and merry-making went up from a home a block or so away, where an evening bathing party was in progress. The cops were inclined to dismiss it as a prank, when they picked up a woman's garment. It had laundry marks, by which they are trying to determine the identity of the "ghost."

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$250 Overstuffed Living Room Suite, $198

Handsome suites—well made with Nachman spring construction. Attractively upholstered in moth proof mohair, with carved frame backs. This suite consists of a beautifully designed sofa, comfortable fireside and club chairs. Reversible cushions. In the popular rose and taupe.

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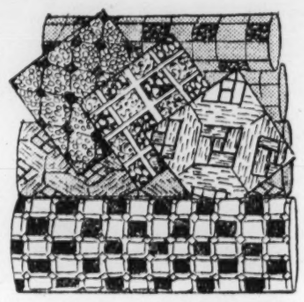


This New Semi-Cogswell Chair

$25

New "pull up" chairs that combine beauty and comfort. Upholstered in rich tapestry and velours in colors to harmonize with every decorative scheme. Frame of selected Delta gumwood. Reversible cushions.

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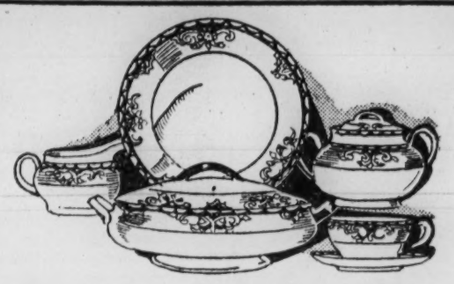


Armstrong Quaker Felt Linoleum

65c Square Yard

This has the new "Accolac" finish that makes cleaning so easy and preserves the pattern. Felt back and printed face. Delightful new patterns in tile and square effects. Blue, gray, ivory, green and red. 6 ft. wide.

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Imported 100-Pc. Dinner Services

$47.50

You will like especially the fashionable new ivory borders and the rich coin gold handles. This group offers you a selection of Charles Field Haviland, French China, Bohemian China and a beautiful service from Japan. A complete service for twelve that every woman would be proud to own! An exceptional value!

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Double Bed Size Rayon Spreads

Regularly $3.95

$2.95

Spreads with that rich lustrous finish that brightens the room so charmingly! Handsome spreads showing alternate stripes of gray, with blue, rose or gold. Shades that will harmonize with the most difficult color scheme. This type of spread is very smart—very popular and is suitable for any bedroom. Size 80x105.

Plain Color Blankets, $2.49

Just the weight you will want for this "in between" season. Not too heavy, but quite heavy enough for biting Spring nights. Rose, blue, green, gray and tan. Size 70x80.

$18 Imperial Edge Mattress, $13.74

Splendid mattress, with four rows of stitching. Box covered with good quality striped or art ticking. Resilient, comfortable and durable.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.



Sale of $1.65 Celanese Printed Voiles

$1.19 Yard

Celanese—the fashion-favored fabric that has the texture and sheen of silk, and the washability of cotton! Small, medium and large designs on white or tinted backgrounds—40 inches wide.

Sale of $1.25 Rayon Chiffon Prints

95c Yd.

Bewitching effects, ranging from the demure flowerlet designs to the bold garden flower patterns on white or tinted backgrounds—any of which would fashion delightfully into trim frocks for women and children. 36 inches wide.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

A Complete Line of the Noted Melba Preparations

"The March winds do blow"—and although we may not have snow—we will have chapped faces if we are not very careful. That is why "Melba" has prepared these splendid, soothing preparations.

Melba Cleansing Cream, 50c and 85c.
Melba Tissue Cream, 50c and $1.50.
Fleurs Cold Cream, 75c.

Street Floor

New Home Frocks Of Printed Handkerchief Linen

$9.95

They're so smart they quite refute the statement that you hear so often that "the linen frock is never as chic as silk." These ARE! One and two piece models in trimly tailored styles. Dainty floral prints and combinations of white skirt with polka dot blouse. Trimmed with contrasting colors. They all have the fashionable long sleeve. You will admire their unusual chic—and be delighted with their excellent wearing qualities. Sizes 36 to 44.



Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

54-Inch All-Wool Kashmere and Flannel

$1.98 Yd.

There is nothing smarter or more suitable for the present popular ensemble. These fine fabrics are shown in the most attractive new Spring shades. Practical as well as smart. They are unusually durable. The splendid 54-inch width.

54-Inch Tweeds $2.50 Yard

Attractive all-wool tweeds, shown in neat checks, plaids and soft heather mixtures. A desirable light weight for Spring.

54-Inch Coatings $2.98 Yard

Combinations, plaids and checks that will make the smartest of smart Spring coats and suits. Will give exceptional wear.

All-Wool and Wool-and-Rayon Georgettes $2.98 Yard

The light weight quality so suitable for this time of year. Tan, rose, beige, ivory, grey, delph, pine needle, navy and black. 54 inches wide.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.



New Cinderella Dresses

For Girls 7 to 10

$1.59

Dainty print, chambray and gingham frocks—with bloomers to match. Blue, rose, green, peach and gay plaids. Fast colors. Trimmed with attractive embroidery and unique buttons. Cunning little frocks for the 7 to 10 year old miss.

Fourth Floor

Boys' Four-Piece School Suits, $7.95



Trimly tailored suits, of sturdy, splendid wearing fabrics. Four-piece suits, with three-button model coat; vest and lined knickers. Sizes 7 to 16.

Boys' Blouses, 79c

Blouses for school boys of from 6 to 16 years. In white, blue, or tan broadcloth—also fancy madras.

Boys' Knickers, $1.98

Well tailored, fully lined knickers of fancy all-over fabrics offer wonderful value! Sizes 7 to 17 years.

Street Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Sale of Reed and Barton Holloware

Because we had an opportunity to purchase part of their surplus stock—we can offer this fine assortment of pieces; some at cost—some priced even below cost!



229 Distinctive Pieces $4.95

Waste Bowls, Cream Pitchers, Sugar Bowls, Platters, Candle Sticks, Chop Dishes

$9.95

Platters, Coffee Pots, Percolators

$7.50

Sugar, Coffee Pots, Creamers, Tea Pots

$15

Flower Baskets, Serving Trays

Soup Tureens, Special, $12.50

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20,000 AT SHRINER REVUE AND DANCE; 3 VOTED BEAUTIES

Miss Ingraham Wins Automobile, Miss Hubbard Miami Trip and Mrs. Haislip Ring.

PROCEEDS WILL GO TO UNIFORMED UNITS

Two Shows Are Given, Instead of Three, Because of Large Crowd Attending.

The Almas Shrine Temple's colorful revue, ball and "most popular girl in the District" contest attracted more than 20,000 persons to the Washington Auditorium last night.

The popularity contest terminated the program. Amassing 168,648 votes, Miss Beulah Ingraham, of 310 Buchanan street northwest, was adjudged the winner and awarded an Oakland sport roadster automobile. Second place, which carried the prize of a trip to Miami, Fla., with all expenses paid, went to Miss Anna Louise Hubbard, 640 F street southeast, whose vote totaled 107,990.

Third Prize Diamond Ring.

Mrs. Alice M. Haislip, of 1800 L street northeast, wife of Policeman William D. Haislip, with a vote of 91,260 took third prize and the award of a diamond ring. The voting was based on coupons attached to admission tickets to the entertainment.

The huge crowd proved so troublesome to seat that the first showing of the revue, which was scheduled for 7:15 o'clock, did not begin until 8:45 o'clock. The officials of the entertainment were forced to be contented with but two shows, instead of the three scheduled.

In addition to the thousands of persons who packed to capacity the upper auditorium for the two shows, thousands participated in dancing on the lower floor of the building.

Will Help Defray Expenses.

The entertainment was given by the Shriners to defray expenses of the uniformed units of the temple to the imperial council at Miami, Fla., in May. The revue consisted of a fashion show of feminine apparel, by M. Pasternack, women's clothier; Miss Frances Fitzgerald, acrobatic dancer; Manny King, youthful tenor; the Capitol Trio, saxaphone, French horn and flute exponents; Keating, the magician, and Miss Florence Norrie, soprano. Ed Mulcahy was master of ceremonies.

The committee, which staged the entertainment, was Leonard P. Steuart, chairman; George B. McGinty, illustrious potentate of the temple; Frank E. Ghiselli, F. Lawrence Walker and L. Whiting Estes.

WINS AUTOMOBILE



MISS BEULAH INGRAHAM, 310 Buchanan street northwest, who won an automobile and the title of "the most popular girl in the District" at the Almas Temple Shrine revue and ball last night.

FORMER MAYOR HELD AS SLAYER OF VADEN

Victim's Wife Is Mentioned in Testimony at Chatham Hearing.

Special to The Washington Post.

Danville, Va., March 3.—D. E. Webb, former Mayor of Gretna, this evening was held for the grand jury on the charge of killing Harold Vaden, traveling man, on February 15. The action followed an all-day hearing at Chatham, at which State and defense witnesses testified. No application for bail was made by Webb. The county grand jury meets March 19.

Two State witnesses testified that Webb fired the first shot in the encounter on the streets of Gretna, where Vaden lived. One witness testified that Vaden fired first.

A motive for the shooting was brought out when the defense recalled R. C. Vaden, brother of the victim who testified in effect that his brother had told him he had received an anonymous letter informing him that his wife had been seen riding at night with Webb. The witness said his brother told him he went to see Webb about the letter and that Webb made a denial, agreeing, however, to leave Gretna for good.

O. H. Ramsey testified that just before the shooting Vaden approached Webb, saying, "I thought I told you to leave town a week ago."

Mrs. Vaden was not called.

JEWS ARE TO START PURIM FEAST TODAY

Entertainment Will Be Given at Ohev Sholom Synagogue Tonight.

Jews of the city are prepared to observe the feast of Purim, which will begin tomorrow. The first observance of the feast will be an entertainment tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Ohev Sholom Synagogue.

The entertainment will be given by the Hebrew School of the Synagogue, under the direction of Rabbi J. T. Loeb, and will include presentation of a playlet written by him. In the cast will be William Casel, Nathan Goldman, Joseph Sitnick, Myer Gildenhorn, Morris Katz, Melvin Lewis, Ivan Mensh and Abe Sommer.

The Sisterhood of Adas Israel Congregation will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Jewish Community Center. A Purim social hour will follow the meeting. The sisterhood will give a Purim dance at the center Tuesday night.

LEGLESS MAN PLANS PLANE TRIP TO ROME

West Virginian, Who Has One Arm, to Start From Washington in June.

Wheeling, W. Va., March 3 (A.P.)—M. R. (Dinger) Daugherty, one-armed and legless aviator of New Martinsville, W. Va., announced here tonight that he had completed plans for an attempted non-stop flight from Washington, D. C., to Rome, Italy, and expected to start early in June.

Daugherty, who is known as the "flying assessor," being tax assessor for Wetzel County, has just returned by plane from Florida, where he said he was given his navigator's license.

On his ocean flight Daugherty said he would take a navigator and announced that he had received many applications for the post, including requests from four women. Also, he said, it was likely that he would carry a prize bloodhound as a mascot. Daugherty is the owner of a large bloodhound kennel.

Asked who would finance the trip, Daugherty said all expenses had been guaranteed by wealthy oil and businessmen of New Martinsville. He lost his legs and arm in a railroad accident years ago.

MECHTA PEOPLE ATE SNAILS, USED PAINTS

Prehistoric Race of 30,000 Years Described by Beloit Explorer.

Beloit, Wis., March 3 (A.P.).—Romance of the life and culture of the prehistoric people, whose remains and relics were found at Mechta-el-Arbi, Algeria, by the Logan Museum expedition of Beloit College, was related today by Dr. Alonzo Pond, associated with Dr. George L. Collie, of Beloit, in the research work, to members of the central division of the American Anthropological Association.

Digging into ashes of ancient hearths of the Mechta people, thought to have lived 30,000 years ago, the anthropologists concluded that the people were of a different race than the pre-magnon man of France, although the culture was much the same. Snails were the favorite dish of the prehistoric people deposits showed, Dr. Pond said, and the people lived in the open.

From the scattered relics read with a scientific eye, it was determined Pond related, that the Mechta people apparently painted their faces and tattooed their bodies.

Man Hit by Street Car.

John W. Cook, colored, 59 years old, 1237 Wylie street northeast, last night was treated for concussion of the brain in Sibley Hospital. Cook told police he was hit by a Washington Railway & Electric street car at North Capitol and H streets.

BYRD TO SAIL SOUTH NEAR SUMMER'S END FOR FLIGHT TO POLE

Building Special Ship for Ice Battle, Which Begins in November.

FINAL DASH TO BE MADE IN 3-ENGINE MONOPLANE

Fifty-four Men to Comprise Party; Expect to Return in June, 1930.

Richmond, Va., March 3 (A.P.).—Home again among the friends of his boyhood and smiling at the dangers of the South Polar regions, Commander Richard Evelyn Byrd today reclined in an easy chair at the governor's mansion and discussed the plans he has formed for exploring a frozen area larger than the United States and Mexico combined.

"Science is the loser so long as there is a large unexplored area in the world," the North Polar and transatlantic flier said. "This trip is primarily for scientific purposes and I regard whatever hazards are to be encountered justified by the increase in man's knowledge which the expedition will make possible."

The flier explained that he had arranged for the building of an "ice ship" with a bowed hull that will not be crushed by the ice. It will have two projecting timbers to push aside the ice floes.

Sails South in September.

The expedition will sail south early in September, he said, reaching the base in the Ross Sea in the first week of January, or about two weeks after Arctic midsummer. He expects to return home by June, 1930, although he said there was a possibility that he might be forced to camp on the ice for another year.

The big monoplane is to be used for serious work, Commander Byrd said. It has three engines and a wingspread of 76 feet. In addition, he said, there would be two single engine monoplanes of the Bellanca type used by Chamberlin in his transatlantic flight. All of the planes will be equipped with interchangeable landing gear so that they may take off from water with pontoons, from the snow with skis or from land with wheels.

Radio will be used to keep in constant touch with civilization, the short wave length being used six months in the year or during the daylight period. Food sufficient to last the expedition for a year and a half will be taken.

First Battle in November.

After leaving New Zealand the expedition will head for the Ross sea barrier 2,300 miles to the South.

"Our first battle with the ice will come about November, 1928, or perhaps in December" Commander Byrd said. "Then we shall have a more or less open, ice strewn route for several hundred miles until we strike the ice barrier. It will be good fortune if we get there before June, 1929.

"Our main base will be at the Bay of Whales, where Amundsen based, or in Discovery Harbor. Scott's base was on the eastern side of the Ross ice barrier and Amundsen's on the west. Discovery Harbor is in between. It may be desirable to camp on a stationary iceberg, so to speak—between the two bases as we expect to find weather conditions better and the ice barriers not so precipitous.

"Our base will be 2,300 miles from the nearest human dwelling—the farthest people have ever lived from civilization. There we shall establish a small village. Holes will be dug in the ice for storage rooms, and we shall pack away, with no danger of spoiling the seals and birds which we expect to kill as an emergency supply as soon as we strike the ice fringe.

Subbases 100 Miles Apart.

After making camp we shall establish several subbases about 100 miles apart on the way to the South Pole. These will be necessary, for in event of a forced landing we shall be able to hike to a food supply.

"The final flight to the pole will be most hazardous. In addition to the radio we shall use a kite to keep in touch with the last base. As the South Pole is on the last plateau, 1,000 feet high, landing will be difficult. The air at the height of 2 miles has lost so much denseness that it requires a great deal of power to take a plane off the ground and we shall land with at least 1,200 gallons of gasoline and 1,000 pounds of emergency equipment. Our landing speed must be fast.

"On the final dash for the pole we shall carry a primus stove, a reindeer sleeping bag, two months' food supply, including pemmican, chocolate, tea, hardtack and dog food. We will also have skis, snowshoes, medical kits, extra clothing and rifles and ammunition."

Fifty-five Men in Party.

Fifty-four men, including a dozen experts, will make the trip. Floyd Bennett, who accompanied Byrd to the North Pole, will be second in command. Dog teams will be used to haul supplies on the ice.

Maps of the polar regions will be made and hundreds of photographs taken, aerial and land pictures. Detailed studies will be made of everything encountered and the mass of scientific data brought back to civilization.

LIQUOR SHIP CAPTAIN IS GIVEN 18 MONTHS

Convicted in 1926, He, in Meantime, Served Sentence at Nassau.

Norfolk, March 3 (A.P.).—Bernard M. Reaves, former captain of the rum ship Corsica, who, with Charles W. Baker, was convicted here in May, 1926, for conspiracy to violate the national prohibition law, was sentenced yesterday to eighteen months in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta, by Federal Judge D. Lawrence Croner. He also was fined $10,000.

Baker began an eight months jail sentence here Monday for his part in the conspiracy, after the United States Supreme Court had refused to review his case. He and Reaves were indicted with Artie Baker for conspiracy to charter the Corsica and transport a large quantity of liquor into the United States, which the Government alleged was landed at Long Island. The ship returned to Newport News, where she was seized when five bottles of liquor were found aboard. The crew claiming they were forced to handle the liquor cargo against their will, testified against the three men indicted. Artie Baker has never been apprehended.

Reaves, out on bond pending trial, was arrested and served a sentence in a British prison at Nassau on a charge of shanghaiing a British customs official. He returned to Miami, Fla., last week and was arrested and brought to Norfolk for sentence.

COMDR. BYRD URGES VIRGINIA TO PROCEED WITH AVIATION LAWS

Predicts State Will Become Center of Flying in East; Mail Line Soon.

SALARY OF GOVERNOR $12,000 IN BILL PASSED

Arlington County Delegation Expected Tomorrow on Corporation Referendum.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)

Richmond, Va., March 3.—Commander Richard Evelyn Byrd, the explorer, today presented to Virginia, through his brother, Gov. Harry Flood Byrd, a little silken American flag, whose colors have been blended by the waters of Ver Sur Mer, France, where the Byrd transatlantic flight nearly ended in tragedy. The little flag also was with him on his trip across the North Pole.

By rather curious coincidence, Commander Byrd entered the joint assembly held in his honor just a moment after the house had adopted the Ball-Boyd bill regulating airplanes in Virginia. The commander said an item in the appropriation bill giving $25,000 for the building of municipal air fields gives Virginia first place among the States in aviation laws.

He urged the State to go ahead with its aviation program and predicted that it would become the center of aviation in the East. He said that within 60 days an air mail line, with a stop at Richmond, would traverse Virginia.

Tells of Antarctic Plans.

Commander Byrd outlined briefly plans for his trip to the antartic regions, which is to begin from New York City about September 1. On his journey Southward he will make Hampton Roads his last American port of call.

Beginning with the passage of the Norfolk - Portsmouth - Norfolk County bridge authority bill the house today worked feverishly for three hours clearing up its calendar, and the senate, in its two hours, got its decks well cleared for next week's rush. Only six more days remain for work, and, under a resolution adopted this week, bills, other than purely local measures, which are not passed on Monday by one or the other of the bodies, will die automatically.

The authority bill allows governing bodies of the three communities to get together and work out plans for spanning the Elizabeth River. It will go through the senate during the first half of the week unless it becomes tangled up in legislation now clogging the executive mill.

The senate's morning fight raged around a bill which would prevent any bus corporation from placing a value, above actual cost, upon a certificate granted by the State. The measure passed 18 to 14, over the opposition of Barron, of Norfolk; Ball, of Arlington, and Layman, of Craig.

Dangerous Policy, Ball Says.

The measure will have the effect of keeping down the valuation of motor vehicle carriers for the purpose of rate making, Senator Ball said it was a dangerous policy because, he contended it would close the door of the State upon a bus franchise tax, which, he predicted, would be a great source for revenue within ten years.

"You simply are saying," he declared, "that a certificate issued by the State, a right the State gives, is valueless. It affects all bus lines in the State, and 8,000,000 persons rode on buses last year."

Senator Henry T. Wickham, of Hanover, contended it was not right that a certificate costing $1.50, plus actual expense in getting it should be sold for $90,000 and that the $90,000 should be included in the cost when valuations are being considered for the purposes of rate making. Senator Ball said he would be willing to vote for it if railroads, as well as buses, were written into the bill. He said that the State's franchise tax on railroads now amounts to $2,500,000 annually, and he predicted that before many years the buses will yield as much.

Franchise Tax in House Also.

The franchise tax also figured in the deliberations of the house, when it passed, with certain amendments, the Hall bill providing a tax upon railroad intangibles on a mileage basis. The original bill had authorized the State tax commissioner to extend the tax back from 1927 to 1913 in case the railroads, in suits pending, succeeded in having declared unconstitutional the franchise tax. The amendment eliminates that provision.

The amendment is just, said Wilbur C. Hall, patron of the bill, inasmuch as the railroads have agreed to withdraw their suits and not to institute others until after the 1930 legislature. He pointed out that if railroads decided to revive the suits, the provision could be put in. Estimates place the revenue to be derived under the bill as $200,000 annually. The railroads in the State now pay $2,600,000 for their franchise taxes and local taxes aggregating $3,600,000.

The Moffett-Hall bill, proposing to eliminate gasoline tax refunds for gasoline used in motorboats, farm tractors and other devices not using the public highways was up. Tidewater delegates interested chiefly in motor craft and delegates from farming sections held together and defeated it, 39 to 32. Refunds now amount to approximately $400,000 annually.

J. Vaughan Gary, Richmond delegate, offered a substitute that would have retained a refund provision on gasoline used by cities, counties and towns for governmental purposes, but it was rejected.

Bills Passed by House.

Among the other bills passed by the House were: Bill making check flashing a felony rather than a misdemeanor; bill increasing the governor's salary from $5,000 to $12,000; bill creating a commission to study gasoline tax distribution methods; bill providing that commissioners of revenue shall take a census of veterans, wives and widows of veterans; bill making hazing at any State aided school a misdemeanor; bill providing for a board to consist of school heads to study plan for coordination college work and courses.

The college "curricula-chancellor" bill as passed by the house is the measure advocated by the Baton Educational Survey Commission.

During the morning's deliberations, there appeared a new face at the press table. It was that of Sherwood Anderson, novelist, who recently entered a field unique in Virginia journalism as publisher of two weekly newspapers in Marion and Smyth Counties. While both papers are printed at the same plant, one is Republican and the other Democratic. Mr. Anderson said he has grown tired of "hack writing" for a living and that he is enjoying his first trip to the capital of his newly adopted State.

On Monday at 2:30 o'clock a delegation from Arlington County is expected to appear before the counties, cities and towns committee for a hearing on the Reid bill, which would allow the people of Arlington to decide by referendum if the county should incorporate as a city of the first class or remain as it is.

Watering Live Stock, Boy Is Killed by Mule

Special to The Washington Post.

Luray, Va., March 3.—Attempting to water his father's live stock in his father's absence from home, Clarence Woodward, 8-year-old son of D. M. Woodward, of Ida, this county, was kicked in the face and breast yesterday by a mule and died last night.

The boy was alone in the yard, a sister being in the house several hundred yards distant. He was kicked while passing around the mule. Hurried to the hospital by his parents, who were hastily summoned, he died a few hours later.

Three Are Acquitted Of Flogging Farmer

Raleigh, N. C., March 3 (A.P.).—Dr. J. R. Hester, Baird Pool, and A. L. Daniel, charged with assault in connection with the flogging of Will Dean, farmer-blacksmith, on September 29, 1926, were acquitted today by a specially empanelled Hartnette County jury.

The case, tried in Wake County, was the last of four flogging trials here. Three resulted in verdicts of not guilty and one ended in a mistrial.

AUTO REPAIRER FINED ON GIRL'S CHARGES

Sought to Disable Car, She Says, When She Refused to Pay His Bill.

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, March 3.—Miss Freda Bailey, of Harrisburg, Pa., who, with her mother, is visiting the family of Dr. G. Guy Shoemaker, this city, caused R. R. Norris, filling station proprietor near Piney Grove, to be fined here today after she had him arrested on a charge of false pretenses and tampering with an automobile.

Norris, she testified, falsely represented her needs when she stopped for service. He contracted verbally, she declared, for $1.50 worth of work, then charged her $6 and tampered with the ignition wire of her car when she refused to pay.

John H. Mansfield, superintendent of the Cumberland branch of the Automobile Club of Maryland, testified he had received previous complaints as to Norris' methods.

Judge Oliver H. Bruce, in imposing a fine of $5 for tampering with the automobile, Norris having agreed to refund part of the charges to Miss Bailey, declared Norris had "strong armed" the girl.

The charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was dropped by Miss Bailey when she was informed she would have to return here in April to testify before the grand jury should she prosecute the charges.

Mead Flies to Son In Buffalo and Back

Receiving a message of the illness of his 10-year-old son, suffering from a leg infection, at Buffalo, N. Y., Representative James M. Mead, of New York, was flown there from this city and back again yesterday, in an army airplane, making both trips in three hours each.

Representative Mead, being informed that the attending specialist was to make a final diagnosis of his son's case, was desirous of being present to consult with the physician. He made the trip in a new O-1 observation plane piloted by Capt. Ross G. Hoyt, Army Air Corps, taking off from Bolling Field at 5:30 o'clock in the morning, and returning there late yesterday afternoon.

Georgia G. O. P. Votes For Drafting Coolidge

Atlanta, Ga., March 3 (A.P.).—Georgia Republicans in convention here today instructed its delegation at large to the national convention to vote for renomination of President Coolidge should he be willing to be "drafted."

The instructions included a resolution putting the Georgia organization on record as favoring Herbert Hoover in the event Mr. Coolidge is unwilling to accept the nomination.

The Fifth District representatives of the party also held a meeting today and adopted the same resolutions regarding Coolidge and Hoover.

Art Worth $200,000 Is Destroyed in Fire

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Fire in the Riverside Drive home of Dr. R. J. Forhan, toothpaste manufacturer, today destroyed paintings and furnishings valued at $200,000. Mrs. Fornan and two servants who were alone in the house were led to safety by firemen.

Firemen called by a passerby found Mrs. Forhan on a second floor balcony. She threw down a key to the front door and was led through the smoke downstairs to the street. The servants on the fifth floor, were taken to the roof and over on an adjoining house.

Strassburger Kept Off Delegate List

Harrisburg, Pa., March 3 (A.P.).—The State Election Bureau today refused to accept the nominating petitions of Ralph Beaver Strassburger, of Norristown, for Republican delegate at large.

The bureau questioned the legality of a power of attorney cabled from Paris by Strassburger to his representatives in Pennsylvania to sign his papers.

Strassburger was a delegate-at-large to the last Republican National Convention, defeating Gov. Pinchot.

Warren Jones, representing Strassburger, announced he would bring court proceedings in an effort to force acceptance of the petitions.

Girl Found Bound In Home Basement

Ashland, Ky., March 3 (A.P.).—Virginia Coburn, 18, who was found gagged and bound in the basement of her home this morning, told police later that when she returned home late last night a stranger accosted her, bound and gagged her and threw her through a cellar window.

She said he first told her he was going to kill her father.

Police said they would continue their investigation, as the girl appeared to have been under influence of a narcotic when found. The father is a laborer.

France and Sweden In Conciliation Pact

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—All differences between France and Sweden, except those touching the honor or independence of the parties, by a treaty signed here this afternoon must be submitted to a conciliation commission to be composed of three neutrals with one representative of each of the signatories. The arbitration treaty was signed by Foreign Minister Briand in behalf of France and Count Ehrensward, Swedish Minister to France.

CABIN JOHN CITIZENS TO DISCUSS LIGHTING

Speed Limit on Conduit Road Also Will Be Taken Up Tomorrow Night.

SCHOOL TO GIVE PLAY

The Cabin John Park Citizens Association will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m. in Juniors Hall, with M. B. Armstrong, president presiding. The street committee will report on street light installation. Conduit road speed limits and disposal of trash. The legislation and education committee will announce arrangements for meeting in the new schoolhouse, and will make a report on resolutions referring to prohibition enforcement, and license tag campaigns.

The membership and entertainment committees will report on card parties and future programs. The special committee will report on proposed changes in constitution and by-laws. The entertainment committee has planned to present a play, "The Country School," after the business meeting is adjourned.

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie F. Thomas, many years a Rockville resident, who died Thursday in Washington, were conducted yesterday from All Faith Episcopal Church, near Charlotte Hall, Md. Interment was in All Faith Church cemetery. She is survived by her husband, George M. Thomas, who is in the service of the United States Veterans' Bureau at Washington.

Acceding to the request of Robert G. Hilton, of Rockville, president of the Montgomery County Bus Line, Inc., the Maryland Public Service Commission has postponed the hearing of the bus company upon its petition to be permitted to do intrastate business from Monday, March 5, to Friday, March 16, at 10:30 a. m., in the Munsey Building, Baltimore.

The faculty of the new Chevy Chase-Bethesda High School has announced that the third performance of the play "Seven Chances" will be given at 8:15 p. m., Saturday, March 10, in order to comply with the many requests that have been received that the play be produced again, Principal Thomas W. Pyle said yesterday.

The play will be directed by Mrs. Thomas W. Pyle, of Alta Vista, assisted by Miss Virginia Mullinix and Mrs. Arthur Crocker. The cast includes Dan Shepherd, Douglas Long, Mr. Pyle, Warren Price, H. Franklin Lehr, William P. Trail, F. J. Carmody, the Misses Geneve Bourdeaux, Ludelle Hinaman, Helen B. Price, Dorothy Bernhard, Angele Meyers, Dorothy O. Young, Susanne Stover and Christeen Miller.

Mrs. Irwin H. Linton, who has been filling an unexpired term as secretary of the Woman's Club of Kensington, said yesterday that she was not a candidate for election, when the annual election of officers was held Thursday.

Virginians to Present Flags to Gov. Fuller

Special to The Washington Post.

Petersburg, Va., March 3.—The Federal and Confederate flags used at the recent burial of the unknown Federal soldier killed in the battle of the Crater on July 30, 1864, and whose skeleton was unearthed a few weeks ago by J. W. Phillips, manager of the Crater Battlefield, have been sent by A. P. Hill camp of Confederate Veterans to Boston, to be presented to Gov. Fuller of Massachusetts next Monday.

The two flags flew at half mast all day at the burial of the unknown soldier, which was attended by A. P. Hill Camp, Petersburg Post, American Legion; National Guards of Petersburg and other organizations, besides students of the Southern Female College.

V. E. Johnson Quits Race for Governor

Special to The Washington Post.

Berkeley Springs, W. Va., March 3—Vernon E. Johnson, speaker of the West Virginia house of delegates in the 1927 session and an avowed candidate for the Republican nomination for governor at the May primary, today announced from his home here his withdrawal from the contest. He promised a statement later as to issues which he regards as paramount in the campaign.

Mr. Johnson said he was formally notifying the other candidates in the field of the withdrawal but would not indicate his own preference in the remaining field. Ten days ago Mr. Johnson publicly indorsed the candidacy of former Gov. Henry T. Hatfield for the Republican nomination for United States senator.

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FIRST PRIZE BABY
A Boy
Born at Providence Hospital, Februray 29, 12:40 A. M., to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green, 2225 14th Street S. E.
The Washington Post, $10 in Gold.
The Palais Royal—A Baby Dress.
Liberty National Bank—$5 Savings Account.
Chestnut Farms Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.
Clinedinst Studio—Six Photographs.
Gude Bros. Co.—A Basket of Flowers.
Wise Bros. Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.
Oppenheimer & Shah—Sterling Silver Baby Cup Appropriately Engraved.
SECOND PRIZE BABY
A Boy
Born at Sibley Hospital, February 29, 4 A. M., to Mr. and Mrs. Wallington Tenley, 324 Peabody Street N. E.
The Washington Post, $5 in Gold.
Gude Bros. Co.—A Basket of Flowers.
Chestnut Farms Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.
Clinedinst Studio—Three Photographs.
Wise Bros. Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.
Oppenheimer & Shah—Set Solid Gold Baby Pins
THIRD PRIZE BABY
A Girl
Born at Columbia Hospital, February 29, 6:35 A. M., to Mr. and Mrs. Adam McAllister, 3409 Thirty-fourth Place N. W.
The Washington Post, $5 in Gold.
Wise Bros. Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.
Clinedinst Studio—Three Photographs.
Gude Bros. Co.—A Basket of Flowers.
Chestnut Farms Dairy—One Qt. Milk for 30 Days.

Dairy Bureau Chief Honored at Banquet

Dr. L. A. Rogers, director of the Bureau of Dairy Industries Research Laboratories of the Department of Agriculture, was honored at a dinner last night by 50 members of the bureau. The occasion was Dr. Rogers' completion of 25 years' service at the bureau and to formally dedicate to him a book, "The Fundamentals of Dairy Science," written by present and former members of the bureau.

The dedication address was made by Dr. G. E. Holm. Other speakers included Dr. William M. Clark, of Johns Hopkins University, a former member of the bureau, Dr. E. O. Whittier, and Dr. E. B. Meigs. Dr. William C. Frazier was toastmaster.

Amaryllis Exhibit To Open Tomorrow

The fifteenth annual amaryllis show of the Department of Agriculture will be opened to the public tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the greenhouses at Fourteenth and B streets northwest. Thereafter it will be open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily until March 12.

Mrs. W. M. Jardine, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, will be hostess to women of the Cabinet and diplomatic corps at a preliminary showing tomorrow morning from 10 until 12 o'clock. There will be more than 1,200 bulbs on display.

Spencer Wise's Trial Is Postponed a Day

Special to The Washington Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 3.—Inability of Washington counsel to be present next Tuesday resulted in a one-day postponement of the trial of Spencer Wise, Washington dairyman, here on a charge of killing Leo A. Livers, business man, last November after a disagreement over a dice game at a local hotel.

The trial is scheduled now for next Wednesday. Wise has been at liberty under bond since the coroner's jury held him last November for the killing.

Accountant's Wife Ill From Poisoning

Mrs. Ethel Donvis, 25 years old, 3512 Thirtieth street northwest, last night was treated for poisoning at Emergency Hospital.

Mrs. Donvis was given first aid treatment at her home by policemen of the Fourteenth Precinct, according to whom she had been ill for some time. She is the wife of Benjamin Donvis, accountant. Her condition is undetermined.

Rockville Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued in Rockville yesterday: William M. Brooks, 48 years old, and Anne Clark, 40 years old, both of Washington; William Gillette Wells, 24 years old, Washington, and Frances Louise Newman, 21 years old, of Hawesville, Ky.; Joseph Oberholtzer, 20 years old, of Madison, N. J., and Iona E. Hull, 18 years old, of Takoma Park, Md., and William E. Prentice, 52 years old, of Reno, Colo., and Tillie A. Friemark, 32 years old, of LaCrosse, Wis.

JAMES J. M'GRAW DIES; LONG A G. O. P. LEADER

Credited With Financing the 1918 Congressional Drive That Won Majority.

WAS BANKER AT TULSA

Hot Springs, Ark., March 3 (A.P.).—James J. McGraw, 54, millionaire Oklahoma banker, who died here today, was credited with being responsible for the successful financing of the 1918 Republican congressional campaign that returned a majority in both Houses for that party.

Mr. McGraw's personal check for $150,000 was used in raising funds for the national organization and he contributed $50,000 individually. For four years prior to 1920 he was Republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, being succeeded by Jake Hamon, of Ardmore, who was slain by his nephew's wife, Clara Smith Hamon.

During the 1920 preconvention fight, McGraw was vice chairman of the organization promoting the candidacy of Gen. Leonard Wood for President. After Harding's election, he was offered the position of first assistant postmaster general, but declined. He was president of the Exchange National Bank, of Tulsa, Oklahoma's largest financial institution.

The political leader's death was caused by intestinal paralysis after Dr. John F. Golden, Chicago surgeon, performed a last-minute operation in an attempt to save his life. Dr. Golden rushed here on a special train Thursday morning.

Members of the immediate family were at his side when he died, his son, Joseph, and brother, Henry, having flown from Tulsa in a plane, as did the family physician at Tulsa, Dr. L. G. Washington. A private car was ordered to leave Hot Springs tonight to take the body to Tulsa, where it is expected the funeral will be held, with burial at Ponca City.

Mr. McGraw was born in Leavenworth, Kans., and accompanied his parents to Oklahoma territory in 1893. He started his business career as proprietor of a small grocery in Ponca City. Later he branched into oil and banking.

During the war he was in charge of all disbursements of the Knights of Columbus in France, for which service he was decorated with the Order of the Knights of St. George and with the French Legion of Honor.

MISS ELLA M. CHASE RITES

Services for Former Teacher to Be Held at St. John's Tomorrow.

Funeral services for Miss Ella M. Chase, for 42 years a teacher in Washington schools, who died Friday in Brunswick, Ga., following a brief illness, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at St. John's Episcopal Church. Interment will be at Rock Creek Church Cemetery.

Miss Chase was appointed a teacher in the Washington schools in September, 1884, and received her first assignment as a teacher in the first grade of the old Montgomery Street School, in Georgetown. In 1895 she was made principal of the Addison, and later went to the Curtis in a similar capacity. She retired from the service August 31, 1926.

The former teacher was one of the most widely known in the schools of the Georgetown divisions, Assistant Superintendent of Schools Robert L. Haycock said yesterday. She was stricken while visiting a niece, Mrs. Robert Sparks, in Brunswick. She is survived by a brother residing in this city, and a sister, Mrs. E. D. Parkins, of Brunswick, Ga.

HENRY SHEEHY FUNERAL.

Services to Be Held at Sacred Heart Church and Home Tomorrow.

Funeral services for Henry Sheehy, of 3317 Eleventh street northwest, who died Friday at Sibley Hospital after a long illness, will be conducted from his late residence tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, and at Sacred Heart Church at 10:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

A native of this city, Mr. Sheehy was engaged in the grocery business here for many years, as was his father, the late P. H. Sheehy. He is survived by two sons, Henry B. Sheehy, of New York, and Paul H. Sheehy, of this city; six sisters, Mrs. Maria Hodgkins, Mrs. Nellie McNaheny, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy, Miss Catherine T. Sheehy, Mrs. Josephine Donohue, and Mrs. Agnes Sullivan, and three brothers, Stephen I., Frank P. and Edward Sheehy, all of this city.

COL. CHARLES A. BOOTH DEAD

Retired Veteran of Spanish War Will Be Buried at Arlington Cemetery.

Col. Charles A. Booth, U. S. A., retired, died yesterday at his home, 1629 Columbia road northwest. Interment will be in Arlington National Cemetery tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Col. Booth was born in Vermont in 1850, and entered the United States Military Academy in 1868. On graduation he was commisioned in the infantry, reaching a colonelcy in 1907. He was retired on his own request, after more than 40 years' service, in 1913. He saw service in the Spanish-American war and received the silver star citation for gallantry in action at El Carney, Cuba.

He is survived by his son, Dr. Charles L. Booth, Spartanburg, S. C.

MRS. WILLAMETTE RITES.

Services to Be Held Today With Burial in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Edith Leonore Willamette, wife of John A. Willamette, who died Friday at her home, 2525 Ontario road northwest, will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the chapel of A. J. Schippert, 2008 I street northwest. The Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, of Foundry M. E. Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Willamette, who was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George Dismukes, was born in Macon, Mass., in 1869. She was a sister of Rear Admiral D. E. Dismukes, retired. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Miss Leonore Dismukes Willamette and Miss Johnjaline Alstrope Willamette.

Hibernians Arrange St. Patrick's Dinner

Plans for observance of St. Patrick's Day, March 17, are being completed by the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the ladies auxiliary.

The principal event of the day will be a dinner at the Willard in the evening. James T. McCarthy is in charge of arrangements. Representative Frank Murphy, of Ohio, will be the principal speaker and Patrick H. Haltigan will be toastmaster.

Indiana U Alumni Meets Tomorrow.

The Washington branch of the Indiana University Alumni Association will meet tomorrow night at the residence of Camden R. McAtee, 2813 Thirty-fourth place northwest. The guests of honor will be W. A. Alexander, librarian of the university, and George F. Heigway, alumni secretary. Col. Ernest P. Bicknell is president of the local branch.

OFFICIALS AT BUILDERS' SESSION



Henry Miller Service.

Left to right—James A. Wetmore, supervising architect of the Treasury; Carl T. Schuneman, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and George O. Von Nerta, technical architect of the Treasury, at the closing session of the Society of Constructors of Federal Buildings at the Treasury yesterday.

A. B. McCulloch yesterday was elected president of the Society of Constructors of Federal Buildings, at the concluding session of the society's ninth annual conference in the board room of the Treasury Building. The new officers were installed by J. W. Ginder, retiring president, prior to adjournment of the conference.

They include F. A. Miller, first vice-president; Julian Morton, second vice-president; W. Y. Brady, secretary-editor; and A. L. Blakeslee, treasurer. Following presentation of papers by Neal A. Melick, W. A. Newman, G. R. Roberts and A. L. Blakeslee, a symposium was held on building construction and supervision at the afternoon session.

DRINKING IN SALOON BY HESSE CHARGED BY BLANTON IN HOUSE

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made by the Texan the day before. At that time he called Commissioners Dougherty and Tallaferro and Maj. Hesse and unfolded for them a story of rum running into Washington under police protection.

He had Ernest Burkhalter, an expressman, tell how he had fitted out a special rum-running truck for three bootleggers; how the bootleggers promseid Burkhalter that no harm would come to the truck because they had "police protection," and of how, finally, Policeman Taylor hijacked the truck and robbed it of its cargo.

Later on that day, Blanton went onto the floor of the House and demanded that a "higher up" in the Police Department be put out of office.

Blanton Addresses House.

It was not until yesterday that Blanton made any direct accusation against Hesse. Walking into the House while the Agriculture Department appropriation bill was under consideration, Blanton received permission to deliver a speech. It follows:

"Mr. Chairman, the Gibson committee has developed the most remarkable situation here in Washington which you can imagine. Enforcement of the law is primarily in the hands of the President of the United States. So far as enforcement of prohibition is concerned in the District, it is left in the hands of the district attorney's office.

"We had before us the assistant district attorney who is in charge of the remarkable situation that I presented to you yesterday where the owner of a truck testified before the district attorney that he was running a truck with a secret compartment between various towns and the City of Washington, bringing in as much as 120 five-gallon cans of intoxicating liquor at one trip, that he had the truck made for that purpose; that he had brought in load after load since last summer.

Cites Offer of Immunity.

"Your assistant district attorney admitted this morning that he had offered immunity to three men, bootleggers, who are having this liquor brought in. He is offering them immunity if they would talk; his purpose being to get one policeman who hijacked them.

"He was willing, and he said that the district attorney, the Hon. Peyton Gordon, whose name is now up before another body for confirmation as a judge on the bench, offered immunity to these booteggers if they would help him catch this policeman and they refused. And that is the only reason now that they have not immunity.

"There has been brought to our attention by some of the substantial leading citizens of this District, that out there on the northeast corner of East Capitol street and Fifth street at what is known as Simm's Delicatessen, there is a regular saloon, and that your superintendent of police has been there at night many times to drink. That was testified to before us under oath by substantial citizens. And that the man Simms, in his drunken revelry, from time to time, has boasted that not a policeman will arrest him because he drinks with the superintendent of police.

Lists Alleged Saloons.

"We have had brought to our attention by substantial citizens of this District that at 1004 Twentieth street northwest there is an open saloon running day and night; that anybody but a policeman can get whisky there whenever he wants it; that at 2500 G street northwest there is another one open, where you can get whisky whenever you want it; that at Twenty-seventh and K streets northwest, there is another one running in open violation of the law, and that right across the street from a police station, at 2035 K street northwest, there is another one, where officers in the police station can look across and see what is going on, and that that open saloon has been going on there for months and months.

"Who is responsible for it? You can not tell me that the responsible officers of this Government are asleep to this situation. I call on the President of the United States to tell these Commissioners here that if they do not put a stop to it, he is going to remove them, and to call on the superintendent of the police and tell him that if he does not hold every one of the 1,348 policemen responsible for what goes on on their beats, he is going to remove every one of them.

Calls on the President.

"I am calling on your President to do what the Constitution says he should do and to do what I saw him and heard him hold up his hand to high Heaven and say he would do, and that is, to enforce the law of this land.

"Talk about your enforcement officers that your superintendent of police has put in charge of enforcement!

"I call attention to the evidence that very substantial citizens of the District have brought before us in this respect. One of your policemen in the Ninth Precinct, Officer Stepp, until he was put in charge of this prohibition enforcement, was hard up all of the time borrowing money, a quarter at a time from his colleagues.

"Now he has a fine automobile and recently we have been informed that he made a trip up North and bought $3,000 worth of silver fox hides and brought them back to Washington.

Says Liquor Was Returned.

"Prohibition enforcement here in the District for a police officer is quite a remunerative job. And we had one of your bondsmen here in the District, a man who bonds criminals, come before our committee and testify today that after this hijacking proceeding, when the three bootleggers came to him and told him about being hijacked by a policeman, he told them they ought to squawk and put the policeman in jail, and they were going to squawk, but a friend of that policeman got him around there with these bootleggers between 10 and 11 o'clock at night, in the basement of a building down there, and he agreed to turn their liquor back, and they have not squawked on him and he did turn the liquor back.

"Is this going on with impunity, here within a stone's throw of the Nation's Capitol?

"I call on the President, as the chief law enforcer, to see to it, first, that there is somebody put in this district attorney's office to enforce the law.

Prosecutor Under Fire.

"Do you know who is now doing it? He admitted that he did not get his license to practice until October, 1923, and he was made a clerk in January, 1924. He said he never tried a case in his life, and then after being a clerk awhile, Peyton Gordon made him chief enforcer of the law in the district attorney's office—a poor, green, young lawyer that has no ability and no experience around the courthouse at all.

"He was assistant district attorney and probably when the other body confirms his chief as a judge, he may be made district attorney. I do not know. I want to tell you something. If you put me in charge of enforcement of the law in this District, I would tell every one of the 1,348 policemen, 'I am going to hold you responsible for what goes on on your beat, and if you let a single thing go on there that is against the law, I am going to have you put off the force.' That is the way I would talk to them."

Statement of Maj. Hesse.

The statement issued by Maj. Hesse after he had been told of the charges made by Blanton follows:

"If Representative Blanton has any evidence against me it is his duty to present it to the Commissioners of the District. It is my right to have opportunity to cross-examine his witnesses and introduce testimony in my own behalf. I stand ready to face any investigation of my acts and utterances by the Commissioners to whom I am responsible for my official position.

"As to charges against any other member of the Police Department it is required by law that they be submitted to the trial board through me. I hereby obligate myself to submit to the trial board without further investigation and without changing his language, any charges Representative Blanton may care to bring against any of my subordinates who will thereupon have opportunity for defense and decision by an impartial tribunal without possibility of intervention by Representative Blanton or myself.

"I invite investigation by any unbiased body of men of my record and that of the Police Department under my administration to ascertain whether that record will not disclose the fact that I have honestly and energetically striven to secure enforcement of all laws."

Headley Suspends Taylor.

Policeman Taylor, alleged to be the hijacker in the case, was taken in custody Monday night by Inspector Albert J. Headley, and was promptly suspended. He has denied that he was involved in the case in any way, and has declared that he welcomed an investigation.

Maj. Hesse said yesterday that he had been told that Inspector Headley was the man who furnished Representative Blanton with information concerning the hijacking of the truck. It was learned that Maj. Hesse called upon Headley several times for a report on the Taylor investigation and, finally, a few days ago, gave him 24 hours in which to prepare his report.

McGee, the bondsman, readily admitted to the Gibson subcommittee yesterday that Policeman Taylor and three other men held a conference in his office relative to the stolen liquor. He insisted, however, that he did not take part in the conference and that he was ignorant of what agreement, if any, was reached.

Declares Police Are Crooked.

McGee told the subcommittee that Washington has "the crookedest police force in the United States, and that is taking in a lot of territory." It is common knowledge, he said, that "there is a lot of hijacking around here."

At the outset, McGee told how the "Jews," as he put it, came to his office the night of December 12 and told him how their truck had been hijacked and robbed of $3,000 worth of liquor. He quoted them as saying that they were going to "squeal" on Policeman Taylor.

McGee said he called Policeman Taylor on the telephone and told him that he had "better" come to his office. After Taylor arrived, McGee said, one of the men, Louis Butler, accused him of the hijacking. Taylor, he said, denied it.

Reported to Headley.

After that, McGee said, Taylor and the three men went into another room to talk. When the conference was over, he said, the policeman and the others went out without telling him what had been said or done. Members of the subcommittee made an unsuccessful attempt to lead McGee into admitting that this was not true.

"Did you report the matter?" Representative Blanton asked.

"Yes," McGee said.

"To whom?"

"Inspector Headley."

Asked whether he acted voluntarily, McGee said that he did not report the matter until Inspector Headley had called on him.

In an extension of remarks which appeared in the Congressional Record yesterday, Representative Blanton declared that the district attorney's office ought to be cleaned up from top to bottom.

Two years ago, Blanton said, George L. Cassidy, known as "The Man With the Green Hat," was arrested charged with taking whisky into the House Office Building. It took a year to indict Cassidy, Blanton said, but he has never been brought to trial. For this he blamed the district attorney's office.

LAST DEMOTED MAN GAINS HIS OLD RANK

Capt. Harold P. Stewart Was Among Those Reduced When Cut Was Made in 1922.

OTHERS IN HIGHER POSTS

During the past week, no promotions were made in the Army to the grades of colonel and lieutenant colonel, and Lieut. Col. George E. Goodrich, Infantry, and Maj. Pelham D. Glassford, Field Artillery, remain as seniors in their respective grades and next due for advancement on occurrence of vacancies.

The following officers were promoted to the next higher grades, respectively: Capt. George S. Clarke, Infantry; First Lieuts. Harold P. Stewart and Darrow Menoher, Cavalry, and Second Lieuts. Alden R. Crawford, Air Corps; Rochester F. McEldowney, Field Artillery, and Thomas M. Lowe, Air Corps.

Those promotions leave the following as seniors in their respective grades: Capt. Charles A. Willoughby, Infantry; First Lieut. Mark A. Devine, jr., Cavalry, and Second Lieut. Carl D. Silverthorne, Cavalry.

With the promotion of Lieut. Stewart to the grade of captain, the last of the officers of the Army who were demoted in 1922, when the officer strength was reduced to 12,000, again has reached the rank he held at that time. The number of officers by grade who were demoted was as follows: Majors, 274; captains, 765, and first lieutenants, 840; a total of 1,879.

There are now 184 vacancies in the grade of second lieutenant in the Army.

Two Men Identified As Girl's Attackers

The two colored men held at the Fourteenth Precinct in connection with the attack Friday upon Jessie Scott, 15 years old, colored nursemaid in the residence of George Shroyer, 5605 Thirtieth street northwest, were identified yesterday by the maid and by George Shroyer 2d, 7 years old, who helped beat the men off.

The men were arrested a half hour after the attack at Connecticut avenue and McKinley street northwest. According to the police the two men had assailed the maid and James Shroyer, 5 years old. George secured a poker from the cellar, and began striking the men. As they attempted to subdue him, the maid reached a telephone and called for help. Policeman F. B. Owens arrested the men who are charged with assault.

Convention to Open Cathedral Services

Initial services in the new Washington Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul proper will be held on October 10 in connection with the triennial convention of the Episcopal Church, it was announced yesterday. The Right Rev. Charles Palmerston Anderson, Bishop of Chicago, has been selected as the preacher of the convention sermon.

Officials who are preparing for the convention estimate that at least 8,000 people will be assembled on the cathedral grounds to witness the procession of 100 bishops and other church dignitaries, together with a vast choir which will lead the service.

Post Carrier Boys Fox Theater Guests

Carrier boys of The Washington Post were the guests of the management of the Fox Theater yesterday afternoon at the opening of the new show.

More than 150 of the boys attended the performance, many of them being at the Fox for the first time since it opened. The youngsters all expressed joy at seeing the moving picture and vaudeville show and their appreciation of the management for making it possible.

Stanley Company Buys Five Theaters

The Stanley Co. of America, which controls the Stanley-Crandall Co. of this city, announced yesterday that it has purchased five theaters in Jersey City and Union City, New Jersey, from Haring and Blumenthal.

Addition of the five theaters of the Haring-Blumenthal group gives to the Stanley Co. the direction of more than 275 theaters in 7 States and the District.

TREE PLANTING URGED FOR CAPITAL STREETS

District Heads Asked to Seek Aid From Congress by Women's City Club.

Calling attention to the fact that under the present program of tree planting in Washington it will require 90 years to plant the streets now in existence, the parks and zoning committee of the Women's City Club yesterday addressed a letter to the District Commissioners urging them to get measures through the present session of Congress that will provide for getting trees on the unplanted streets of the city in the shortest possible time.

One of the measures suggested by the committee is an adequate and productive tree nursery. They point out that the maintenance under present conditions is estimated at $14,000 for 1929, while the trees it supplies will not furnish even the small planting of 2,500 called for in the estimates, 1,500 of which must be purchased in the open market at an estimated cost of $4 per tree.

The Commissioners are also requested to make provision for maintaining tree spaces in unplanted sections at a permanent grade, as this will immeasurably improve the appearances of streets which must wait some years for permanent improvements.

Wife Wins Divorce Decree.

Mrs. Jacksie W. Jennings, 1221 Twelfth street northwest, wife of Lonie G. Jennings, U. S. Coast Guard, was awarded a final decree for absolute divorce against him yesterday by Justic Hitz in Equity Court on her charge that he entertained another woman in the Jennings apartment during the absence of the plaintiff. The latter was married June 7, 1923. Attorney George M. Morris appeared for Mrs. Jennings who is allowed to resume her maiden name of Wagner.

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Sometimes it is huge fur cuffs on an othewise plain coat—sometimes it is a novel scarf collar or a clever back seaming—sometimes it is a whole fur scarf smartly mounted—but always there is some outstanding features which makes each coat distinctively new. The tailoring is faultless — the fabrics beautiful — the colors very new. Sizes for women and misses.

Silk Ensembles

Distinctly of the New Season

$29.50 to $79.50

Both two and three piece effects are among the smart new models in this group—three-quarter or jacket length coats, with charming dresses or attractive silk blouses. Of plain and printed crepes—also new models of wool and silk. In new Spring hues. Sizes 36 to 44—and 42½ to 52½.

Handsome New Tailored Ensembles, $65 and $75

These have modish frocks which look as well when you remove your coat as when you wear it! And the cloth coats may be worn separately. In navy blue or black.

PALAIS ROYAL—Apparel—Third Floor

Beguilingly Feminine—Delightfully New

Fashion Turns to Large Hats

$10 to $25

With the fashion pendulum swinging toward a charming femininity, it was inevitable that the large hat should appear—and be highly approved! These, of delicate hair braids, of maline or fine straws are enchantingly trimmed with laces, flowers and ribbons.



PALAIS ROYAL—Millinery—Third Floor

New Silk Underwear

Specially Priced



Pajamas Chemises Slips Gowns Step-ins

$3.98

Dozens of pretty styles—daintiest rosebud colors—and a heavy quality of rich crepe de chine! The manufacturers certainly outdid themselves when they made these. Tailored or lace-trimmed models—and, remember, they're all specially priced!

PALAIS ROYAL—Lingerie—Third Floor

Violets—$2.00

They're "blooming" on every fashionable shoulder this Spring! Large velvet clusters in red helio, natural or blue helio—combined with deep, rich foliage.

Flowers—Main Floor.



As Lovely as the Flower Itself—

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Special Note: With each purchase of $1 of Amaryllis preparations, we will give a miniature bottle of Amaryllis perfume.

Amaryllis Perfume — a delicate, delicious scent—$2, $4 and $7.

Toilet Water—$4.

Face Powder — in all shades — white, flesh and Rachel—$1.

Talcum Powder—$1.50.

PALAIS ROYAL—Toiletries—Main Floor.

It's a Print Season—Even Her

New Handbags



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Pouch and underarm models, mounted on shell top and metal frames. With top and back strap handles. Rich colorful designs in the fashionable Indian prints — equally smart with frocks of plain color or matching prints; with dark or light coats.

PALAIS ROYAL—Handbags—Main Floor.



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680 Pairs of Our Regular $8, $10 and $12 Grades

Forty different styles—that's the variety the sale includes! Everything from plain pumps and ties to silver and gold cloth evening slippers. All sizes and widths in the group—but not, of course, in every style.

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A very special purchase!

Stylish Stout and La Premiere

Girdles and Step-ins

$4.95

But they're $10, $12.50 and $13.50 grades!

Fancy brocades in pink or peach combined with surgical elastic and in 14 and 15 inch lengths—garments designed especially for the heavier type of figure. The Stylish Stout models are reinforced over the abdomen. All sizes in the group.

PALAIS ROYAL—Corsets—Third Floor.

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FRENCH ARE AROUSED BY COURT SCANDALS

Publicity Regarded as Very Offensive to Repute of French Nation.

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—The American divorce industry in France, which has been so hard hit by the refusal of the Versailles court to grant a divorce to Bainbridge Colby has been in the hands of a clique of foreign lawyers, who had French attorneys appear for them in court.

Reno, in its palmiest days, never had such a thriving patronage from Americans who wanted to have their marital ties dissolved. The fees many wealthy American women paid their attorneys were fabulous.

Rounding up possible divorces became a profitable business on France-bound steamers and in the fashionable hotels and night clubs. Women, as well as men, acted as representatives of firms which specialized in hurry-up divorces. These representatives worked on the Riviera and at the fashionable resorts on the Basque and Channel coasts.

Lawyers' Merits Argued.

Divorce lawyers and their relative merits were discussed with the same freedom that women chat about dressmakers and beauty specialists. Cannes, Nice, Biarritz, Monte Carlo and Deauville were favorite resorts for women who had established an alleged domicile in Paris and traveled about while their attorneys were getting their cases ground painlessly and secretly through the divorce mill, which has been so rudely interrupted.

Divorce is rare among French people and is much frowned on by the average Frenchman and Frenchwoman. Consequently the scandals which centered about the dealings of French courts with American and other foreign divorce applicants were especially offensive to thoughtful French people and the French press. For a time the epidemic of American divorces in French courts was looked on as a manifestation of foreign eccentricity. It was smiled at by Frenchmen much in the way that they laugh at the foreigners who seem to get such a thrill out of night clubs and amusement places which are maintained for foreigners.

Publicity Last Straw.

However, when stage and screen favorites and society queens began sailing for France with a blast of trumpets announcing that they expected to take treatment in the French divorce courts the world-wide publicity became very offensive to thoughtful Frenchmen and the Paris press began to protest that France's reputation was suffering.

Hereafter an affidavit from a janitor or hotel clerk that a divorce applicant has established a residence in France will be no proof of residence. Getting a French divorce no longer will be a summer vacation task in which dissatisfied people may engage whenever the spirit moves them.

End of Restrictions On Rubber Demanded

Colombo, Ceylon, March 3 (A.P.).—Demand that restriction of rubber exports be immediately abolished was made today by the Low Country Products Association of Ceylon in an appeal to the British government. The association declared that rubber production is getting ahead of consumption and that unless extension of the industry in foreign countries is checked by the removal of the restrictions, the industry in Ceylon will suffer irreparably.

PRISONER THREATENED AT PARIS TRIAL AS SPY

"Thou Art the Man," Seven Witnesses Say to Alleged Agent of Germany.

ACCUSED MAN IS CALM

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Jules Cesar Joseph La Parre, charged with treason and acting as a German spy at Brussels while that city was occupied by the Kaiser's forces, today heard seven witnesses exclaim, "Thou art the man," as they pointed accusing fingers at him.

Some of these witnesses were menacing in their attitude toward the man in the prisoner's dock. Others were indifferent. But all were positive that La Perre was responsible for getting them into the clutches of the German military police.

Gabriel Istas, knowledge of whose hiding place La Perre obtained by bulldozing Istas' young son, shouted in a delirium of rage when La Perre attempted to deny the accusation.

"Don't you lie here, La Perre," he screamed as he advanced toward the dock with clenched fists. He was restrained by bailiffs.

La Perre, cool and collected, said he would challenge the jurisdiction of the French courts, even though the facts with which he is charged are all proved.

"The acts were all committed in Brussels, and in what department of France is Brussels situated?" La Perre queried sarcastically. The trial was adjourned early this evening until next Monday.

Stewart, Attorney, Is Cited at Chicago

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—William Scott Stewart, former assistant State's attorney, who has scored a number of notable successes since he left the prosecutor's office for private practice, was cited today for contempt of court upon allegations of intimidation of witnesses growing out of the trial in which Dr. Armante Rongetti was sentenced to the electric chair.

Stewart it was who saved the life of Russell Scott, the murderer by a last-minute plea of insanity when he faced the gallows and kept him alive through months of court work until Scott finally killed himself. Stewart also successfully defended William Darling Shepherd, lawyer, against the charge that he fed fatal typhoid germs to his wife's former ward, William Nelson McClintock, who left a $1,000,000 estate to Shepherd.

CLEW IN TRAIN HOLDUP NEAR ATTORNEY'S HOME

Dwelling of C. S. Wharton, at Chicago, Twice Searched by Federal Agents.

LOCKS OF SACKS FOUND

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—Locks of the sacks which contained the $133,000 obtained in the holdup of a Grand Trunk train here last Saturday were recovered here today from an ash pile near the home of Charles S. Wharton, attorney.

Wharton's home was searched, but he said no clew was found in it.

Wharton, the police said, had represented Charles Cleaver, under indictment for the robbery, in previous brushes with the law.

The locks were found in a heap of ashes in a wooden inclosure adjoining the garage at the rear of Wharton's home.

Wharton said that his house first was searched while he and his wife were absent, that the officers returned with a request to be permitted to search, were refused and returned the third time at 10 p. m. with a warrant.

"They found nothing," he said, "which is evidenced by the fact that I was not asked to sign for the receipt of any articles taken from the house.

"I have heard since that it has been reported that a clew to some of the loot had been found near my house, but I know nothing of it."

A writ of habeas corpus for Mrs. William Donovan, wife of one of the men indicted in connection with the robbery, was refused today when it was represented that she wishes to remain in custody because of threats against her.

Briand Meets U. S. Wishes on Oil Law

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Foreign Minister Briand appeared before the petroleum committee of the chamber of deputies yesterday and successfully opposed certain changes in the bill governing the importation of oil into France which tends to increase the government's control. The foreign minister took the step as the result of representations made by Washington.

The committee, after hearing Briand's objections, declared that it would report the bill in its original form when the chamber discusses it Tuesday. It has been stated in parliamentary circles that the bill would involve no discrimination among petroleum producing countries.

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Step-ins— Side-Hook— Front-Clasp.

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$1.50 Glove Silk Vests

$1

Well tailored of good quality glove silk. Self material straps, picot top. Flesh and peach, 36 to 42.

First Floor.

$1.95 Silk Bloomers

$1.39

Good quality glove silk bloomers, well tailored, with reinforced crotch. Flesh and pink. Sizes 6 and 7.

First Floor.

$13.95-$20 Negligees

$10

New crepe de chine, flowered satin, or novelty metallic cloth negligees in tailored or lacy styles. Lovely colors. Only one of a style.

Fifth Floor.

New $8.95 Negligees

$6.95

Of crepe de chine, flowered rayon, or metallic cloth in the coming styles and stunning color effects, light or dark.

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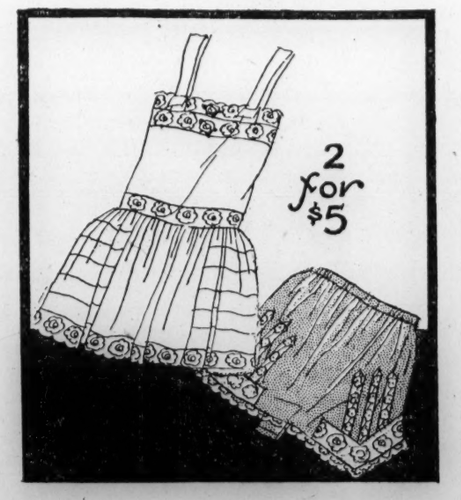
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MUSSOLINI ISSUES WARNING TO AUSTRIA IN TYROL ISSUE

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spite the violence of Austrian criticism, he would speak with "the utmost calm but without equivocation."

He added:

"Furthermore, this is the last time I shall speak upon this theme. In the future I shall let the facts do the talking."

The premier made his address, which was greeted with a storm of applause, only a few hours after he had marched in the funeral procession of Marshal Armando Diaz whose victory over the Austrian army in 1918 gave Italy her present northern frontier. However, he made no use of the significance of the morning's commemoration, confining himself to a review of what fascist Italy had done for her citizens of German blood and speech and Italy's aid to Austria after the post-war debacle.

Ridicules League Proposal.

All talk of submitting the question of "minorities" to the League of Nations is nonsense, the premier declared, adding that if Geneva "entered such a labyrinth it would never succeed or emerge."

His reference to the League of Nations, uttered with what appeared a sardonic smile, evoked some titters of laughter from among the deputies who had crowded the chamber in which he spoke. This reference, the premier emphasized, repeating "the League of Nations? Geneva? What a hope!"

His peroration, "let us make known to the Tyrolese, to the Austrians and to the whole world that upon the Brenner Pass all Italy with its living and its dead is upright and on its guard,' was the signal for a storm of applause from the deputies, who rose as one man singing "Giovinezza," the Italian hymn.

Answering protests in the Austrian parliament against the alleged mistreatment of the German-speaking inhabitants of the Upper Adige, the premier declared that all reports about "systems of tyranny, brothers tortured and peoples slaughtered by the barbarous Fascista dictatorship, besides being false, are superlatively ridiculous."

"Not the Pupils of Austria."

"We are not the pupils of Austria, which for a whole century filled the countries of half Europe with executioners, filled the prisons with martyrs and erected scaffolds everywhere," he said.

Declaring that reports of Fascist atrocities were the mere inventions of a diseased imagination, the premier said that only two persons of German nationality in the adige were sent into forced domicile. One of them was almost immediately freed and the penalty on the other was reduced and "indeed he would also have been freed had it not been that a campaign in his favor was conducted abroad."

Replying to charges that Italy had done nothing to build up the province of Bolzano, Mussolini said that Italy had undertaken there gigantic public works and had spent hundreds of millions of lire electrifying the Bolzano-Brenner Railway and constructing two great hydro-electric plants, one of 40,000 and the other of 270,000 horsepower, 195,000 of which would be utilized for private industry. This represented a total government outlay of 400,000,000 lire and employed 5,000 workmen. "It was most curious during the excavations," the premier exclaimed, "that workmen found Roman coins of the first centuries of the Roman Empire!"

Rural Houses Built.

Other huge works were erected, and 11,000,000 lire were spent on rural houses, most of which went to shelter Italian farmers of German nationality, the premier said.

Expanding on conditions in Bolzano, Mussolini asserted that there were still fifteen newspapers published in the German language there, political as well as economic, literary and scholastic.

"Since our great tolerance is badly understood," he added, "I give a last warning. If the anti-Italian campaign continues beyond the Brenner, the fate of these publications is sealed. They will be suppressed."

Vienna Ignores Address.

Vienna, March 3 (A.P.).—Ignoring the declaration of Premier Mussolini to the Italian Chamber today that he would hereafter indulge "in deeds rather than in words" in the Tyrolese affair, Austrian ministerial quarters and the press today confined their replies to redirecting the attention of the world to what they term Italy's continued oppression of German-speaking minorities in the Southern Tyrol.

They asserted that Mussolini studiously avoided replying to the specific charges of the Austrian deputies and to Chancellor Seipel's appeal.

The newspaper Arbeiterzeitung tomorrow will say that the undemocratic treatment by Mussolini applies not only to German subjects in the annexed territory, but even to his own nationals. The newspaper, which is the organ of the working classes, concludes, "All argument with him is futile."

Huston Thompson Petitions Refused

Bismarck, N. Dak., March 3 (A.P.).—Al Smith, of New York, today had a clear road to the presidential preference of North Dakota Democrats at the March 20 primaries. Faulty petitions led the secretary of state last night to rule out the candidacy of Huston Thompson, former Federal Trade Commissioner, whose name was the only one that had been proposed besides Gov. Smith's.

The secretary said that the Thompson petitions carried only 418 names, whereas 500 are required by law. George Wallace, of Minneapolis, who filed the petitions in Thompson's behalf, said he would appeal to the secretary for a reversal of the ruling. Wallace said he had checked the names before filing and found the petitions complied with the law.

$10,000,000 PARK LOAN DISAPPROVED

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George C. Havenner, George H. Russell, Jesse C. Suter, E. S. Hege, Charles I. Stengle and Col. H. C. Newcomer. The consensus of these speakers was that a proviso on an appropriation act was not the way to deal with the question. Some of them wanted a period of three years to intervene before nonresident children should be barred, to give opportunity for the building of more schools in border territory outside the District.

Suter moved to amend the motion to allow three years' warning, but it was defeated because Stull said that such action could not be included in an appropriation act. Then Havenner offered an amendment that the children of any State be permitted to attend Washington public schools on payment of reasonable tuition. Proponents of the motion said that the amendment would defeat the purpose of the motoin. Nevertheless it was adopted by a vote of 29 to 21 and Stull then moved to table the whole proceeding. The motion was lost and the amended motion on the main question was carried.

Thomas Lodge, chairman of the committee on laws and legislation, presented a report opposing the Treasury loan of $10,000,000 for park sites stating as items of the committee's opposition that the interest on the loan would be too heavy a burden, that maintenance of the parks would cost too much, that an undesirable precedent (borrowing money) would be established, that too much land would be withdrawn from taxation, and that even if these objections did not apply it ought not be done until a more satisfactory fiscal relation had been established between the municipal and Federal governments. The motion was carried.

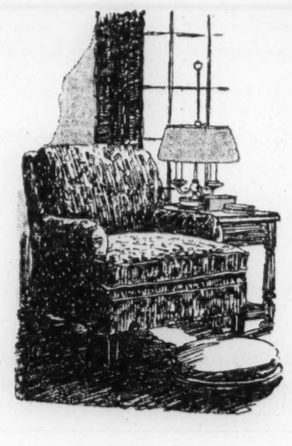
The Lankford Sunday closing bill was dismissed as "not a proper subject for legislative enactment."

The bill to increase the salaries of policemen and firemen was sent back to Lodge's committee on motion of Charles I. Stengle, not to be reported out "until the Gibson committee has disposed of certain matters now pending before it," meaning the investigation of the police department.

The bills to abolish capital punishment and to exempt fraternity houses from taxation were disapproved. The federation approved a bill to amend bond procedure in criminal cases.

No action was taken on the pending street car merger agreement except a vote of thanks to and confidence in the committee on public utilities for its work in attending the merger hearings and a vote of appreciation of the newspapers for the full and detailed reports published concerning the merger hearings.

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FOREIGN VESSELS DRIVING AMERICANS OFF OCEAN, CLAIM

Shipping Board Tells Congress Government Must Give Aid in Situation.

SEVEN SPECIFICATIONS ADVANCED IN ANALYSIS

Fleet of Speedy Craft, Available in War-Time, Should Be Constructed, View.

(Associated Press.)

Foreign competition is threatening to drive American vessels from the seas unless a definite program of stability and improvement in the merchant marine is carried out, the Shipping Board informed Congress yesterday in an exhaustive analysis on shipping.

To serve the best interests of the people, the merchant marine should be adequate in tonnage, of the most up-to-date type, second to none in speed and readily convertible for use in national defense, the board declared.

"American shippers," it added, "would find it more advantageous to employ the services of such an American merchant marine, and it would satisfy best the Nation's foreign trade and defense requirements."

Seven Specifications Filed.

Seven specifications for the permanent establishment for an American merchant marine were set forth. These included the provision in advance for the construction, maintenance and operation of ships for ten years; frequent sailings on specified trade routes; fastest speed of merchant ships on the seas, cargo capacity sufficient to carry most of the foreign cargo tonnage, and ships equipped with facilities for handling perishable cargoes.

One of the specifications urged a reserve tramp fleet for use in the seasonal movement of cotton, wheat, coffee and sugar.

"As an effective army of national defense," the seventh specification read, "the American merchant marine should be comprised of vessels properly designed for conversion into light cruisers, and to perform other specialized services, such as a convoy to the Navy, and as the overseas branch of the Army transport."

Factors of Difficulty.

Among factors which make it difficult for American ships to compete successfully in overseas commerce are increased cost of construction due to higher wages, better standards of living and costlier materials in this country, the report said.

Although not suggesting the lowering of the American standards, the report points out that the Government is the only agency which is able to equalize the differentials existing between this and foreign countries.

Ocean freight rates have been held at lower and more stable levels since 1920 because of the increased number of American vessels than they would have been held had the traffic been left entirely to foreign shipping interests, the report declared.

The resultant savings to farmers and manufacturers in marketing exportable surpluses and in obtaining material for consumption at less cost, it continued, "have aided materially in maintaining the higher wage levels in this country."

Distribution of Radio Stations Reaffirmed

(Associated Press.)

By a vote of 12 to 5 the House merchant marine committee yesterday reaffirmed its stand in favor of an equal distribution of radio broadcasting stations among the States upon the basis of population and area.

The vote came on a motion that the committee rescind its previous action in approving an amendment to the Senate radio bill to provide for such allocation. This means that the Senate bill which, among other things provides for the continuance of the life of the Federal Radio Commission for one year will be called up in the House as originally approved by the House committee.

18-Ton Bell for U. S. Completed With Fete

Croydon, England, March 3 (A.P.). This ancient town today held a high festival of bell ringers, the occasion being the completion of an 18-ton bell which will be added to the carillon of the 53 bells in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York.

The great Bourbon, which is the largest ever cast in England, was sounded for the first time. Selections were played also on a carillon of 23 bells which is being assembled for a church in Rochester, Minn.

Cyril Johnston, head of a famous bell foundry, invited representatives of all the bell ringing guilds in the country. All the famous ringers from St. Paul's Cathedral in London came and those from other churches swelled the total to about 2,500. The festival was graced further by the presence of the Archbishop of Canterbury and other church dignitaries.

LUDWIG PLANS TO WRITE ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S LIFE

German Biographer Pays Visit to Coolidge to Announce His Decision.

PRESIDENT GIVES DATA

Emil Ludwig, the famous German biographer of Bismarck and Napoleon, visited President Coolidge at the White House yesterday to announce to the President that he had decided to write the life of Abraham Lincoln.

The President contributed to data which Herr Ludwig has collected with incidents and anecdotes not of common knowledge concerning President Lincoln's occupancy of the White House.

Herr Ludwig was accompanied to the White House by Ambassador von Prittwitz, of Germany, who was informed by the President that the alien property bill, returning German property confiscated here during the war—having passed both houses of Congress, arrived at the White House yesterday and had been transmitted to the Budget Bureau for record before receiving the President's signature.

The German author talked with Mr. Coolidge regarding the life of Woodrow Wilson. He said that he was returning to Europe and would immediately begin the Lincoln book. He hoped that it would be ready for publication next year. Asked following his interview with Mr. Coolidge what had been his impressions of the present incumbent, he said:

"I would congratulate the United States in having such a man at the head of its government."

It was learned yesterday that Herr Ludwig sold the American rights for his now famous 600-page book, "Life of Napoleon," for a comparatively small sum, having been advised that the American people would not be greatly interested. It was after the publication of the work and its great success here that he was able to recover something more but, according to the author himself, not a great deal.

Herr Ludwig will write his life of Lincoln at his villa in Ascona, Switzerland, not far from Locarno, made famous by the negotiation of the treaty of that name. With him in this country and assisting in the collection of data on Lincoln has been his wife. Frau Ludwig was born in South Africa and speaks and writes perfect English.

HOUSE BILL LIMITS MINIMUM RATE FIXING

Newton Would Restrict Power of I. C. C.; Favors Letting Railroads Make Rule.

(Associated Press.)

A move to restrict and limit the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission to prescribe a minimum rate was initiated in the House yesterday with the introduction of a bill by Representative Newton (Republican) Minnesota, which would prohibit the commission from fixing a rate below which a railroad might not go.

Newton said the commission during the last eight or nine years has been asked more and more frequently to make use of the minimum rate fixing power. This, he said, was resulting in the commission being called upon to pass, not upon the question of the reasonableness of a suggested rate, but upon a question of unjust discrimination against other markets in different sections of the country.

"Under those conditions," he said "the railroad management itself is the best judge of whether or not the rate should be changed. Now and then the commission's judgment may be sound in passing upon that kind of a case, but in the long run the best interests of the country, and of commerce and industry, will be served through letting the railroad managements exercise its own discretion, subject only to the power of the commission to prescribe reasonable and prevent unduly discriminatory and prejudicial rates."

RAIL CONSOLIDATION LEGISLATION URGED

Fess Sees Government Ownership Looming Unless Lines Are Aided.

(Associated Press.)

Early action by the Senate interstate commerce committee on the Fess bill to promote railroad consolidation was presaged yesterday by Chairman Watson (Republican), Indiana, who asked for a vote without further delay.

The Senate committee has been unable to take up the Fess bill for six weeks. In the meantime, a similar proposal of Chairman Parker of the House commerce committee was considered for a month by th House committee.

Relief for the "weak lines" of the National railroad system through consolidation is so necessary, Senator Fess (Republican), Ohio, told the Senate committee yesterday, that the only alternative is Government ownership and operation.

Ben B. Cain, vice president and general counsel for the American Short Line Railroad Association, said the bill proposed would not solve the "short lines" and "weak lines" problem. He suggested several minor technical modifications.

Chairman Watson appointed a subcommittee of Senators Fess (Republican), Ohio; Sackett (Republican), Kentucky), and Smith (Democrat), South Carolina), to consider the consolidation bill in executive session.

8 MARINES, WOUNDED, TRANSPORTED BY PLANE

Official Statement Says That Sandino Has Seized Only 6 U. S. Pistols.

REPORT IS CALLED FALSE

Managua, Nicaragua, March 3 (A.P.).—The eight United States marines who were wounded in the Daraili fight, in which five of their comrades were killed, reached this city today in airplanes from Ocotal. All were believed to be out of danger and when taken to the hospital were able to sit in chairs.

Since the marines opened their campaign for pacification of Nicaragua they have lost to the forces of Augustino Sandino only six rifles and pistols, according to an official statement issued by marine headquarters here today.

"During the past year," the statement read, "Sandino has obtained from marines in Nicaragua a total of about six rifles and pistols. These weapons fell into the hands of Sandinistas incident to the captures of two marines who lost their command and were captured by Sandino, later to be released.

"The seizures were also incident to individual casualties among marines in contacts with the enemy. From a plane which made a forced landing last winter and was immediately burned, Sandino obtained two machine guns. It is certain that the burning of the plane rendered these weapons useless. These were the only machine guns which could possibly have fallen into the hands of Sandino.

"Last winter in an encounter, the Sandinistas obtained a Browning automatic rifle from marines. The bolt of this rifle was removed before it fell into his hands.

"The above statement covers all weapons which could possibly have ever fallen into Sandino's hands from marines in Nicaragua since they landed in the country.

"Sandino never captured or otherwise received a Thompson gun from the marines. Sandino never attacked any marine supply depot. Any report that Sandino captured supplies from one of our stations or depots is false.

"Sandino has some automatic weapons, including Thompson guns. Practically all automatic weapons in the hands of Sandino are of types made in the United States."

Ralston-Purina Plant Burns.

Battle Creek, Mich., March 3 (A.P.).—The main plant here of the Ralston-Purina Co., manufacturers of food products, was destroyed by fire today with a loss estimated at $275,000. The fire is believed to have been caused by a broken gas line.

French Elections April 22.

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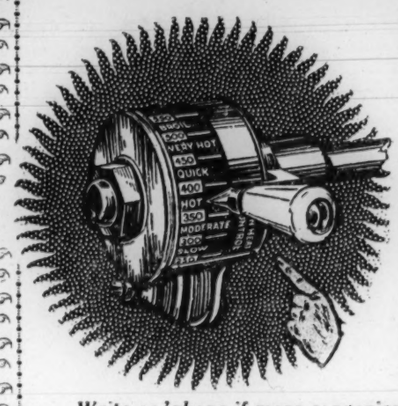
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AGRICULTURE'S GAIN IS LEADING FLORIDA BACK TO NORMALCY

Permanent Residents Show Not a Dent in Their Spirit; All Optimistic.

CAPITAL IS FLOWING IN LOSSES ARE WIPED OFF

Boom Left Fine Roads, Cities and Harbors; Farmers Getting Land Back.

Miami, Fla., March 3.—Throughout southern Florida the belief seems general that the region is about to round the corner, with agriculture hitched to the pulling rope. It has survived a real estate boom and a hurricane and a crop failure, and the permanent residents, displaying never a dent in their spirit, say the worst days are behind them. Almost any Floridian when interrogated as to the future comes back with a line of optimism that goes as follows:

"More people are coming in than ever. When the boom busted, it left us with roads we wouldn't have been able to get otherwise in a dozen years. It left us with ten times more transportation facilities than before, with new steam tracks and harbors and ocean ships. It left Miami and Palm Beach with skylines.

Magic Cities are Left.

"Unlike most booms in other places, when ours collapsed it left behind substantial improvements and magic cities and all we need now is population and industries to keep them going all year long instead of in the tourist season."

The stretch between Palm Beach and Miami was the scene of greatest exploitation during the boom.

"Who held the bag?"

This question brings a wide variety of answers, the burden of which is that anybody that got caught with land at the inflated prices was stuck.

Many who bought lots at original prices are still hanging on, in the hope that in a year or two there will be a normal market. The old boom prices, when any shoe-stringer tried to sell a visitor a turpentine swamp at $1,000 a foot along the Dixie Highway—folks laugh at them now and wonder how buyers could have been so soft.

One of the worst phases of the boom was the cutting down of citrus groves to make subdivisions far away from town. In most instances the farmers who sold at fancy prices are getting their land back. Many of the were stung just as were little investors up North who bought lots in fake enterprises that looked fin in the pictures, painted by artists with high powered imagination. Many a farmer contracted to sell at a fancy figure, he got one-fourth down, then had to take his property back a few years later when other payments were defaulted. Some of them paid income tax on the entire paper profits, and a commission of 10 per cent and the costs of foreclosure, and after losing the use of their land and its old crops for two or three years got it back with the trees destroyed, meaning new groves had to be set out.

But capital appears to be coming in. The bona fide developments are being refinanced and some are passing into stronger financial hands. Leaders in the region hold that after the losses have all been written off things will strike a normal gait again.

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Horn, a native of Wilmington, Del., holds a B. S. degree in electrical engineering, received in 1910 from the University of Delaware. He has been connected with the General Electric Company since that time, except during the World War, when he served as captain, overseas, with the Seventh Trench Mortar Battalion, Coast Artillery Corps. Upon leaving the Army, Horn reassociated himself with the General Electric, and in 1924 was made manager of the Washington office.

For a long period Horn served at the head of the committee on publicity of the Electric League of Washington, planning its advertising policies and informing the public of its aims. He has also served on the executive committee of the league.

Horn is past chairman, Washington section, American Institute of Electrical Engineers and member of the Society of American Military Engineers, the Washington Society of Engineers, the Washington Rotary Club and of other clubs and organizations.

Lewis to Address Phi Delta Alumni

Dr. William Mather Lewis, president of Lafayette University and former head of George Washington University in Washington, will be the toastmaster at the annual founder's day dinner of the Washington Alumni Club of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, which will be held March 14 at the Lafayette Hotel.

Among the speakers at the dinner will be Dr. John J. Tigert, commissioner of education; Justice McReynolds, of the Supreme Court of the United States; Senators Robinson, of Indiana; Thomas, of Oklahoma; Fletcher, of Florida, and Representatives Burtness, of North Dakota; Collins, of Mississippi; Bankhead, of Alabama; Hardy, of Colorado; Connally, of Texas; Johnson, of North Dakota; former Representative Foster, of Ohio, and Charles Sornborger, of Washington, all of whom are members of the fraternity.

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TRAFFIC EQUIPMENT CONTRACTS AWARDED

$37,000 Released for Signal System Extension by District Heads.

Contracts were awarded by the District Commissioners yesterday for $37,000 worth of electric traffic signal equipment to be used in the $270,000 extension of the traffic signal system for which funds were raised by sale of automobile drivers' permits.

Crouse Hinds Co., of Syracuse, N. Y., got the major contract, for 620 signals including supporting arms and pole clamps, for $28,675. This is the concern from which the first equipment was purchased, resulting in the traffic signal investigation of the Gibson subcommittee last year and the dismissal of Assistant Traffic Director I. C. Moller and demotion of M. O. Eldridge from director to assistant director.

The other items contracted for were timers, switches and relay panels from the General Electric Co., of Schenectady, N. Y., for $7,008.95, two independent timers from the Harrington Seaburg Corporation, of Moline, Ill., for $252 and 32 manual transfer switches from the American Gas Accumulator Co., of Elizabeth, N. J., for $1,337.60.

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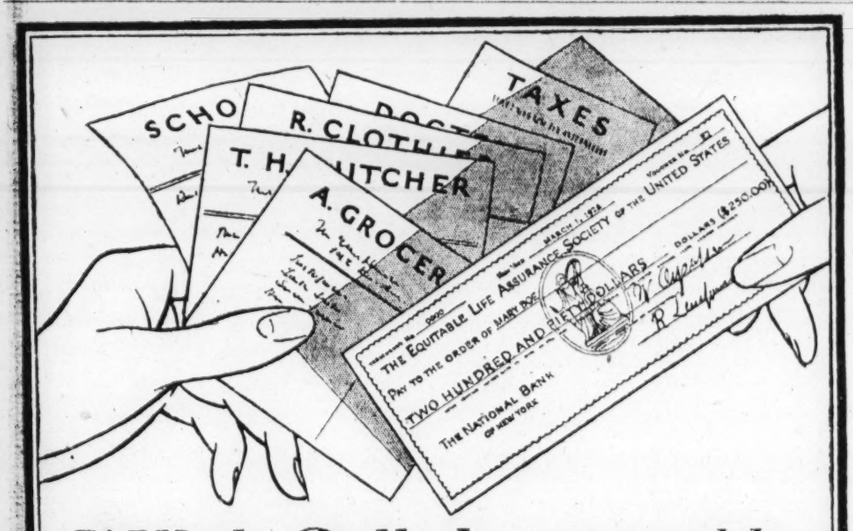
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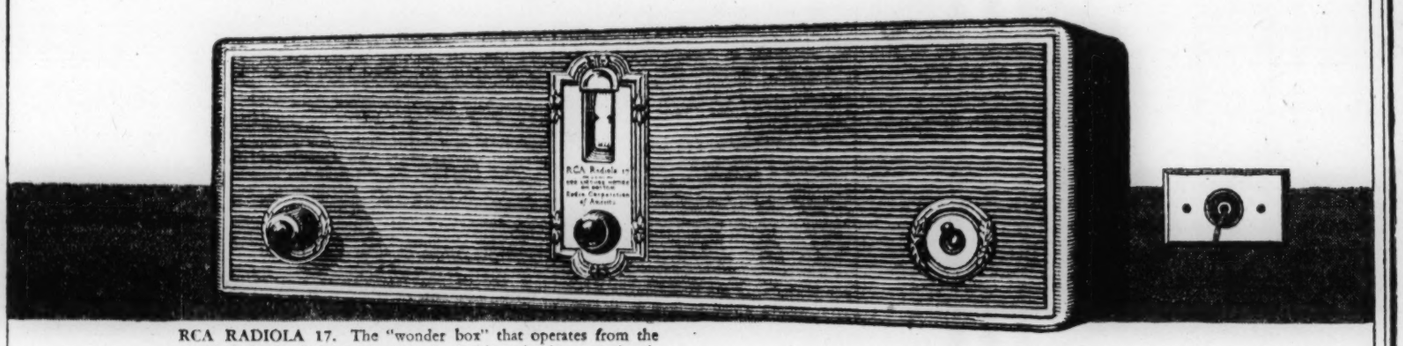
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Surplus	100,349,767
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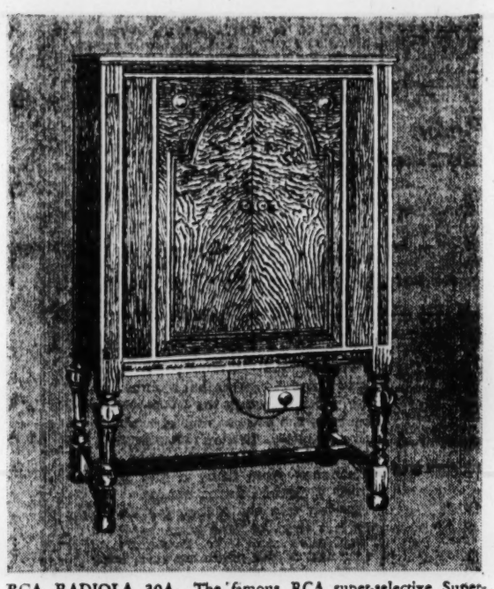
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Electric League Briefs

By N. H. BARNES, Secretary

A meeting of the executive committee of the Electric League is to be held tomorrow, at 12:30 p. m., at the City Club. Business of the league has required holding of one extra meeting of the committee already this year, but a full attendance at the regular meeting tomorrow will no doubt overcome any requirement for another special meeting soon. The executive committee includes the following: Representing the union contractors, J. D. Mackessy, Joseph T. Kirchner; nonunion contractors, L. L. Hayes, R. L. McDormand; dealers, Edward R. Bateman, F. B. Dillon; fixtures dealers, R. R. Breen, P. A. Davis; jobbers, T. Lincoln Townsend, H. R. Carroll; refrigeration, B. M. Bennett, G. E. Wagner; manufacturers, C. T. Day, B. H. Hamilton, and the central station, G. P. Mangan, N. H. Barnes. In addition to these, A. F. E. Horn, president; L. T. Souder, immediate past president, and F. T. Shull are members.

The next regular meeting of the league is to be held on Thursday night, March 8. In addition to the short and snappy brief business meeting, which is planned, there will be several features to entertain the members of the league attending. The league meetings have become more and more popular among the members, to a point that now about 60 per cent of the full membership is regularly attending. This is unusual in trade organizations. Herman Wilson is chairman of the committee in charge of plans and programs for meetings this year.

The first edition of The Outlet, electrical official organ of the league office, is now being received by members. The paper was conceived by one of the league committees, and details of placing it into operation were worked out by A. F. E. Horn, president, and Dean Gallagher, manager of the league. News and notes pertinent to the electrical industry are the important features. The Outlet will keep all members familiar with the activities of the league, especially the league office.

A copyrighted story appearing last week in one of Washington's dailies told graphically of the burden lifted from the shoulders of a devoted housewife by the unloading of a van of electrical appliances and devices. An electric iron, an electric washer and an electric vacuum cleaner were prominent among the others. According to the story, the lady's physician had called her husband to his office and prescribed the electrical equipment as being necessary to her future health. In more than one instance, in fact in thousands of instances, this would prove to be a true story. It was brought to our attention by Edward R. Bateman, electrical contractor-dealer, at 2924 Fourteenth street, and long-time worker in the Electrical League of Washington, D. C.

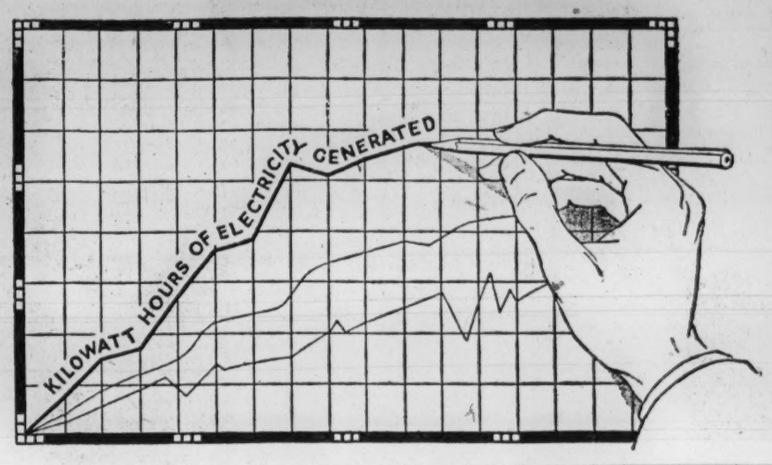
Arrangements are being made now for the placing of the Electric League emblem on the store show windows of the members of the Electric League. It has been found that most every one who wants anything electrical wants to arrange to get it from a member of the Electric League. With the sign in the window, the folks will be better able to pick out the stores and shops of the members of the league. Orders can be placed now for these decalcomanias in any number.

The opening of the Valley Vista Apartments and the Hay-Adams House during the past two weeks has attracted much attention among the seekers of comforts in Washington. In the first each kitchen is equipped with electric refrigeration and an electric dishwasher and each apartment living room has a radio from which a choice of three broadcasting stations can be received. Adequate outlets are supplied in both these buildings to take care of the many needs in the way of electrical appliances, devices and lamps. The first of these two buildings was electrically equipped by the Delta Electric Company, N. Owen Houghton, manager, and League member, and the second by the E. C. Ernst Company, of which E. C. Ernst is proprietor and Fred Mitchell executive assistant. Both are members of the Electric League of Washington.

At a meeting of the commercial members of the Potomac Electric Power Company, held on last Tuesday, Fred W. George, junior member of the Electric League of Washington, was among the speakers who told of the development of electrification of rural, semi-rural and farm communities.

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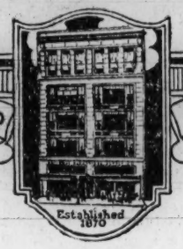
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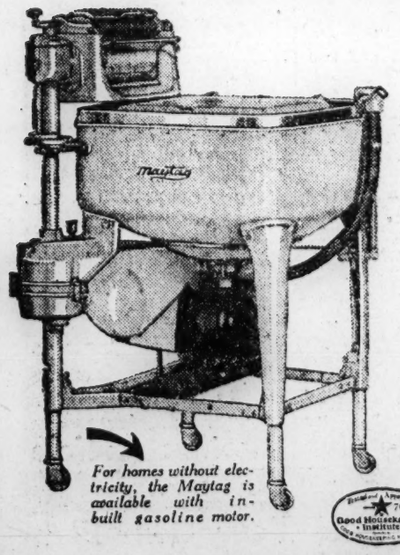
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REID ENABLING BILL WITHDRAWAL LOOMS AS PROTESTS GROW

Arlington Leaders Hold Passage Would Adversely Affect Annexation Case.

FIREMEN OF BALLSTON PLAN BANQUET PROGRAM

Lyon Village Group Names Committee to Cooperate With Census Body.

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Withdrawal of the so-called enabling act introduced in the Virginia House of Delegates by Hugh Reid, of Arlington County, looms as a strong possibility because of protests made by county leaders that enactment of the bill would adversely affect the county's interests in the Arlington-Alexandria annexation case.

Reid returned to the county last night from Richmond, and will confer today with those at whose instance he fathered the bill, which would provide for a referendum on whether the county is to become incorporated as a city Reid said that John S. Barbour, chief of counsel for the county in the annexation case, had urged withdrawal of the bill, declaring that it would work against the county in trial of the case.

In his campaign for election to the legislature Reid pledged himself to introduce and support the bill, although he personally is opposed to incorporation. In view of this pledge, Reid said that he did not see how he could yield to the urgings of Barbour without first conferring with those who backed his campaign and who are now behind the enabling act.

Arrangements for the thirteenth annual banquet of the Ballston Volunteer Fire Department, to be held in the Washington Lee High School Thursday night, are nearing completion, according to General Chairman Grover E. Payne.

Among the speakers will be Lieut. Gov. J. E. West, Representatives R. Walton Moore, Clifford A. Woodrum, State Senator Frank L. Ball, Delegate Hugh Reid, Proctor L. Dougherty, District Commissioner; Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, George S. Watson, Washington Fire Department chief, and Judge Mary O'Toole, of Washington.

The March meeting of the Woman's Club of Lyon Village will be held Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. C. W. Harris, 308 Key boulevard. Mrs. Harris will be assisted by Mrs. Lloyd L. Harkins and Mrs. William J. Hendricks.

A special committee, headed by A. A. Vaughan, was appointed by the executive committee of the Lyon Village Citizens Association this week to make an investigation of reports of unsightly appearances in the rear of some of the commercial establishments on the Wilson boulevard, bordering the village. Mrs. Robert Livingston and Mrs. H. N. Crichton will serve with Mr. Vaughan. The committee will make its report at the meeting of the association March 14.

The committee also appointed another group composed of Forrest Stieg, chairman; S. Groome Eareckson, C. D. James, George Kirkley and Monroe H. Stockett to cooperate with the Arlington County Civic Federation in taking a census of the county. In addition, an auditing committee was named to report at the next meeting. It is composed of Guy H. Birdsall, chairman; C. W. Harris and Herbert Smith.

The Arlington County League of Republican Women will hold their monthly meeting tomorrow night at the home of Philip Campbell, former member of Congress from Kansas, on Mount Vernon avenue.

Mrs. Louise M. Dodson, of Iowa, national director, will speak.

The Arlington County Civic Federation will meet Tuesday night in the Lyon Park community house at 8 o'clock.

President L. C. McNemar said that among the projects to be discussed will be the enabling act, the proposed development of the Great Falls, the taking of the county population census, and the movement looking to the establishment of a modern sewerage system in the county.

A charter has been granted to the E. E. Speer Manufacturing Co., with principal offices at Clarendon. The company, according to its charter, is capitalized at $50,000.

The officers are: Elmer E. Speer, president; Frank Imboden, vice president and treasurer; Victor Lindenbery secretary, and Walter U. Varney, general counsel. Members of the board of directors are: E. E. Speer, Frank Imboden and Victor Lindenberg.

The meeting of the Northern Virginia Odd Fellows Association, to be held at Warrenton tomorrow night, will be attended by a large delegation of members from Arlington Lodge, No. 193 I.O.O.F. and Clarendon Rebekah Lodge, No. 28.

Walter Powell, of Mount Ida, Arlington County, was arrested last night by officers Hugh Jones and John R. Burke, charged with transporting. The officers searching his automobile found three gallons of alleged liquor. He will be given a hearing before Judge Harry R. Thomas tomorrow morning.

Howard Smith, indicted on a charge of violation of the prohibition laws and sentenced to six months in jail in addition to a fine of $140.25 by Judge Samuel G. Brent in the Circuit Court on Friday in his absence, was arrested yesterday and taken to the county jail to serve his sentence. Smith at the time of his trial was out on bond.

The Arlington County Womans Christian Temperance Union will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Clarendon Baptist Church.

Following a short business session Dr. J. M. Tibbetts, manager of the Field Work department of the National Reform Association, will speak.

At a meeting held at the home of the Rev. Perry L. Mitchell, pastor of the Clarendon Baptist Church Friday night, the Sadie Bowen Bible class was organized with the election of Mrs. W. Millan, president; Mrs. Harding, first vice president; Mrs. Maffett, second vice president; and Miss Ruth Calhoun, secretary. The pastor will be the teacher.

Roumania Decorates Maj. Gen. Stewart

St. Augustine, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—A special emissary of the late King Ferdinand, of Roumania, today conferred upon Maj. Gen. M. B. Stewart the Order of the Roumanian Crown, with the degree of grand officer.

Gen. Stewart, former superintendent of the United States Military Academy, has been living here with his son, Peter Stewart, following his retirement from the West Point post. The honor was bestowed at the instance of Queen Marie, for courtesies extended to her when she visited the Military Academy on her American tour.

WALSH IS BACKED BY M'ADOO FOR DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION

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the local traction merger, as the impression might be gained from the frequent reference in the press to him. The California development did, however, come with rather startling abruptness.

It had been generally known that following his withdrawal from the race several months ago Mr. McAdoo had left no stone unturned in an effort to get someone to stop Smith. The Montana senator's name was frequently mentioned in the ensuing parleys that Mr. McAdoo had with other Democratic influences. But one by one all suggestions seemed to have been cast aside and the impression got abroad that Mr. McAdoo had virtually given up his fight.

Kept Peace at Dinner.

He kept his peace at the Jackson Day dinner which, although passing off fairly harmoniously, nevertheless marked the determination of the militant drys to do something, even if their efforts amounted to nothing more than the stopping of the New York Governor.

The presentation of the Montana senator is intended as an answer to those who contend that religious prejudice is the real opposition to the New York Governor. The senator is also a Catholic but politically as far from the New York Governor as the two poles. He is a militant dry and as he recalls in his statement he supported McAdoo in preference to Smith four years ago. This support went to the extent of opposing the famous Ku Klux Klan plank.

The development decidedly shifts the political spotlight to the West—the middle and extreme sections of it. The South, through favorite sons and other mediums, has fairly well blocked itself off against the New York Governor. The East is almost solidly behind him. Thus the West is to be the battle ground.

Now Three-Cornered Race.

The outcome of the three-cornered race out there—Reed, Smith and Walsh—will largely determine whether the Missouri senator or the Montana senator may expect support from the South, or, as concerns the New York Governor whether the opposition to him in the South will crumble, not necessarily to the point of supporting him, but to the point of surrender without any further struggle.

The outcome, too, may well determine the party alignments in the coming campaign, whether the Democrats will seek victory through a combination of the South and West, or whether they will go after the Eastern States, in which event the Republicans must make certain to select a man who will appeal both to the East and West.

Value of Reed Tour in South.

It is the West-South combination which the Missouri senator has in mind. He is just now turning back from a tour that began in Texas and extended to the Pacific Coast. Just what good the tour will accomplish or how it will be affected by the entrance of Senator Walsh remains to be determined.

It may well be that in entering the Montana senator in California the McAdoo drys may accomplish their purpose in so far as that State is concerned, that is stop Smith. But even in this State, and especially in other Western and middle Western States there is the question as to whether their activities may not have the opposite result.

In California, such influences as former Senator Phelan and Isadore Dockweiler, national committeemen, have the Smith cause in hand. The entrance of the Missouri senator, in fact, constitutes the first threat to his candidacy. Now this threat, it would seem, is to be split. This would seem to be true of most of the other States out that way.

Despite the so-called wet and dry issue, with Western Democrats it is pretty much a case of being against Smith or for him. The Democratic leaders are inclined to look at the candidates more in the light of their chances to win nationally than to win in their respective States. This is because their States ordinarily are Republican. To a degree they have the political philosophy of Southern Republican leaders, except that they do have constituencies and their States every now and then effect turnovers.

Of course, the drys profess to be just as much opposed to the Missouri senator as they are to the New York governor. If they sincerely hold them exactly in the same light, then the Montana senator would seem to be the logical man to turn to.

It is a fact, though, that by and large, the Missouri senator is not as objectionable to the South by far, as the New York governor. He answers to only one of the Tammany-Catholic-wet trinity that is applied to Smith. And on that one he has developed to be most moderate, insisting that prohibition is not an issue and that the Democrats have "bigger fish to fry."

Mention of the Montana senator's name in the South heretofore has not aroused enthusiasm, but then the South has been so busy venting its spleen on Smith that it has not had opportunity to become enthusiastic about anybody.

Quick Work Needed in South Dakota.

It would seem that the Montana senator's friends will have to get a move on them if they hope to do any good in South Dakota. Proposal men, who in State caucus put up the nominees have already been named throughout the State. The last report was that Smith and anti-Smith men were still arguing as to who had won control of the meeting. And the New York governor was very close to the majority if he did not finally get it. In the antiforces is all sorts of Reed strength, such as Gov. Bulow and National Committeeman W. W. Howes.

Neither would Wisconsin seem to offer an inviting field for Senator Walsh. There are already two Smith delegate slates in the field. The Missouri senator's name has been entered there, too.

The senator's open bid for the nomination probably means that he will obtain the delegation from his own State. Without Senator Walsh seeking the delegation it has been generally admitted it would go to Smith.

The senator's appearance in the arena was not the only one during the week. Former Senator Hitchcock's name was entered as a favorite son in Nebraska.

On the Republican side, Secretary Hoover entered Maryland and Michigan. Former Gov. Lowden filed in North Dakota, and he got two delegates in Missouri. Mayor Thompson, of Chicago, launched a "Draft Coolidge" movement.

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Eleven directors of the Chamber of Commerce are to be chosen prior to the annual meeting of that body March 16, and to that end a primary for the nomination of 22 candidates will be opened tomorrow and close on Wednesday at 4 p. m. The tellers named by the president of the chamber, J. E. W. Timberman, are John H. Trimyer, L. E. Roland, E. S. Leadbeater, H. T. Colvin and J. Kent White. Their duty will be to select the names of the 22 receiving the largest number of votes to be printed on the ballot for final selection.

J. T. Preston, secretary of the chamber, will then send out the ballots with the 22 candidates' names for final vote, the voting to start on March 12 and close on March 16, at 4 p. m. The result will be announced at the annual meeting of the chamber to be held that night.

Directors whose term of office will expire are Harry Hammond, Urban S. Lambert, W. Cameron Roberts, J. E. W. Timberman, Robert S. Jones, William A. Moore, Charles B. Swan, Fred C. Goodnow, Orlando H. Kirk, Carroll Pierce and Frank Michelbach.

Directors elected last year and are not to be voted for upon this election are Gardner L. Boothe, John G. Graham, George E. Warfield, R. E. Knight, Thomas Chauncey, William Albert Smoot, Benedict Weil, H. Edwin Gentry, Claude W. Fletcher, John W. May, and C. Page Waller. These men will hold office for another year.

Mrs. Mary Slater Lamond, aged 44 years, wife of Clyde C. Lamond, died at 2:30 yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hohspital after a short illness. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Clyde and Slater Lamond, and her mother. She was a lifelong resident of this city, the daughter of the late John W. Slater and Mrs. F. O. Slater. She was prominently identified with the work of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, and a member of the auxiliary board of the Alexandria Hospital.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from Christ Church, conducted by the Rev. Dr. William J. Morton, rector of the church, and burial will be in Old Christ Church Cemetery.

The funeral of Dr. William A. Gilroy who died on Wednesday at his home in Washington, was held at 9:30 yesterday morning from St. Mary's Church, this city, with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery. Services were conducted by the Rev. M. J. Quinn, assistant pastor, and pallbearers were six classmates of the deceased at Georgetown University, Drs. Edward O'Brien, George Ellis, Charles McLaughlan, Jack Dolan, James Nolan and Michael Krantcuch, of Washington.

Scoutmasters of Alexandria, Braddock and Potomac will hold a meeting tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock in the Westminster Building to hear reports of the work done by the Boy Scouts in the city on February 22, during the parade.

Troop 141, Boy Scouts, held a meeting on Friday night preparatory to division inspection on Friday, March 9, at the Young People's Building.

Three men who were arrested on the night of February 27, the police charge, while they were attempting to steal a tire from an automobile belonging to Mrs. Annie Dunbarr, were fined $50 each, with costs and given 30 days in jail in Police Court yesterday, Judge William S. Snow presiding. The men gave the names of John Romalnoskim 24 years old, Stanley Vasulines, 18 years old, and Roy P. Winana, 21 years old.

The American Legion Auxiliary will conduct an intensive membership campaign during the month of March, and will hold a special meeting on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, at the chamber of commerce to inaugurate the drive.

A meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the chamber of commerce of all persons interested in the Alexandria representation at the industrial exposition to be held in Washington the week of March 12.

U. S. Oil Companies Test Colombian Law

Bogota, Colombia, March 3 (A.P.).—Suit was filed in the Supreme Court of Colombia today in behalf of the South American Gulf Oil Co., the Standard Oil Co. of California, the Caribbean syndicate and others to test the constitutionality of the emergency oil law adopted at the last session of Congress and the executive decree regulating it.

Among other things, the plaintiffs contend that the law sets up a monopoly, deprives private landowners of subsoil rights and imposes confiscatory taxes on private developments. They also contend that the presidential decree is illegal and unconstitutional in that it exceeds the authority of the president and the minister of industries in regulating the law.

Sentenced to 3 Years, Gets 5-Year Stay

Birmingham, Ala., March 3 (A.P.).—Joel F. Webb, general counsel for the Edwards Estate Corporation, was granted a five-year stay of execution of sentence in Federal Court here late yesterday after he had been fined $1,000 and sentenced to three years in Federal Penitentiary for using the mails to defraud. He will not be required to serve the sentence at all, it is understood, on condition of his good behavior during the five-year period.

Ill health, resulting from a nervous breakdown, was the reason assigned by the court for granting the probation period.

King Receives U. S. Attache at Rome

Rome, March 3 (A.P.).—Maj. Robert C. Richardson, jr., retiring military attache to the American Embassy, was received in audience by both King Victor Emmanuel and Premier Mussolini. Both expressed the most cordial sentiments toward the United States.

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LURED SONS TO KILL SELVES, SAYS FATHER

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together. It was dark and lonesome and windy there on the canal bank but they weren't afraid and they did it. While they fastened the wire I stood shivering. When they had the wire fastened to themselves I helped them fasten it together and I kissed them good-by.

"I've gone down there every night since and stood on the very spot where they went in, trying to get up the nerve to jump in myself. But I couldn't do it; I hadn't the courage.

"After they were wired together, chief, I told them to walk out on a great big cross beam, 3 feet by 3 feet, an enormous big square one. They walked out there together. 'Good-by Papa,' they called; and I called back 'Good-by.' Then said 'Jump,' and there was a splash and they were gone.

As the fan finished he almost collapsed. He was given time to recover himself and then was led to the bank of the canal where he reenacted the scene.

One Son Survives.

Continuing his confession, Chisholm told the police he had come two years ago from Canada, with his three sons, George and Robert, twins, and Edgar, something than a year younger. He said in Montreal he had known Mrs. Helen Lawrence. Some months ago, Mrs. Lawrence and her own two children, Emma, 13, and Joseph, 18, had followed here and for three months they had all lived at the same address here.

Mrs. Lawrence was taken into custody while Chisholm was making his confession. At first she refused to make a statement. Then she insisted that Chisholm had told her he was sending his boys to relatives in Canada and that she had thought he had done so.

When the police went to get Mrs. Lawrence they found Robert, twin brother of George, jr., playing in the yard at the Chisholm home. He had on identically the same kind of an overcoat as that found on the bodies of each of the murdered boys—blue chinchilla, with a red flannel lining.

Chisholm said he had been separated from his wife since he brought his boys here from Canada. She is Mrs. Joy Reid Chisholm, now living at Lowestoft, Suffolk, England. He added that recently he had thought seriously of quitting Mrs. Lawrence and sending for his wife.

"Too Many to Feed."

Asked at the beginning of his confession why he had killed his boys, Chisholm wrung his hands, then he burst out with a whining reply.

"Oh," he said, "there were seven of us and I wasn't making so much money at the Calumet foundry, where I was working, and she was all the time yelling because there were too many to feed. She yelled about the grocery bills, about clothes and shoes and everything else. Just nagging, and naging, and nagging.

"I guess it must have made me kind of crazy. I can't understand how I came to do the horrible thing I did. I guess I was just driven out of my mind."

Chisholm could not explain why he picked out George and Edgar to "get rid of," and did not take the other boy along. Somehow, police listening to his confession got the idea that he had a trifle more affection for Bobby than he had for the others, and that, perhaps, was why George's twin escaped the latter's fate.

Death of Ludwell Beavers.

Purcellville, Va., March 3.—Ludwell Beavers, farmer of the Unison section, died at the Loudoun Hospital yesterday. He was 32 years old and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Edith Marsh, teacher of Unison High School. Funeral services will be held Sunday at Unison Methodist Church, with burial in Ebenezer Cemetery.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS

BRENTWOOD.

At the regular meeting of the mayor and town council, Tuesday evening, the matter of paving Thirty-fourth street, under a petition of property owners on that street, was brought up and the matter was referred to counsel for recommendation as to a feasible plan, in view of the fact that the street is in Mount Rainier and abutting property owners on the east side are in Brentwood. Thursday was fixed upon for the formal hearings required under the street and sidewalk improvement amendment for the property owners of the following streets which it is proposed to pave: Charles, Newton, Thirty-ninth, Dewey streets, and Sheetz avenue.

MOUNT RAINIER.

The meeting of the mayor and council will be held tomorrow evening. Paving six more streets is under consideration.

The women's auxiliary to the fire department will have a 500 card party on Friday, March 16, in the firehouse.

The ways and means committee of Adah Chapter, No. 25, Order of the Eastern Star, will give a "tacky" party Saturday evening in Star Hall. On Wednesday, March 14, they will have their business meeting, followed by entertainment.

FAIRFAX.

Winners at the recent county corn show are as follows: White bushel class—First, Robert Wrenn, of Chantilly; second, Benton O'Rourke, Fairfax; third, S. A. Wisman, Fairfax. In the yellow bushel class—First, C. O. Schaub, second, L. W. McCutcheon. In the ten-ear white class—First, Benton O'Rourke; second, Robert Wren; third D. T. Ayers, of Accotink; fourth, L. W. McCutcheon, of Forestville. In the ten-ear yellow class—First, C. O. Schaub; second, L. W. McCutcheon. C. O. Schaub won the sweepstakes and privilege to retain the silver cup another year. Oats—First, Austin Wagstaff; second, C. O. Schaub; third, William Ellmore. W. C. Shackleford, of Charlottesville, was judge.

KENSINGTON.

The Sunshine Club, of Kensington, recently met at the home of Mrs. Harry D. Appleby and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Clarence Walker; vice president, Mrs. M. B. Stickley; secretary, Mrs. Appleby; treasurer, Mrs. George Peter.

The mission study class of the Warner Memorial Presbyterian Church will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Scott. The Mission book called "The Story of Missions" will be reviewed by Mrs. E. S. Noyes and Mrs. Clarence J. Heacock. This meeting will be the last one of the series. Mrs. Scott will be hostess at luncheon.

TAKOMA PARK.

A clinic for babies will be opened at the Takoma Theater Building Thursday, under the direction of Dr. William A. Shannon. The Mothers' and Children's Club of Takoma Park, are sponsoring the clinic, which will be open every Thursday from 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock. Mrs. Shannon, wife of Dr. Shannon, and a graduate nurse, will assist her husband. The club has been working for two years to establish a baby clinic here, and it has been accomplished through the courtesy of Dr. Shannon, his wife, and Wilmer G. Platt, manager of the Takoma Theater, all of whom are giving much time to the clinic.

Representative John M. Robsion, of Kentucky, will speak at the Takoma Park Baptist Church tonight. On the following Sunday night Representative William C. Lankford, of Georgia, will speak on "The Need of a Rest Day in the District of Columbia."

Circle No. 8, of the Mothers' and Children's Club, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dudley C. Jackson. Mrs. Frank P. Harbin, the president, conducted the business meeting, after which Mrs. Madge C. Nelson gave a talk on the "Work of Children of Preschool Age." Mrs. Jackson gave two piano numbers.

Lenten services are being conducted each Wednesday night at the Takoma Park Evangelical Lutheran Church by the pastor, the Rev. R. G. Steinmeyer.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Takoma Park Baptist Church is planning a cooking school during the week of March 12 at the church. Mrs. Thomas W. Marshall, president of the aid society, has charge of arrangements.

The Community League will meet at 8 o'clock Monday night in the basement of the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church. Development of proper approaches on the Maryland side of the District of Columbia-Maryland line to the proposed Fern street bridge, zoning and street development are among the important subjects to be discussed. Dr. C. C. Galloway will preside.

Miss Ellis, of the Department of Agriculture, was speaker at the February meeting of the Sixteenth Street Heights Club at the home of Mrs. Samuel J. Dennis on Tuesday. Mrs. Edwin C. Powell, of Sligo, was elected a member. Guests present were Mrs. A. B. Hayes, Mrs. Lou Hawkins, Mrs. Frederick Rand, Mrs. Paul Williams and Mrs. George Farrell.

Mrs. William K. Hill and Mrs. Mason Payne are in charge of a food sale to be held by the Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church on Saturday, March 10.

Friday night Takoma Chapter, No. 12, Order Eastern Star, will confer degrees upon Harry Robb, master of Takoma Lodge, No. 29, A. F. & A. M.; Harry Silverman and Albany D. Grubb. The meeting will be in the Masonic Temple.

The junior class of the Washington Missionary College elected the following officers at a meeting last week: President, William Shepherd; secretary, Miss Bernice Montgomery, and treasurer, Bruce Gernet.

Circle No. 10 of the Mothers' and Children's Club entertained members and their husbands Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Calvin Bollman. Mrs. G. P. Bergman will entertain the circle on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church, the Takoma Players will present Friday and Saturday nights "The Fortune Hunter," a musical drama, in the Presbyterian Community Hall. Dr. E. Clyde Shade, Paul Mattix and Miss Katherine Scrivener will take the leading parts. Mrs. William Leavitt, president of the aid society, has charge.

RAIL CHIEFS ATTEND RITES FOR J. R. KENLY

Crowds File Past Bier of Deceased Coast Line President in Church.

Wilmington, N. C., March 3 (A.P.).—The body of John Reese Kenly, 81, veteran railroad builder and president of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, was buried here today in Oakdale Cemetery. Funeral services were at St. John's Episcopal Church by the Rev. Dr. William H. Milton, rector, and the Rev. Dr. A. D. P. Gilmour, pastor of Mr. Kenly's church, the First Presbyterian.

Long lanes of people filed down the aisles of the church by the bier to pay final tribute of respect to the man they cherished as friend and leader. Among them were ranking officials of his own road, high officers of other railroads and men employed by the Coast Line in all capacities from superintendents to laborers.

Mr. Kenly died Thursday after a short illness, closing a brilliant railroad career of 60 years, over 50 of which were spent in the employ of the Coast Line. He was active in his executive duties until almost his last moment. Nearly 100 railroad executives from all sections of the United States and leaders in the financial and industrial world attended the funeral today.

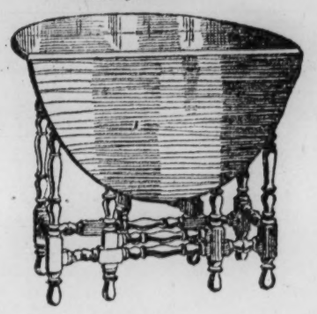
Illinois Society Meeting.

The Illinois State Society will meet March 14 at the Willard Hotel. Representative Henry R. Rathbone, president of the organization, will preside. Dancing and cards will follow the business program. Mrs. Carl R. Chindblom is in charge of the entertainment.

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G. U. TRACKMEN SECOND TO CORNELL BY 1-2 POINT; GRIFFITH SEES BRIGHT PENNANT CHANCE FOR NATS

OWNER SAYS TEAM'S PITCHERS ARE BEST; PLAYERS WORK HARD

Capable of Beating Yankees Out, Opines Club Proprietor.

10 Players Who Won First Pennant Still With Nationals.

By FRANK H. YOUNG,
Staff Correspondent of The Post.

TAMPA, Fla., March 3.—President Clark Griffith, of the Washington Ball Club, sees in the talent he has gathered this season the possibility of reincarnating his pennant-winning machines of 1924 and 1925. With the Yankees still intact and Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, the "siamese" twins, threatening this season as usual, only a man of the Nats' owner's optimistic disposition would dare to predict anything but another New York year, but this is Griffith's story and he is manfully sticking to it.

"We have ten players who helped us win our first pennant available for this season," says Griffith, "and they are a nucleus for a great team. Behind the bat we have Muddy Ruel and Bennie Tate; Fred Marberry and Tom Zachary are still pitching great ball; Manager Bucky Harris, Ossie Bluege, Joe Judge and "Mule" Shirley are the 1924 infielders still with us, while Goose Goslin and Sam Rice are fine outfielders."

Griffith then elaborated at length on the improvements he sees in the men available to fill the other positions and to complete his pitching and utility staff. In this discussion, he is such a "spell binder" that one almost forgets the Yankees while listening to him.

"Take our pitching prospects," continued Griffith. "There is no question in my mind but that we are the class of the league. Hadley and Lisenbee are as good as any flingers we had in 1924. Gaston, Wells, Jones and Zachary are experienced and capable performers. In Van Alstyne, Griffin and Brown we have three that show rare promise."

"And these, mind you, are mentioned before we get to Marberry, Braxton and Burke, three as nifty relief hurlers as I ever hope to see. As a matter of fact, Marberry is likely to graduate to the starting class, leaving to the two southpaws, with a little outside help, the rescue work. Braxton, by the way, is worth his weight in gold to our club."

Touching on the infield, Griffith believes that either Reeves or Gillis will prove as valuable to the team as was Peckinpaugh in those halycon days. "Peck was steady and at times brilliant," said the Washington club owner, "but he was slowing up and could not cover as much ground as either of my youngsters, while I believe that we will get as much hitting power from either of the Reeves-Gillis combination.

"George Sisler is coming to play first base for us and if he beats out Judge, he will have to be good. It looks right now as though we will have both of these players wfth us. Sisler outplayed Judge last year in all departments and it must be remembered that conditions were not pleasant for him in St. Louis and he did not have a good team behind him. I look for him to have a really great season with us and figure

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Hadley Has Improved After Operation; See Speedy Recovery.

Harris Lauds Morale of Players Training at Tampa.

Special to The Washington Post.

TAMPA, Fla., March 3.—With a day of rest scheduled for tomorrow, Manager Harris put his Washington Baseball Club candidates through an exceptionally long and varied drill this morning and at the conclusion was impressed with the general good spirit pervading the camp. "I can't account for it, but our morale certainly seems higher this spring than last and the players as a whole seem more determined to make good, and there is not an athlete here who is not on his toes every minute," the Nats' leader remarked.

And he certainly hit the nail on the head. So far regulars and rookies alike have been "plugging" as though every position on the team was open. There apparently are no cliques, no one seems to be dissatisfied and Harris is literally tickled to death at existing conditions.

At this stage of the training grind, with the aim of all athletes being simply to get in condition, it is too early to do any picking. Sisler, Judge and Shirley, for instance, are all getting an even crack at the first base job; Bluege, who will no doubt cover third as usual, is satisfied to work with the second squad, and Smith performs with the first, while Shortstops Gillis and Hayes are getting just as much attention as is Bob Reeves. The same condition obtains with respect to the pitching, catching and outfield positions.

Harris himself is coming along in easy stages and has yet to do any throwing, except a few lobs in infield practice this morning. He is keeping his eyes open, however, and is mentally cataloguing the respective showings of his men for future use.

One who seems to have caught his eye is Hugh McMullen, dubbed "Moon Mullen" by that eminent actor, Nick Altrock. "I know that "Mac" can catch and they say he has a great arm and he would be a great help to us if he could hit," Boss Bucky remarked yesterday. Today he discovered that the lanky catcher swings a heavy bat, for the former Giant crashed out a number of long ones this morning and with Goose Goslin and Mule Shirley, shared batting honors of the day.

Another of the youngsters whose work attracted Harris' attention at this morning's drill was Clarence Griffin. This lad's name was on Harris' "preferred list" by reason of his record of 43 victories while with Memphis during the past two seasons, and his showing today augurs well for him. In addition to having exceptional control, he practiced using his screw ball, much to the disgust of several of the batters.

The squad system was in vogue again today, with Hopkins, Lane, Gaston, Wells, Van Alstyne and Griffin pitching to the regulars, who then lined up as follows for infield practice: Sisler, first; Harris, second; Reeves, short, and Smith, third. Tate was behind the bat. Lisenbee, Zachary, Sams and Brown tossed to the second shift of hitters and then came an infield drill with Judge at first, Hays at second, Gillis and R. Cooper at short, and Bluege at third.

During much of the hitting practice, the outfielders, for the first time this spring, were kept busy chasing loopers. The field is rough in some spots, however, so that they were not called on to give any fancy exhibitions.

Pitcher Irving Hadley's wild ride to the hospital and quick operation for acute appendicitis late last night was

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Mullen Is Confident Of Getting Title Bout

Chicago, Ill., March 3 (A.P.).—Confident he will land the lightweight championship match between Sammy Mandell and Jimmy McLarnin, for a June or July date, promoter Jim Mullen returned from New York today though without McLarnin's signature. "Pop" Foster, manager of McLarnin, told me in New York," said Mullen, "that the only reason he had signed with Tex Rickard was that he did not know I alone had Mandell's contract.

"McLarnin promised me that if Rickard is unable to sign Mandell for a title match for May 4, he will box Mandell in Chicago for me. I don't think Rickard has a chance of signing Mandell for the champion has already signed with me. I know he wants to defend his title in Chicago."

The lightweight title match is to be one of the headliners of the greatest summer boxing programs Chicago has ever seen, Mullen said. Besides Mandell, he has Tony Canzoneri, the featherweight champion, and Mickey Walker, the middleweight champion, signed for Chicago matches. Joey Sangor, of Milwaukee is the leading candidate to oppose Canzoneri, and ace Hudkins is the prospective challenger for Walker.

Mullen has other strings to his bow in the lightweight field. Billy Petrolle, the Fargo express, with a tremendous following in the Northwest, has been signed, if McLarnin passes up his shot at the lightweight crown.

Petrolle had the champion dizzy in an overweight match last winter, though Mandell rallied and carried off the decision.

Mullen has also signed Freddy Mueller, a Buffalo, N. Y., lightweight.

Naugatuck Victor In Penn Tournament

Philadelphia, March 3 (A.P.).—York (Pa.) Collegiate Institute successfully defended its prep school basketball championship, and Naugatuck (Conn.) High School won the high school title in the final rounds today of the interscholastic basketball tournament held this week under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania.

York defeated Manlius School, of Manlius, N. Y., 32 to 14, and Naugatuck won from Philadelphia Catholic High, 36 to 28.

Miss Ryan, Net Star, Hurt, May Never Play

Monte Carlo, March 3 (A.P.).—Elizabeth Ryan, veteran California star, has suffered a badly-smashed finger on her racket hand and may never play tennis again. Surgeons now are deliberating whether the finger will have to be amputated.

Miss Ryan, who has been sweeping all Riviera tournaments this year, suffered the injury when her hand was caught in a closing door of a railroad compartment. The finger was mashed to the bone. The Californian, as a result, was forced to withdraw from further matches at Monte Carlo as well as those at Menton next week.

Except for 1925-26, when she returned to competition in the United States, Miss Ryan has made her home and played virtually all her tennis abroad for fifteen years. In both of those years the California chop-stroke artist was ranked No. 2 on the American women's list.

Miss Ryan is the only woman player in the world who has twice defeated Helen Wills since the Berkeley girl gained championship heights. Miss Ryan accomplished the feat in the Seabright (N. J.) invitation tournaments of 1925 and 1926.

Dodgers Ask Waivers On Statz, Holdout

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—The Evening Post's training camp correspondent with the Brooklyn Club at Clearwater, Fla., reported today that the Robins had asked waivers on Arnold (Jigger) Statz, holdout outfielder. This was interpreted as a move to bring Statz to terms. The golfing outfielder had demanded a $10,000 salary and $1,000 bonus for batting .300.

SCENES OF TRAINING ACTIVITY AT BENNING



Hugh Miller,- Post Staff Photographer.

Top—Two-year-olds of the Nevada Stock Farm, trained by Preston Burch, out for a morning gallop. Center—Watching their charges work. Left to right—Matt Brady, trainer for the J. E. Davis and Marshall Field stables; F. Murphy, associated with Trainer Tim Donohue; Jim Healy, in charge of the A. C. Bostwick, E. R. Bradley and H. Tuller Archibald strings; Tim Donahue, trainer for C. L. Whiting. Below—After the workout. Horses of Samuel Ross and Admiral Cary T. Grayson returning to the barns.

Benning to Send Full Quota To Maryland's Spring Meets

By CHARLES A. WATSON.

BENNING race track, training ground for many thoroughbreds that will be seen in silks in Maryland this year, is the scene of much activity these days. Time will soon draw her curtain across winter racing in the South and the northward trek of the horsemen with their charges will begin toward Bowie, Havre de Grace and Pimlico, with Benning contributing a full quota.

Many trainers who have passed up the winter meetings have trained at Benning and are keenly anticipating the approaching meet at Bowie, which comes on April 3. There has scarcely been a day when the weather has been too cold or the track too bad for outdoor exercise, so, thanks to the satisfactory conditions, the thoroughbreds have advanced rapidly in training and will be ready to answer the call of the bugle when the Eastern racing season opens at Prince Georges Park.

All is hustle and bustle about the long, low sheds at the old Benning oval, the track and paddock are alive with over 200 horses, dozens of thoroughbreds are walking about in exercise rings near the stables, either cooling out or limbering up for more strenuous training that will come.

Out on the track such jockeys as Lance Chaney, George Breuning, Charlie Mergler, G. Smoot and M. Sims are working out their mounts on the flat and over the jumps under the watchful eye of the alert trainer. The exercise boys are numerous and horses are everywhere, galloping at a limbering gait.

Although a leader of racing establishments in its heydey, Benning is now

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Navy Swamps G. U. Boxers, Sweeping 7-Bout Program

Special to The Washington Post.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 3.—Georgetown boxers put up a game but losing battle against the Annapolis Midshipmen in the boxing arena here tonight, the Tars making a clean sweep of the program of seven bouts. Two of the bouts resulted in technical, which the other five were decision awards in three rounds.

The result put "Spike" Webb's pupils another step nearer to finishing their ninth season without defeat in a dual contest. The last home meet before the intercollegiate finals will be with Syracuse here next Saturday.

Though the Middies scored tonight in sweeping fashion, four of the bouts furnished the several thousand fans who gathered in McDonough Hall lots of thrills. Mercel Gerin, the Navy leader and welterweight, had the closest shave he has experienced in two years. Gerin has the reputation of being a hard puncher with either fist, and Murphy, of Georgetown, probably was well aware of this, for he went in to fight the Middy from the start to the final gong.

Murphy, too, is no mean mauler, and at least twice his lefts and rights to Gerin's jaw appeared to daze the Navy pilot for a brief space. Similarly, Murphy was momentarily groggy on two or three occasions. All three rounds were lively. There were many in the audience who thought an extra round would be ordered, so close did the milling apear to be, but the judges decreed different.

The ring generalship of Fish, of Georgetown, in the middleweight fracas, gave Rickets plenty to worry about, but the middy was the greater aggressor and got the decision. Eddie Burke, Navy football leader, and stiff puncher, found McCarthy a pretty tough proposition, but he also forced the issue a greater part of the time to win the judges' decision. In the unlimited weight set-to, Fred Schaffley of the Hilltoppers, outweighed by 25 pounds by Bill Chapple was going good until midway of the second round.

He gained an advantage in the first session, but a blow by Chapple in the second, cut a bad gash in the right side of his face, as well as dazed him, and Referee Ryan stopped the mill, giving the middy a technical knockout.

The other technical K. O., went to Moffet, of Navy, over Emmett Haggerty. The latter held his own well in the first two rounds, but the middy gave him such a pummelling in the third that the referee halted further proceedings.

The Middies, as usual showed better physical condition than the enemy, and also a willingness to carry the fighting, with the special exceptions noted in

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American Association May Sign Rowland

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—Clarence Rowland, dropped from the American League umpiring staff after five years service, may call balls and strikes in the American Association this season.

President Thomas J. Hickey said today he was negotiating for Rowland's services. He expects to sign him Monday.

President Hickey released Doll Derr, of Baltimore, at his request. Derr officiated in the league for five years.

S. A. TOURNEY ENTRIES SET RECORD

WASHINGTON teams which reach the finals in the South Atlantic A. A. U. basketball tournament, which opens at the Arcadia Friday night, under the direction of The Washington Post, will be well fitted to give the respective winners from Baltimore a hard fight for the respective titles and gold medals which go with them.

The reasons are obvious. Not only will the teams which bowl over all opposition in the 100, 115, 130 and 145-pound and unlimited classes, be well qualified to meet Baltimore's best, but the fact that all games are being played on one floor this year is seen as a decided advantage to the local winners.

Last year the games were played on half a dozen different courts. This year all the teams will become accustomed to playing on a big floor, the best the District has to offer and under good officials.

Teams in the 100, 115 and 130 pound classes will be used to a big floor and to playing before a crowd of spectators, and should the winning teams in these classes be forced to play the final game for the title in Baltimore, they should not be stage struck.

The leading District teams will be seen in action against each other in the two higher classes, and a good brand of basketball should be flashed. Many leading high school and former high school stars and the best sand lot players are numbered on many of the teams.

Entries came in so fast and demands were so heavy for entry blanks that The Post rushed a man to Baltimore for additional blanks. Just as soon as The Post is assured all entries are in the schedule for the first night's game will be drawn up. This schedule will undoubtedly appear in Thursday morning's paper.

$37,000 Stake Today At Tia Juana Draws 15

Tia Juana, Lower, Calif., Mex., March 3 (A.P.).—A field of fifteen horses, the pick of 3-year-old bluebloods at the Tia Juana track, tonight were entered as starters in the eighth renewal tomorrow of the Tia Juana derby which this year has a gross value of $37,000.

Top weight of 122 pounds for the mile and an eighth race has been assigned to Dr. Wilson of the Canyon stable, and Alexander Pantages, namesake and property of the vaudeville magnate. Others entered are:

Frank G. Menke and Jack Dempsey, of the Canyon Stable; Master David, of the Jadel Stable; General Diskin and Jim Bridger, of the Nevada Stock Farm; Mrs. A. B. Stelle's Governor Sith; A. L. Austin's Sunny Saint; Mrs. H. M. West's Eddie Ahearn; M. Syufy's Inca; S. M. Lee's Colorblind; Judge Schilling and Wirt G. Bowman, from Baron Long's string, and Joe Benjamin's Buddha.

274 to Start Span of U. S. Today

3,000-Mile Race for $25,000 Begins at Los Angeles.

Runners and Walkers From Many Lands Seek Pyle's Gold.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 3 (A.P.).—Two hundred and seventy-four pairs of hardened feet which their owners hope will carry them across the Nation, were rested and massaged here tonight for the start tomorrow of the Los Angeles to New York foot race.

After the gun sends the racers away from Ascot Park, they will have nothing to do for the next two months or so but run, eat and sleep.

Some heel and toe exponents will substitute walking for running in the approximately 3,000-mile jaunt.

The one who makes the best time will bank $25,000.

The runner up will take $10,000, third man $5,000, fourth $2,500, and the next six $1,000 each.

Go as you please, but get there if possible, are the general instructions to entrants between controls, the main rule being that each must reach the night control by midnight. The following morning survivors will start together, each man's time being recorded for the final tally when the leaders hit New York.

Runners and walkers have trouped into Los Angeles from the four points of the compass to take part in the affair. The admitted speed merchant is Nicholas Quamowaitu, of the Hopi Indian Tribe. He won the New York-Long Beach marathon last year.

The slowest man is said to be Arthur Newton, who turned his back on the veldt of Rhodesia, South Africa, to trek to Los Angeles for this event. With Newton the first 50 miles are the hardest. He does not get steam up until he has passed that distance. He broke the 100-mile running record in England last January.

The oldest hoofer of the lot is Charley Hart, another Britisher who held the record that Newton smashed. Hart admits he is 63.

Guisto Umak, of Trieste, Italy, and Phillip Granville, Hamilton, Ontario walking champion of Canada, are among the heel and toe experts.

Three Finlanders are outstanding contestants — Willie Kochlemainen, of New York, brother of Hannes, who won the 1920 Olympic long distance run; Lauri Lehto, of New York, war veteran of the A. E. F., and Gunnar Nielsen, cross country champion of the Finnish-American Athletic Club, of New York.

Juri Lossman, of Esthonia, who finished second in the Olympic grind of 1920, and Harry Abramowitz, walker of The Bronx, N. Y., are expected to make a strong showing.

A motor caravan will preceed the runners to each stopping place and as the contestants straggle in they will be rubbed down, fed and put to bed. Food and water will be taken on the run between control points.

The stop tomorrow night will be at Puente, approximately 20 miles from the start, but thereafter the contestants will face about 50 miles traveling a day, the initial stages carrying them well into the sand, cactus and wild flowers of the California and Arizona desert.

Armour and Partner Are Tied in Florida

Special to The Washington Post.

Miami Beach, Fla., March 3.—Tommy Armour, star Washington professional and national open golf champion, paired with Cliff Phillips, of Atlantic City, was held even by two amateurs in an eighteen-hole best-ball match today over the Lagorce Country Club course. The other team consisted of Charles A. Roberts, New York veteran, and T. W. Palmer, former Florida State title holder.

George Voigt, ranking amateur of Washington, was to have paired with Palmer, while Roberts was to be Armour's partner. Voigt could not appear in time for the exhibition. Armour turned in the best medal round, with 37—34—71.

Equaling par, he had birdies on the seventh and twelfth and turned in an eagle three on the seventeenth to save his side from defeat.

Armour's card:

Out	563	644	344—37
In	455	444	334—34—71

Sharkey and Risko Must Train in N. Y.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—The New York State Athletic Commission announced today that Jack Sharkey, of Boston, and Johnny Risko, Cleveland baker boy, who will fight fifteen rounds here March 12 in the second half of Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination semifinals, must complete their training stunts in the vicinity of New York.

Wednesday has bene set as a deadline for the battlers' appearance here

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

At Cumberland — Catholic U., 25; Knights of Columbus, 24.

At New Haven—Yale, 37; Harvard, 33. (One overtime period.)

At Urbana—Chicago, 10; Illinois, 18.

At Morgantown, W. Va.—University of Pittsburgh, 45; West Virginia, 42.

At Princeton—Princeton, 28; Dartmouth, 22.

At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania, 31; Columbia, 28.

At Bloomington, Ind.—Indiana, 36; Michigan, 34.

At Madison, Wis. — Wisconsin, 20; Iowa, 17.

WILDERMUTH LOSES; HAHN SETS WORLD'S MARK IN HALF MILE

24-Year-Old Mark Passes in Race Run in 1:51 2-5.

Remarkable Feat Was Easy, Sturdy Nebraskan Says.

NEW YORK, March 3 (A.P.).—Lloyd Hahn, rugged Boston A. A. star, ran the greatest half-mile in track history tonight, shattering the world's indoor record as well as surpassing the outdoor mark by winning a special race in 1 minute 51 2-5 seconds in connection with the I. C. A. A. A. championship games held here.

Hahn's performance smashed to smithereens the 24-year-old indoor mark of 1:54 3-5, made on March 19, 1904, at Buffalo, N. Y. It also surpassed the outdoor record of 1:51 3-5 established at Stamford Bridge, London, in 1926, by Dr. Otto Peltzer.

Dr. Peltzer, the German champion, was a spectator tonight as Hahn circled the fast intercollegiate track four times in probably the greatest pace of his career.

Hahn had two opponents in his special attack on time, but he ran the last three laps virtually alone after Sam Martin, of the Boston A. A., had set the pace for the first furlong. Pinkie Sober, the third starter, withdrew under the hot pace but Martin stuck to the finish, coming in 30-yards behind the flying Hahn.

Hahn clipped the long standing indoor record, made by Eli Parson, of Yale, by 3 1-5 seconds. This feat was all the more remarkable in view of the fact that Parson set the record, which had resisted attacks for so long, in a relay race. Relay marks no longer are considered for individual records.

Hahn surpassed Parson's mark in his first race this winter, in Brooklyn, but it was not allowed because the track failed to have the required inside border.

The sturdy Nebraskan was fit as a race horse tonight. His clubmate, Martin, was in the race simply to furnish early pace, and he did it by stepping the first 220 yards in 26 1-5 seconds. Martin dropped back shortly afterward as Hahn, in swift pace unchecked, shot to the front. While the crowd of 6,000 stood and cheered, Hahn steadily widened the gap between himself and Martin as he scored his finishing thrust against time.

"It was an easy race," said Hahn afterward. "I felt as fresh as a

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TRACK SUMMARIES

(Associated Press.)

ONE-MILE RELAY, TRIALS (first two qualify for finals)—Won by Holy Cross; second, Boston College; third, Columbia. Time, 3:21. Second heat won by Georgetown; second, Cornell; third, New York University; fourth, Harvard. Time, 3:25 4-10. Third heat won by Syracuse; second, Yale; third, Fordham. Time, 3:21 2-10.

ONE-MILE RELAY, FINALS—Won by Syracuse (Harvey J. Andra, Kelsey S. Denton, Norman E. St. Clair, Ray Barbuti); second, Georgetown; third, Holy Cross; fourth, Yale; fifth, Cornell. Time, 3:21 2-10 (new meet record).

ONE-MILE RUN—Won by Bill Cox (Penn State); second, Ralph Luttman (Harvard); third, Loring McMillan (Union); fourth, James L. Reid (Harvard); fifth, John E. Gore (Princeton). Time, 4:20.

70-YARD DASH, SEMIFINALS—First heat, won by Jimmy Pappas (Princeton); second, Karl Wildermuth (Georgetown). Time, 7 2-10 seconds. Second heat, won by Jimmy Quinn (Holy Cross); second, Geoffrey Glendenning (Dartmouth). Time, 7 3-10. Third heat, won by Jimmy Daley (Holy Cross); second, Folwell Scull (Penn State). Time, 7 3-10.

70-YARD DASH, FINALS—Won by Jimmy Daley (Holy Cross); second, Karl Wildermuth (Georgetown); third, Folwell Scull (Penn); fourth, Jimmy Quinn (Holy Cross); fifth, Jimmy Pappas (Princeton). Time, 7 2-10s.

70-YARD HURDLES, SEMIFINALS—First heat, won by John Collier (Brown); second, Bernard Lucas (Bowdoin). Time, 8 9-10 seconds. Second heat, won by Elmo Caruthers (Cornell); second, Frank Sheldon (Yale). Time, 9 seconds. Third heat, won by Leander S. Jadwin (Princeton); second, Sol Furth (New York University). Time, 8 8-10 seconds.

70-YARD HURDLES, SECOND SEMIFINALS—First heat, won by Sol Furth (New York University); second, Bernard Lucas (Bowdoin). Time, 8 9-10 seconds. Second heat, won by John Collier (Brown); second, Frank Sheldon (Yale). Time, 8 9-10 seconds.

70-YARD HURDLES, FINALS—Won by John Collier (Brown); second, Sol Furth (N. Y. U.); third, Frank Sheldon (Yale); fourth, Bernard Lucas (Bowdoin); fifth, Leander Jadwin (Princeton). Time, 8 7-10s.

FRESHMEN MEDLEY RELAY (880-440-220-mile)—Won by Penn State (Paul E. Rekers, Orvis W. Hidinger, Wallace Fullerton, Richard Detweiler); second, Boston College; third, Syracuse; fourth, Yale; fifth, Cornell. Time, 7:47 2-10.

TWO-MILE RELAY—Won by N. Y. U. (William Phillips, Joe Mendeloff, Fred Veit, Phil Edwards); second, Dartmouth; third, Georgetown; fourth, Boston College; fifth, Penn. Time, 7:59 2-10.

TWO-MILE RUN—Won by Joe Hagen, Columbia; second, Arthur Totten, jr., Union; third, Horace Benson, Cornell; fourth, James L. Reid, Harvard; fifth, Louis Lee, Penn State. Time, 9:37 2-10.

16-POUND SHOT PUT—Won by Dave Adelman, Georgetown, 48 feet 8 inches (new I. C. A. A. A. record); second, Lawrence Levy, Cornell, 45 feet 6 inches; third, Harold Lamberg, Pennsylvania, 45 feet 5⅝ inches; fourth, Joseph H. Morris, jr., Haverford, 45 feet 3 inches; fifth, Charles A. Pratt, jr., Harvard, 44 feet 7¼ inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—Won by Alf Bates, Penn State, 22 feet 11⅝ inches; second, Sol Furth, N. Y. U., 22 feet 6½ inches; third, Arthur E. French, Harvard, 22 feet 3⅝ inches; fourth, Percy L. Griffith, Columbia, 22 feet 1½ inches; fifth, John S. Braudenburg, Yale, 21 feet 8⅝ inches.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—Won by Tom Mayard, Dartmouth, 6 feet; second, tie, Cecil F. Russell Brown, George V. Wolf, Yale, Leo J. Sexton, Georgetown; Carrol K. Pierce, Dartmouth, all 5 feet 10 inches.

POLE VAULT—Won by Sabin Carr, Yale, 13 feet 3¾ inches (3 new meet records); second, Fred Sturdy, Yale, 13 feet; third, tie among, Fred Wiesner, Georgetown; Francis R. Clark, Harvard, and Ashley Pond, Yale, all 12 feet 6 inches.

Adelman Sets Record in Shot Put But Relay Teams Fail.

Quinn Wins 70-Yard Dash; Cornell Wins in the Weights.

THE TEAM SCORES.

Cornell	21	Columbia	7
Georgetown	20½	Penn	7
Yale	19½	Union	7
N. Y. U.	13	Princeton	5
Dartmouth	11½	Syracuse	5
Penn State	11	Bos. Col.	2
Harvard	11	Bowdoin	2
Holy Cross	10	Haverford	2
Brown	7½		

By ALAN J. GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor.)

NEW YORK, March 3 (A.P.).—To a record-breaking tune that saw four meet records shattered, Cornell returned to track and field glory tonight by capturing the seventh annual intercollegiate A. A. A. A. indoor championships, ending Harvard's two-year reign.

The veteran Jack Moakley's big Red team won its first I. C. A. A. A. A. title since 1922 by nosing out Georgetown and Yale in a hot three-cornered struggle for points.

Cornell beat out Georgetown by only a half point, 21 to 20½, with Yale third, tallying 19½ points. The Ithacans virtually clinched the meet in the first event, the 35-pound weight throw, in which they took four of five places and scored 13 points, gaining a lead that no other team could overcome.

New I. C. A. A. A. A. records were established in the pole vault by Sabin Carr, Yale star, who added to his laurels by clearing 13 feet 3¾ inches; by Dave Adelman, of Georgetown, in the shot put with a heave of 48 feet 8 inches, by the sensational Syracuse 1-mile relay team with a mile triumph in 3 minutes 21 2-10 seconds, and by Norwood Wright, of Cornell, in the 35-pound weight throw with a toss of 53 feet 11⅛ inches.

New York University, with Sol Furth doing spectcular double duty by taking second in two events the hurdles and broad jump, sprang a surprise by finishing fifth in the team battle, only a point behind Harvard, the 1926-27 champions. The Violet tallied 13 points and Harvard 14 to land in fourth place.

Cornell tallied in only four events altogether. The Itahacans scored in the 2-mile run, shot put and 1-mile relay, in addition to their sweep in the weight throw.

Georgetown's chances of victory were blasted by a surprising and record-shattering triumph of the Syracuse 1-mile relay team over the Hilltoppers.

The husky anchor runner of the Syracuse Quartet, Ray Barbuti, uncorked a dazzling burst of speed on the last lap to pull away from Eddie Hoctor, Georgetown ace, and break the tape in 3 minutes 21 2-10 seconds. The Orange Team clipped its own meet record by two-tenths of a second.

Barbuti, in one of the greatest races of his career, was clocked in 48 seconds flat for his anchor quarter mile. The world's indoor record for the quarter is 49 3-5 seconds so that it was small wonder Barbuti's amazing speed ran his rivals into the ground. Hoctor, the Georgetown anchor, just had enough stuff left to nose out Durkin, of Holy Cross, for second place, fully 15 yards behind the flying Syracuse flash.

Car was considerably below the world's record height in the pole vault. He had set 14 feet 4 inches as his goal, but had to be satisfied by displacing the former meet mark with his vault of 13 feet 3¾ inches.

Jimmy Daley, of Holy Cross, sprang a big upset when he sped to victory over Karl Wildermuth, of Georgetown, the national champion, in the final heat of the 70-yard dash in 7 2-10 seconds. Daley's teammate, Jimmy Quinn, had been favored to fight it out with Wildermuth, but Quinn did no better than fourth, a stride behind Folwell Scull, of Penn.

Daley was off like a shot and had a full yard advantage over Wildermuth at the half-way mark a margin that the Georgetown flash could not overcome.

Judge to Investigate Clearing of Dundee

Los Angeles, March 3 (A.P.).—Municipal Judge Samuel R. Blake announced today he would ask the State Bar Association to investigate the dismissal yesterday of false advertising charges against Joe Dundee, welterweight champion, his manager, Max Waxman, and Dick Donald, who promoted the Hudkins-Dundee fiasco here last November.

Judge Blake said: "The law provides that cases can be dismissed in the furtherance of justice, but it seems to me that any judge is entitled to know why a case of such public interest as this one, when once filed, is being dismissed."

Rain Keeps Cubs Idle; Game Listed Today

Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Calif., March 3 (A.P.).—Heavy rain kept the Chicago Cubs indoors today at their spring training camp here and also put a damper on the intraclub baseball game which was to have been played this afternoon.

If skies clear tomorrow the Cubs will get into action against the nine from the U. S. S. Tennessee. With a naval band and a free gate, it is expected that the two teams will have a big crowd of tourists for the meeting.

FEU FOLLET WINS JEFFERSON FEATURE WITH EASE

French Horse Gallops to Victory

Bob Rogers Is Second; Hopeless, Favorite, Wins Third.

Lounger, Well Backed, Defeats Tannic by One Length.

JEFFERSON PARK, NEW ORLEANS, March 3 (A.P.).—Feu Follet, running in the silks of the Valley Lake Stable, scored in a common gallop here today when he ran away from a good field in the Beauregard Handicap, a mile and 70-yard gallop which featured the card. He ran the distance in the fast time of 1:46 1-5. Bob Rogers landed the place, with William Penn third.

Florence Mills attempted a runaway race of it by taking a long lead. She could not hold her advantage around the turn, the field closed on her and Feu Follet turned into the stretch leading by a small margin, with Bob Rogers second and William Penn third. In the final furlong Feu Follet drew away to win by three lengths. Bob Rogers took the place by half a length from William Penn.

B. B. Rice's Polygamia, paying $13.40 for a $2 ticket, was the winner of the first race, a 5½ furlong sprint.

The dopesters neglected wagering on Polygamia because of the short distance. However, the filly gave a fine exhibition of speed when she came around the field and, taking the lead in the last sixteenth, won going away by a length.

Gad held on gamely to save the place by a length from Muldoon.

The "insiders" put over a real good thing in the second race when P. Reuter's Roy Gibson, carrying 122 pounds, led home a good field, stepping the half mile in 0:48 1-5. He ran a very good race and is probably one of the best colts shown here this winter. Islam was second and Reighthorne third.

Roy Gibson and Florinassa ran head and head to the stretch, where Florinassa was pinched back. Roy Gibson then drew away to win by a length and a half. Islam took the place by a length from the fast-closing Reighthorne.

R. L. Rogers' Peleska, odds-on favorite, won the third event, a mile and a quarter gallop, running the 10 furlongs in 2:08 2-5. Drama was second and Red Banner third. After the race R. L. Rogers claimed Red Banner for $2,500.

Fire Dog cut out the early pace, leading by several lengths to the far turn where Leonard, who had the mount, sent Hopeless up. The geiding rushed into the lead and won nicely in hand by a head. Drama beat Red Banner 5 lengths for the place.

Sam Louis' silks were carried to victory in the handicap, fourth number on the card, when Lounger, well played, scored by a length over Tannic, with Shasta Lad third. Lounger, away well and clear of interference, quickly ran into the lead. He won in a drive by a length. Tannic took the place by half a length from Shasta Lad.

Miss Peggie Bailey's Beauregard, with L. Craver up, was winner of the sixth race, a mile dash, and he ran the eight furlongs in 1:39. Jack Higgins was second, and the favorite, Her Ladyship, third. Beauregard took the lead in the stretch and won by a length and half. Jack Higgins took the place by a length.

The final event, over the mile and a quarter route, was won by Lanoll, with Revelllon second and Moille Myhill third.

Star A. C. Wins, 22-20, Over Good Shepherd

The Star A. C. was the winner, 22-20, in a hard fought game over the Good Shepherd Five. Courtney, of the losers, starred with 13 points.

Star A. C.	G	FG	P	Good Shepherd.	G	FG	P
Christie, lf	3	0	6	Courtney, lf	5	5	15
Churchman, lf	0	0	0	Picken, rf	0	0	0
Peacock, rf	3	0	6	Sayer, c	1	1	3
Helmead, rf	1	0	2	Bayliss, lg	1	2	4
Milliken, c	2	1	5	L.Macgruder, rg	0	0	0
Walker, c	0	0	0	Donohoe, rg	0	0	0
Seall, lg	0	1	1				
Culp, rg	1	0	2	Totals	7	6	20
Totals	10	2	22				

Foul shots attempted—Peacock, Milliken (3), Seall (2), Courtney (4), Sayer (2), Bayliss (3). Referee—Hook. Umpire—Ball. Time of periods—10. Place of game—Good Shepherd Gym. Score at half—19-13 Good Shepherds.

TRACKMEN'S SELECTIONS

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JEFFERSON PARK.

(MONDAY.)

Jubal Early, Immortal, Aureus, Paul Bunyan, Lanoquenet, Bolt of Thunder, Red Rocket II, Moneague, Jack O'Leep, Wildrake, Great Spirit, Louis Rubenstein, John Speed, Sun Altos, Laddie, Corposant, Pouimol, Escarra, Grand King, Copperahine, John Johnson, Jr. Best—Wildrake.

HAVANA.

(SUNDAY.)

Idle Thoughts, Shasta Love, Jimmy Finn, Crestwood Boy, Sandalwood, Beatrice Morse, Merida, Lower Fire, Watson, Everglade, Miami Triad, Forerunner, Fire Under, King David, Seth's Hope, Tip Hat, Dragon, Futuro, Chittagong, Alcores, Archibald Best—Crestwood Boy.

TIA JUANA

(SUNDAY.)

Patrick Sarsfield, Hildred Seth, Shasta Butte, Lemon Squash, Miss Ida Brown, Holly Boy, James B. Brown, Jack Knight, The Falconer, Bullet Proof, Ojo, Stardale, Pal Lady, Jane Dierks, Shasta Buck, Bon Fils, Fire Captain, Applesauce, Woolridge, Simony, Riprap, Canyon Stable entry, Master David, Nevada Stock Farm entry, Fifth of Fax, Prattle, Bucko, Emmett entry, Tennessee, Dukedom, Fort Wayne, Sweep Easy, Capt. Guard Best—James B. Brown.

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Merchant Nines List 2 Special Meetings

Plans for the Merchant's Baseball League were discussed at a meeting of officials and representatives yesterday at French's Sport Store. From the number of teams represented the outlook points to a larger and stronger league than last year.

Two branches are planned this year, one for Merchant League players only and one for the teams wanting to sign outside players. The "closed league" representatives will hold a meeting Tuesday night at Frenchs and the "open leaguers" will convene tomorrow night at the same place. Two more teams are needed to complete the formation of both leagues. For information, call Bill Flester at French's Sport Store at Franklin 6764.

BENNING SCENE OF GREAT ACTIVITY

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dilapidated and disintegrated. The rails about the course are all but gone, weeds grow everywhere, but the track still has a charm for such stables as Harry Payne Whitney, E. B. McLean, H. Teller Archibald, Samuel Ross, Admiral Cary Grayson, Jim Bean, Joseph E. Davis, Nevada Stock Farm, A. C. Bostwick, E. R. Bradley, H. S. Harkness, Marshall Field, Pueblo Stable, James R. Hyde, and Lattintown Stable, who are all quartered here in preparation for the Maryland season.

Around the old fence where once the rail bird held supreme, looking 'em over, you will find Freddy Hopkins, Jim Healy, Tim Donohue, Matt Brady, F. Murphy, Matt Smart, Kimball Patterson, and Bill Brooks, trainers who have wintered here, clocking the runners as they speed around the track.

Admiral Cary Grayson, the Washington sportsman, who is devoting much time to breeding these days, will race a modest stable this year, but it will be a powerful aggregation of thoroughbreds which consists of six horses, three 3-year-olds and as many 2-year-olds.

Perhaps the greatest of these is Strolling Player, a son of Grand Parade—Comedienne, and a half brother of Call Boy, winner of the English Derby. Strolling Player, acquired from the estate of Frank Curzon, was brought to this country last fall and has been under the watchful eye of Steve Lawler at the Audley Farms, Berryville, Va.

He has acclimated himself to his new surroundings beautifully and will be turned over to Jefferson Livingston at the old J. K. L. Ross Farm at Laurel, Md., where he will be prepared for the Preakness, the Kentucky Derby, the American Derby, the Saratoga Gold Cup and the Jockey Club Gold Cup stakes.

Knapsack, the son of Royal Canopy—Haversack, and Modification, an aptly named daughter of High Time—Light Wine, with the juveniles, two fillies and a colt, all children of High Time, will be seen in the Maryland meetings.

Strolling Player is destined ultimately to head the Grayson breeding establishment, which now consists of My Own, a son of Fing James—Betty Landon; Playfellow, Man o' War's ill-starred brother, and Gnome, a son of Whiskbroom—Fairy Spirit.

PHOENIX IS READY.

The Phoenix A. C., is booking games with unlimited teams. Write C. Hutchinson, 133 Eleventh street southeast. A "house warming" on March 16 is planned for members and friends, while on March 21 a dance and card party. For information as to tickets, phone Lincoln 9892.

HEALTH CLUB ORGANIZED AT J.C.C.

Many Leading Business Men Among 110 Enrolled in Course.

THE Jewish Community Center has undertaken the task of educating its members on the benefits to be derived from supervised physical training, through the newly organized Health Club, which is being conducted by James McNamara, director of athletics at the center.

When the idea of the preservation of health was submitted to the membership, 110 members decided to take the course and presented themselves for physical examination. They include some of the leading business men of Washington, Morris Cafritz, J. B. Shapiro, Joseph A. Wilner, Harry King, M. Blumethal, Max Cohen, Morris Garfinkle, Morris Gerwirz, Isadore Hershfield, Isadore Kahn, Maurice Biegyer, Nathan Plotnick, Philip Millstone, Charles A. Goldsmith, David Silverman, M. Narcisenfeld, Dr. William I. Ogus, Fred Pelzman, Benjamin Rachlin, Charles Rosenthal, Robert Rothstein, Barney Robins, Harry Racoosin, Abe Stern, Charles Stein, Joseph Tepper, I. S. Turover, Jacob Zarin, John Kerman and Hyman Goldberg are all firm believers in the Community Center slogan, "It pays to play."

The members are given a complete physical examination by a competent physician upon entrance to the organization and specified exercise and training is prescribed for the member to perfect his physical condition.

A well-equipped gymnasium with excellent bath facilities of the latest improved type, which include a hot-air chamber, steam bath, showers, swimming pool, rest rooms with a competent masseur in charge, are all a part of the routine given to the Health Club members.

James McNamara, director in charge, is a former star athlete of Georgetown University. He was born in Summerville, Mass., and before coming to this city was assistant physical director of the Summerville Y. M. C. A. After graduation in 1925 from Georgetown University he became instructor at the Jewish Community Center and has advanced athletics at that institution to a high standard. McNamara has fathered amateur boxing in the District of Columbia and has won many laurels as an amateur in the ring.

Co. F Auxiliary Wins 22-8, Over Woodridge

The Co. F Auxiliary Five defeated Woodridge yesterday, 22-8. C. Hiser led with 13 points.

Co. F Aux.	G	FG	P	Woodridge.	G	FG	P
C. Hiser, lf	5	3	13	Scott, rf	3	0	6
Given, rf	4	1	9	Dunn, rf	1	0	2
Hill, c	0	0	0	H.Hurd, c	0	0	0
W.Hiser, sc	0	0	0	R.Allen, sc	0	0	0
Cook, lg	0	0	0	Randall, lg	0	0	0
Anderson, rg	0	0	0	E.Hood, rg	0	0	0
Totals	9	4	22	Totals	4	0	8

Referee—Bellman. Time of periods—10. Place of game—Hyattsville. Score at half—10-2.

WANT GAME TOMORROW

The Woltz A. C. Basketers want a game for tomorrow night with a 145-pound or unlimited opponent. Teams interested call Main 6938 or Cleveland 838.

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WEATHER, CLOUDY; TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,000. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving. Place same. Went to post at 2:20. Off at 2:22. Winner, B. B. Rice's ch. f. (1), by Polymelian—Athlone. Trained by owner. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:48, 1:09 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
POLYGAMIA	118	8	2	2½	2½	1½	1½	1h	Pascuma	$5.40
GAD	106	1	1	1½	1½	2½	2½	2½	Moore	16.80
MULDOON	113	6	3	3½	3h	3½	3½	3h	Dubois	4.00
ROYCROFTER	119	5	5	4½	4½	5½	4½	4½	Allen	4.40
MOM'S BOY	107	4	6	6h	6h	6h	6h	5½	M. Meyer	4.20
ARROGANT	113	2	8	5h	5½	8h	8	6h	Zucchini	28.20
MEKNES	118	7	4	8	8	7h	7h	7h	Horn	30.70
DR. GLENN	113	3	7	7h	7h	8	8	8	Landolt	16.10

Two-dollar mutuels paid—POLYGAMIA, $13.40, $7.20, $4.60; GAD, $16.00, $7.60, MULDOON, $3.00.

POLYGAMIA broke slowly, was taken wide around turn, closed with a rush in stretch and won going away. GAD had plenty speed, but was used up making ARROGANT stop. MULDOON was hard ridden all the way and had no mishap.

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs. Purse, $1,000. The Pop Bell. Allowances. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won handily. Place same. Went to post at 2:51. Off at 2:53. Winner, F. Reuter's ch. g. (2), by Sween On—Aurora. Trained by owner. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:48 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	Start	¼	Stretch	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
ROY GIBSON	122	8	4	2½½	1½	1½	Horn	$1.99
ISLAM	114	3	2	2h	2½	2½	Ambrose	2.80
REIGHTHORNE	108	5	3	4h	4h	3½	Pichon	3.10
FLORINASSA	108	4	1	1h	1h	4h	Schaefer	2.90
PRINCE BOYD	119	6	5	5	5	5h	Coltilletti	8.20
BESCHWOOD	109	1	6	6	6	6	Huff	44.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid—ROY GIBSON, $5.20, $2.80, $2.20; ISLAM, $3.20, $2.70; REIGHTHORNE, $2.90.

ROY GIBSON broke well, rushed up on outside, and raced FLORINASSA into defeat, then drew away to win nicely in hand. ISLAM slipped through on inside and ran a good race.

THIRD RACE—One and one-fourth miles. Purse, $1,000. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving. Place same. Went to post at 3:21. Off at 3:23. Winner, R. L. Rogers' b. g. (5), by Buoo—Kellusks. Trained by owner. Time, 0:24 4-5, 0:49 1-5, 1:15, 1:42, 2:08 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	Start	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
HOPELESS	109	2	1	1h	1h	2½½	1h	1h	Leonard	10.90
DRAMA	95	6	3	2½	2½	1½½	2½	2h	McGinnis	10.00
RED BANNER	112	1	5	4h	4h	3½½	3h	3h	Maguire	4.00
LETTER CHIX	109	3	4	3h	3h	4h	4h	4h	Schaefer	5.90
ARRAGOSA	109	5	6	6	6	6	6h	5h	Root	9.20
FIRE DOG	95	4	2	5h	5h	5h	5h	6	M. Meyer	11.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—HOPELESS, $3.20, $3.00, $2.60; DRAMA, $6.60, $5.00; RED BANNER, $3.20.

HOPELESS was rated along back of early pace, moved up fast in last half mile, took lead in stretch and easily held DRAMA safe. The latter made a game effort. RED BANNER made a determined bid around turn, but tired badly in stretch.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000. Handicap. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving. Place same. Went to post at 3:50. Off at 3:54. Winner, S. Judy's b. g. (7), by Sweep—Sweet Marjorie. Trained by J. P. Holk. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:47 1-5, 1:12 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
LOUNGER	107	2	6	4h	4h	2½½	1h	1h	Pichon	$4.20
TANNIC	109	7	5	6h	6h	4½½	2h	2½	Abel	3.90
SHASTA LAD	114	8	3	5h	5h	5h	3½½	3½	Schaefer	3.20
ALGOL	109	3	8	8	8h	8h	8h	4h	Ambrose	4.20
BRILLIANT	102	5	2	2h	2½	1½	4h	5h	Moore	28.20
BREAK O' MORN	109	6	7	7h	7h	7h	6h	6h	Craver	7.90
FLORIDA GOLD	103	1	4	3h	3h	3h	5h	7h	Root	11.20
PIGEON WING II	102	8	1	1	1h	6h	7h	8	Long	22.80
RUANE	103	4	9	9	9	9	9	9	Deprema	43.10

Two-dollar mutuels paid—LOUNGER, $10.40, $5.20, $4.00; TANNIC, $7.20, $4.80; SHASTA LAD, $3.00.

LOUNGER away fast, rushed into the lead on outside, drew out in stretch, but tired suddenly in last sixteenth. TANNIC, well up from the start, ran a good race. SHASTA LAD was taken back around turn, but came fast in final furlong.

FIFTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards. Purse, $1,000. Handicap. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily. Place driving. Went to post at 4:22. Off at 4:25. Winner, Valley Lake Stable's b. g. (5), by Babel—Fire Play. Trained by J. B. Partridge. Time, 0:25 2-5, 0:47 2-5, 1:12 4-5, 1:38 4-5, 1:46 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
FEU FOLLET	115	5	3	4½	4½	2½	1½	1½	Deprema	$8.60
BOB ROGERS	109	4	7	7h	7h	3½	2½	2½	Loyland	4.20
WILLIAM PENN	105	2	5	5	5	5½	4h	3½	Long	3.80
FLORENCE MILLS	103	6	8	8	8	6h	5h	4½	Leonard	3.20
BOOMER	101	3	6	6h	6h	8	6h	5h	Craver	12.90
PRICKLY HEAT	101	7	1	2½	2½	7h	7h	6h	Hunt	9.30
TWINKLING	103	1	4	3h	3h	4h	8	7h	Jones	43.20
LADDIE	112	8	2	1h	1h	1½	3	8	Pool	6.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid FEU FOLLETT, $15.20, $8.00, $4.60; BOB ROGERS, $5.80, $3.00; WILLIAM PENN, $3.60.

FEU FOLLETT came around field on turn, rushed into lead and won easily. BOB ROGERS was hard ridden and had no mishap. WILLIAM PENN was hard ridden and had no excuse.

SIXTH RACE—One mile. Purse, $1,000. Allowances. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won handily. Place same. Went to post at 4:51. Off at 4:52. Winner, Miss P. Bailey's blk. c. (3), by Black Toney—Dorsid. Trained by W. Hurley. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:48, 1:13, 1:39.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
BEAUREGARD	105	6	2	3h	3h	2½½	1h	1½½	Craver	$4.10
JACK HIGGINS	112	2	1	2h	2h	1½½	2h	2h	Schaefer	18.20
HER LADYSHIP	100	3	3	1h	1h	2½½	1½	3h	Wolfe	1.70
BILLY CULBERTSON	102	1	5	5	5	3h	3h	4h	Deprema	11.20
AVIATOR	108	4	6	6h	6	5h	4½	5h	Root	6.90
MASTERLESS	109	5	4	4	4h	4h	5h	6h	Pool	8.90
CRUELTY	109	7	8	8	8h	8h	8h	7h	Dubois	5.80
LITTLE COLONEL	109	8	7	7h	7h	6h	6	8	Leonard	59.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BEAUREGARD, $10.20, $6.80, $3.20; JACK HIGGINS, $13.00, $4.80; HER LADYSHIP, $2.60.

BEAUREGARD, under restraint to the stretch, closed fast and won going away. JACK HIGGINS was hard ridden and was next best. HER LADYSHIP was rushed into the lead, but quit badly in final furlong.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-fourth miles. Purse, $1,000. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving. Place same. Went to post at 5:23. Off at 5:28. Winner, Mrs. W. J. Hayes' ch. g. (7), by Crimper—Lady Lenore. Trained by H. Sutherland. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:49 1-5, 1:15, 1:42, 2:06 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
LANOIL	107	8	4	4½	4h	2½	2½	1h	Jones	$18.10
REVEILLON	109	5	1	1h	1h	1½	1½	2½	Leonard	2.80
MOLLIE MYHILL	97	4	3	2½	2h	3½	3½	3½	Root	3.60
OPEN HAND	102	3	5	10	9h	6½	5h	4h	Landolt	3.60
HARRY CARROLL	105	2	8	3	3h	4h	4h	5h	Pichon	11.20
GEORGE GEYER	109	6	7	5	5	5	6h	6h	West	21.20
AROM	109	11	10	6½	6½	9h	7h	7h	Mitting	45.60
JOHN J. JR.	106	7	9	7h	7h	7h	8h	8h	Bergen	33.95
STAR FALCON	109	10	6	11	11	10½	9h	9h	Dubois	8.10
CHAMPION	95	1	2	9h	8h	8h	10h	10h	McGinnis	28.10
ALL RANGE	96	7	7	8h	10h	11	11	11	M. Meyer	41.10

Two-dollar mutuels paid—LANOIL, $38.20, $16.40, $7.20; REVEILLON, $4.60, $3.00; MOLLIE MYHILL, $3.00.

LANOIL finished with a rush and was up in last stride to win. REVEILLON had plenty of speed, but weakened in last sixteenth. MOLLIE MYHILL closed with a rush.

Duponts Score Two Basketball Victories

The Dupont Five scored a double victory yesterday, defeating the Hibbs Co. Five, 25 to 23, in the afternoon and swamping the Fort Myer Team, 34 to 19, at night. Boyd and Nacca starred for the Duponts. These victories give the Duponts three for this week.

Duponts.	G	FG	P	W. B. Hibbs.	G	FG	P
Nacca, lf	3	0	6	Mayo, lf	3	0	6
Ryan, lf	3	0	6	Gahan, rf	4	0	8
Boyd, rf	4	1	9	Tegeler, c	0	0	0
Gentz, c	2	0	4	Flaherty, c	1	0	2
Reisinger, lg	0	0	0	Red, lg	1	1	3
Phelps, rg	0	0	0	Wahler, rg	2	0	4
Totals	12	1	25	Totals	11	1	23

Referee—Broderick. Time of periods—10 minutes. Place of game—City Club. Score at half—12-13 Duponts.

Duponts.	G	FG	P	Ft. Myer Med.	G	FG	P
Nacca, lf	5	0	10	Mack, lf	3	0	6
Dingar, lf	1	0	2	Rose, rf	0	1	1
Boyd, rf	4	0	8	Cox, c	1	0	2
Geary, c	1	2	5	Druck, lg	0	3	3
Phelps, c	0	0	0	[illegible], rg	2	1	5
Reisinger, lg	1	0	2				
Maranian, rg	3	1	7	Totals	7	5	19
Totals	15	4	34				

Referee—Woods. Time of periods—10 minute quarters.

Old Dominion Invades K. of C. Court Today

The Knights of Columbus Basketers, who have run up a winning streak of seven straight games during the past three weeks, will face a real test in the Old Dominion Boat Club Quintet today, when these teams clash at 3:15 o'clock in the K. of C. Gymnasium.

In a preliminary attraction, starting at 2:15 o'clock, the Baltimore A. C. Sextet, one of the leading girls' teams of Baltimore, and the Washington A. C. Team will meet.

The Old Dominion Team, recently displayed its strength in the game against the champion Anacostia Eagle Quintet, which the latter won, 28 to 26, only by a desperate rally in the last few minutes.

TIA JUANA ENTRIES.

(FOR SUNDAY.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward, welterweights.

1 Hoquiz 113
2 *Regular Girl 117
3 Shasta Butte 117
4 Patrick Sarsfield 108
5 *U Know Green 119
6 *Glanmore 123
7 *Tijuana 113
8 *Hildred Seth 113
9 Amen 124
10 *Capps Kicka 119
11 Confluente 128
12 Firm Friend 122
13 *Weber 109
14 *Ray Reese 126
15 Fenman 122
16 *Prodigal 122
17 *My Daddy 110

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward, welterweights.

1 *Londer Seth 119
2 *Skeotin 121
3 Singapore 128
4 Miss Ida Brown 117
5 *Lemon Squash 117
6 *Lucky Hays 119
7 *Lachee 128
8 D. Johnston 126
9 *Holly Boy 123
10 *High Ball 130
11 *Jodburgh Abbey 121
12 *Goldsborough 117
13 Lou Lampe 128
14 President 128
15 *Gondolier 127
16 Lou Shank 109
17 Rose's End 113
18 Circuit 113

THIRD RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Dusk 112
2 Queen 112
3 Montdale 112
4 Jack Knight 112
5 High Card 112
6 Jubilation 112
7 Eyelash 112
8 El Cid 112
9 The Falconer 112
10 James Brown 112
11 Spearo 109
12 Welty 112
13 Son of Trump 112

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Be Frank 112
2 Bullet Proof 112
3 Slippers Smile 112
4 Teaman 112
5 Stardale 112
6 Sirrife 107
7 Little Mac 112
8 Beauty Green 107
9 Chiva 109
10 Ojo 109
11 Matilda R. 107
12 Hard Dealer 112
13 Miss Fountain 104

FIFTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Shasta Buck 96
2 *Silver Strand 101
3 Heathervale 101
4 *Minnie Bomba 97
5 Jane Dierks 100
6 *Fred's Raphael 101
7 *O'Leep 96
8 Blue Lane 97
9 *Peter Brush 109
10 *Pal Lady 101
11 *Herdsman 109
12 Lord Assagai 97
13 Shasta Pansy 109
14 *Buzzer 106

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Muriel H. 109
2 Coalescence 107
3 Kid North 97
4 *Fire Captain 108
5 Golden Laura 104
6 *Mary Elizabeth 104
7 Princess Elma 115
8 *Sir Nicholas 109
9 *Maryland 99
10 *Brookwood 107
11 *Royal Gossip 104
12 Applesauce 93
13 Platinum 101
14 Bon Fils 101
15 Stariess 109

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $1,200; the Southern California handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Woolridge 106
2 Riprap 108
3 Cautankerous 98
4 Simony 96
5 Forecaster 108

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and a furlong; purse, $25,000 added; the Tia Juana Derby; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Inca 116
2 Master David 116
3 *Frank G. Menke 113
4 W. G. Bowman 109
5 Color Blind 114
6 Gen. Diskin 116
7 Dr. Wilson 122
8 Sunny Saint 116
*Canyon Stable entry.
*Long entry.
*Nevada Stock Farm entry.

NINTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 *Rucko 99
2 *Firth of Tay 108
3 *Prattle 97
4 *Ginger Pyle 102

TENTH RACE—Two miles and a furlong; purse, $1,200; the Thad Steeus handicap; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 *Fire Captain 103
2 Old Faithful 96
3 Bardalid 106
4 Irvington 112
*Emmett entry.

ELEVENTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Paula Shay 109
2 Sweep Easy 98
3 First Dance 109
4 *Lagoon 104
5 Green Shield 103
6 *Lake Rock 104
*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, cloudy; track, muddy.

Tiger A. C. Defeats Gunton-Temple, 33-19

The Gunton Temple Five bowed to the Tiger A. C. yesterday, 33 to 19. Mitchell and W. Dimmette led in the scoring for the winners.

Tiger A. C.	G	FG	P	Gunton Temple.	G	FG	P
W.Dimmette, lf	1	0	2	Newcomer, lf	6	1	13
Bell, rf	1	0	2	Weber, rf	0	0	0
R.Reichart, rf	2	0	4	Weber, rf	0	0	0
Hargett, c	1	1	3	Hammerlund, lg	1	0	2
Mitchell, lg	6	0	12	Surgeant, rg	1	0	2
W.Dimmette, rg	4	2	10				
Totals	15	3	33	Totals	9	1	19

Foul shots attempted—W. Dimmette (2), Newcomer, Weber, Hargett. Referee—J. Reichart. Time of periods—10 minutes. Place of game—Walter Reed "Y" Gym. Score at half—16-10, Tigers.

Quartet of Games At Jewish Center

A quartet of games are on tap at the Jewish Community Center today. The J. C. C. 115-pound team will open the program by playing the Nationals at 4:30 o'clock. Immediately following the undefeated J. C. C. Juniors will engage the Boys Club Senators.

The J. C. C. Sextet will occupy the floor beginning at 7 o'clock, meeting a strong girl's team, yet to be named. Closing the day will be a game between the J. C. C. "Big Five" and the De Molay tossers, in what will probably prove the fastest game on the entire program.

High Schools Drill In Earnest for Track

Next week preparation will start in earnest among the local high schools for the approaching outdoor track season.

The Tech and Eastern trackmen, who were given a rest following the Virginia meet a week ago, which closed a rather active indoor season, will turn out in force. Both schools will have about 40 candidates. From all indications, Eastern will be stronger in the field events this year, as Hoffman, Hayden, Wade, Holland and several other huskies from the football team will compete in the field events. Central, which was rather inactive during the indoor season, will begin hitting its stride early in May at the Maryland scholastics.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

(FOR TODAY.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Barberry 112
2 *Shasta Love 106
3 Jacobean 109
4 *Subdo 99
5 *Tar Baby 104
6 *Golden Locks 99
7 Glen Brook 109
8 Beatrice Morse 102
9 *Splinters 107
10 *Saratoga Maid 102
11 *Liborio 102
12 Hecla 106
13 Tidbit 104
14 Blades 107
15 *Idle Thoughts 102
16 Jimmy Finn 101
17 *Lawless 107
18 *Three Sixty 107

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Crestwood Boy 109
2 *Sky Flight 107
3 *Boy Scout 104
4 Rockwood 107
5 Salvage 107
6 Sandalwood 104
7 Lemon Squash 106

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1 *Lower Five 101
2 *Lady Murphy 98
3 *Watson 105
4 *Paprika 102
5 *Merida 102
6 *Twelve Thirty 100
7 *Totara 96

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; allowances; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Dual Triad 110
2 Lemnos 110
3 Ferozepur 104
4 Erin's Bride 103
5 Everglade 108
6 Hanky Rice 108

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,500; handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Miami Triad 110
2 Lemnos 110
3 Ferozepur 104
4 Fire Under

REGULAR-YANNIGAN CAMES START AT THREE CAMPS

Hornsby Goes Hitless in Contest

Phils' Rookies Defeat Regulars, 8 to 2; Cards Play.

Vance to Get Salary of $20,000; Giants in 2 Sessions.

ATLANTA, March 3 (A.P.).—Sluggers had it on the pitchers in some of the games between regulars and yannigans in major league baseball camps, but in other instances hitters were turned back and found goose eggs in the hit column of the unofficial score book to mark the close of the second week of the training grind.

Genewich and Greenfield, pitching for the yannigans in the Braves' camp at St. Petersburg turned back Rogers Hornsby without a hit, and got a 2-to-2 tie in a six-inning game. At Bradentown, the Boston Red Sox regulars and yannigans played six innings to a like score, but Ken Williams turned in three hits.

Eight rookies hurlers were introduced to firing line duty in the impromptu game at Winter Haven, where the Phillie yannigans won an 11-to-2 victory off the first string.

Bill McKechnie divided his St. Louis Cardinals at Avon Park and sent them into battle in a regulation game. With most of the regulars not due at Clearwater until tomorrow, the Brooklyn Dodgers filled in gaps with pitchers to hold their scramble today.

Connie Mack's Athletics at Fort Myers, the Yankees at St. Petersburg, the St. Louis Browns at Palm Beach, the Washington Nationals at Tampa, the Cincinnati Reds at Orlando, the Chicago White Sox at Shreveport, La., the Cleveland Indians at New Orleans and the Detroit Tigers at San Antonio, were content today to top off the week's work running for fungoes.

With players in camp beginning to show improved form each day, managers turned their attention to holdouts or prospects for filling the gaps today. Manager Wilbert Robinson at Clearwater announcing that he would meet Dazzy Vance's demand for $20,000 annually.

Miller Huggins, seemingly unperturbed by holdouts, said today that Gene Robertson will be sent to second base, if Tony Lazzeri does not show up in a day or so.

The Giants at Augusta, Ga., took two five-inning workouts today.

Gun Club's Weekly Shoot Won by Lane

L. L. Lane, former Vermont State champion trap shooter, won the weekly shoot at the Washington Gun Club yesterday, when in the face of a high, blustery March wind which blew across the traps he broke 44 out of a possible 50 targets to take the high gun trophy.

Besides the wind as a severe handicap, the gunners were obliged to exchange guns with the other marksmen in the squad after every five rounds of fire.

When the doubles contest was finished Lane again proved to be the winner over a large field by taking a 21 score in the two-ply type of marksmanship.

Dr. A. B. Stine was the high handicap winner of the day, when he broke 42 clays. In the four months' trophy race Dr. Parsons took the lead in the day's shooting by clicking off 21 out of 25 and 24 out of 25 targets to win legs in the first and second events. Robert Welsh, genial secretary of the Washington Gun Club, scored 21 breaks to win a leg in the first event.

Scores at 50.		Four months trophy.	
Lane	44	Lane	20x25
Fawsett	43	Green	11x25
Stine	42	Welsh	21x25
Cook	36	Stine	35x50
Burrows	35	Wilson	30x50
Shelton	34	Shelton	35x50
Monroe	34	Monroe	38x50
Emmons	34	Burrows	37x50
Greeu	32	Fawsett	34x50
Wilson	31	Wenkoop	40x50
Bartholomew	30	Cook	35x50
Collins	22	Parsons	45x50

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ALEXANDRIA TRIO HEADED FOR TRAINING CAMPS



Three former captains of Alexandria High School Baseball Teams, pictured above, soon will join baseball clubs in training. Top, left, Leon Riley, pitcher, who will play with Norfolk, in the Virginia League. Top, right, Kermit Smith, pitcher, who will join New Haven in the Eastern League. Below, Louis Hicks, third baseman, signed by the Detroit Tigers.

D. C. Prep School Athletes Turn to Baseball and Track

Devitt and St. Alban's Schedules Named; Emerson Plans Boxing Team; Court Season Is Practically Closed.

BY GARRETT WATERS.

WITH the basketball season about over, local prep school teams are turning to baseball, and plans and preparations are in effect by most all of the schools for the coming season.

Devitt and St. Alban's seem to have the jump on their brother schools in that schedules have already taken some form and meetings for candidates have been called. Georgetown Prep, Gonzaga, Emerson and St. Johns still have to announce meetings, while the schedules of each have not as yet been completely filled.

Georgetown Prep will probably begin its baseball in earnest now that its basketball campaign is finished and St. John's will not be far behind in its preparations. Both Emerson and Gonzaga will no doubt wait until their court schedules are completed next week.

Out at Devitt, Coach McNamara has five holdovers from last year and a wealth of material out for places on the regular nine. Of the veterans, three are infielders, namely: Forter, shortstop; Kennedy, second base, and Trucks, third baseman, a trio who will probably solve the infield problem, excepting the initial sack.

Bastable, a pitcher, and Stiles, an outfielder, round out the holdovers. Among the candidates are George Garvin, former Gonzaga star. Garvin's ability in sports is well known. At Gonzaga, he starred in football and baseball. If battery candidates will make a team, Devitt will be well fortified in this respect.

Judy Forrest, formerly of Tech and a star, is one of the leading candidates, while Brady, of Central, is another. A lad named Gene Lalsan, reputed to be the champion schoolboy pitcher of Georgia last year will be out, Engle, a former catcher at Central High, is the only catcher out at this writing.

Turning to St. Alban's, it is found that only three regulars are left from last year's team. They are Bowles, a third baseman; Crouch, shortstop, and Galliher, an outfielder. All are rated highly in the mind of Coach Henderson and are the nucleus of this year's team. Of the candidates Gaul, a first baseman; Owens, at second; Rudd and Thompson, pitchers, and Von Ammon and Carnduff, catchers, are the most promising. Both Devitt and St. Alban's expect banner seasons on the diamond this year.

Looking ahead somewhat, it is found that local prep schools will indulge in many forms of athletics this spring in addition to baseball.

Tennis, track, swimming, golf and even boxing are planned by several of the institutions with the last named sport being introduced by Emerson. A tennis league will soon get into motion when the weather permits and four schools, namely, St. Alban's, Georgetown Prep, Devitt and Friends, are already lined up for play. Before the actual schedule is made it is expected that word from the other prep teams will be heard.

The track branch of sports, carried on mostly by Devitt Prep during the past six months, will be augmented by the forming of an Emerson Track Team. Coach Sanborn, of that institution, plans to build up the running sport this spring with a formidable track team which will compete in many outdoor meets. He has an array of promising material in Casassa, hurdler and dash man; Winters and Burns, sprinters; Davidson, Kolpinski and Jenkins, milers; Asserson, high jumper, and Deane and Phelps, shot putters.

Devitt's ability on the cinders and boards is already known, the team figuring in several indoor meets during the winter. Devitt, under the capable direction of Coach Harry Helme and Trainer D. L. (Count) Cornwell, has developed greatly and many good runners are included on the squad. Among the most prominent are Harris, Hopper, Kennedy, Teevens, Knott, Tangora and Trilling.

In swimming, Devitt has held the monopoly in the past, and from all indications will continue to reign for the rest of the school year, as none of the other prep schools plan forming teams. The Devitt tankmen, although not meeting with so much success in recent years, have shown remarkable skill at times which points development in the future.

Several promising natators compose the squad in Orme, Hoffman, Morris and Mather, relay men; Morgan and Strong, fancy divers; Shugrue and English, artists in the 220-yard free style, and Orme, Hoffman, Morris and Mather, exponents in the breast stroke, back stroke and dash.

During its summer session, Emerson expects to develop golf and next fall boxing will be added to the sports curriculum.

Following are the baseball schedules to date of Devitt and St. Alban's:

DEVITT.

March 31, Leonard Hall (away).
April 4, Leonard Hall (here); 6, Shenandoah College (here); 18, Augusta Military Academy (away); 19, Fishburne Military Academy (away); 20, Staunton Military Academy (away); 21, V. M. I. (away); 25, Shenandoah College (away); 28, Eastern High at Eastern; 28, Mount St. Mary's (away).
May 16, Eastern (home); 28, Mount St. Mary's (here).

ST. ALBAN'S.

March 30, Tech (home).
April 7, Forest Park of Baltimore (here); 27, St. Christopher at Richmond; 28, Christ Church at Christ Church, Va.
May 1, Episcopal High at Alexandria; 15, Bushaw of Baltimore (here).

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Mt. Vernons Winner In Sunday League

The Mount Vernons continued their winning ways in the Sunday School League by defeating the Calvary Reds, 29 to 9. In another game, the United Bretheren Five walloped the Calvary Baptists, 23 to 12. The Petworth M. E. forfeited to Columbia in a third game scheduled.

Mt. Vernon.	G	F	P	Calvary Reds.	G	F	P
Barker, lf	5	0	10	May, lf	0	0	0
Johns, lf	0	0	0	Maxwell, lf	0	0	0
Melton, rf	6	2	14	Richardson, rf	2	1	5
Morris, c	1	0	2	Blanchard, c	0	0	0
McQueen, c	0	0	0	Asquith, lg	2	0	4
Carr, lg	0	1	1	Felker, rg	0	0	0
Goad, lg	0	0	0				
Young, rg	1	0	2	Totals	4	1	9
Totals	13	3	29				

Foul shots attempted—Melton (4), Barker, Morris, Carr (2), Young (4), Maxwell (2), Richardson, Blanchard (2), Asquith (2), Reforee—Nash. Time of periods—18 minutes.

U. Brethren.	G	F	P	Calvary Bapt.	G	F	P
Russell, lf	2	0	4	Patterson, lf	1	0	2
Giddings, lf	0	0	0	Kirby, rf	0	1	1
Smith, rf	1	1	3	Prime, c	0	1	1
Tew, c	3	0	6	Sugarhunt, lg	1	0	2
Streets, lg	4	2	10	Thomason, lg	2	0	4
Rohrer, rg	0	0	0	Bowman, rg	1	0	2
Totals	10	3	23	Totals	5	2	12

Foul shots attempted—Smith, Tew (2), Streets (6), Patterson (2), Thomason (2), Kirby, Bowman (2), Prime (2). Referee—Joynes (Central Board). Time of periods—18 minutes.

NATS HAVE BRIGHT CHANCES FOR PENNANT

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that he will play his head off under the changed and more pleasant atmosphere."

Although McNeely was worth all of the $50,000 paid for him in 1924, there is no question but that the Nationals will have a better set of fly chasers this season, Griffith points out.

"McNeely was a good fielder but he did not have a punch and was a poor thrower. West is just as good a fly hawk and has a really great arm, and is a hitter. If he makes the regular center field berth, he will be an improvement over McNeely and we will be just that much stronger if Ganzel, Kloza or Simons happens to beat out West."

Getting around to the competition the Nationals will have to face, Griffith is willing to admit that the Yankees are still in the American League and that Connie Mack, George Moriarity and some of the other managers will have teams in the race. However, he can not see any outfit but the Huggmen as having a chance to beat out the Nationals and his study of past baseball history with, perhaps, a visit to some fortune teller, has given him the hunch that the Yankees will crack.

"History is full of upsets," the Nats' owner concluded. "Other teams have suddenly lost their form for one reason or another, and that New York team isn't in yet by any means. Mark my words, we'll have something to say about this coming race."

Nine Bouts Feature Boys' Night at J. C. C.

Eighteen youthful aspirants for the junior amateur boxing crown entertained 300 youngsters, who cheered madly through the nine preliminary bouts for the junior championship of the Jewish Community Center last night staged as a feature of Boys Club Night at the Center.

Every match was closely contested and fast as lightning with lefts and rights flying at will, some of them falling on the referee, Bob Goldstein, the Jewish Community Center's undefeated amateur champion in the lightweight class.

Athletic Director Jim McNamara staged an interesting show, even to Babe Cannoughton, former all-American guard from Georgetown University, who was among the speakers.

The semifinals and the finals will be fought by the winners of last night's contest at the Center in about a fortnight. The bouts were all three rounds to a decision. Results:

70-POUND CLASS—Malcolm Mintz (unattached) defeated Harry Cordover (unattached); Paul Keyser (Nye Club), defeated Bennie Jaffe (Victory); Ray Harrison (Kanawha) defeated Milton Silverman (Victory).

85-POUND CLASS—Julian Himmelfarb (Lenox), defeated Morton Walker (unattached); Morris Bergman (Lenox), defeated William Gorgevitz (Boys Scouts).

103-POUND CLASS—Herman Harrison (Kanawha), defeated Myron Garfinkle (Lenox); Jess Heilman (Iroquois), defeated Milton Medelson (Lenox).

118-POUND CLASS—Joseph Carroll (Iroquois), defeated Henry Seigal (unattached); Norman Freidinberger (Iroquois), defeated Linard Viner (Boy Scouts).

Speedwells Defeat Shepherd Five, 33-31

The brilliant shooting of Churchman was the deciding factor, as the Speedwell A. C. Quintet nosed out the Good Shepherd Basketball Team, 33 to 31, last night in a thrilling game.

Good Shepherd.	G	Fg	P	Speedwell.	G	Fg	P
Courtney, lf	1	2	4	Churchman, lf	8	1	17
May, rf	5	5	15	Loving, rf	2	0	4
Larer, c	0	0	0	Hook, c	3	1	7
L. Magruder, c	1	0	2	McCollum, lg	1	0	2
Donahue, lg	0	0	0	McPurdy, rg	1	1	3
Bayliss, rg	3	0	10				
Totals	12	7	31	Totals	15	3	33

Foul shots attempted—11. Referee—Hooker (C. U.). Time of periods—10 minutes.

White Eagle Pee Wees Win Game by Point

The White Eagle Pee Wees Basketball Team defeated the Red Eagle tossers in an exciting game last night by a score of 42 to 41.

White Eagle.	G	Fg	P	Red Eagles.	G	Fg	P
Parkman, lf	6	1	13	Richmond, lf	11	1	23
Hoover, rf	0	0	0	E. Weidman, rf	2	1	5
Berkley, c	6	2	14	C. Weidman, c	3	1	7
Guld, lg	0	0	0	Regones, lg	0	2	2
Schults, rg	4	3	11	Noyes, rg	2	0	4
Totals	19	4	42	Totals	18	5	41

Referee—Miller (W. E.).

Red Shield Quintet Beats Phillips, 23-19

The Red Shield Quintet defeated the St. Phillips Team, 23 to 19, last night in the Laurel Gymnasium. At half time the teams were tied at 12 to 12.

Red Shield.	G	Fg	P	St. Phillip's.	G	Fg	P
R. Schafer, lf	4	1	9	Hamilton, lf	1	0	2
Turvey, rf	3	0	6	Rogers, rf	1	0	2
J. Schafer, c	1	0	2	Taylor, c	1	0	8
Groves, lg	1	0	2	Clarke, lg	2	1	5
Costello, rg	2	0	4	Scott, rg	1	0	2
				Sharp, rg	0	0	0
Totals	11	1	23	Totals	6	7	19

Referee—Anderson (L. N. G.). Time of periods—10 minutes.

Harvey and Long Win Game for C. U., 25-24

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., March 3.—Bill Harvey's foul goal after Johnny Long had put his team in the lead won a thrilling basketball game for the Catholic University of Washington, D. C., from the Cumberland Knights of Columbus Five on the State Armory floor here tonight, 25 to 24.

Catholic U.	G	Fg	P	Canegs.	G	Fg	P
Bell, rf	1	0	2	May, rf	4	2	10
Long, lf	4	3	11	Keegan, lf	2	1	5
Amann, lf	0	0	0	Minke, c	1	0	2
Carney, c	1	0	2	Dorsey, rg	2	1	5
Harvey, rg	3	1	7	Mulleney, lg	1	0	2
Foley, lg	1	1	3				
Totals	10	5	25	Totals	10	4	24

Referee—Law. Umpire—Smith.

TO TALK BASEBALL.

The Dixie A. C. Baseball Team will hold a meeting tomorrow night at the home of Hugh Waldrop at 8 o'clock. All players and candidates are asked to be present.

PEEWEE NINE READY.

The Georgetown Peewee Baseball Team is anxious to arrange games with other clubs in their class. Candidates for this year's team should get in touch with Manager O'Done, 1217 Thirtieth street northwest.

125 ASPIRANTS FOR OLD LINE VARSITIES

Baseball, Track, Football, Lacrosse Teams Are Active.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE aspirants for University of Maryland varsity teams—baseball, lacrosse, track and football—will be cavorting on the fields at College Park tomorrow.

Nearly 100 of them, the baseball, lacrosse and football men, were out during the past week and the trackmen are due to join the array tomorrow.

These soon will be followed by the tennis players and freshmen squads in baseball, track and lacrosse, and then there will be 250 or more in athletic suits.

Coach Burton Shipley has only two letter men—Pitcher Luke Bromley and Outfielder Kessler—around which to build his baseball team and his nine must come from four others who were on the varsity squad last season, fifteen who were on the 1927 Frosh aggregation, and nine who did not play last year. However, a fairly good team to combat the difficult 24-game schedule should be developed.

Curley Byrd and "Swede" Eppley are better fixed for the track team, as they have sixteen men, some of them outstanding performers, left from last year and have gained some promising talent in the fourteen members of the 1927 freshmen squad, who have come up for varsity jobs.

A big loss for the season was Suter, pole vaulter, who did 11 feet 3 inches for the freshmen last year. He had to stay out of school this year on account of a typhoid fever attack.

Chief Beatty, former Old Line end, and Biff Bafford, last year's center and captain, are assisting Coach Byrd in tutoring the gridders.

The make-up of the various squads follows:

BASEBALL.

FROM LAST SEASON—L. Bromley, pitcher; Burroughs, pitcher-outfielder; Kessler, outfielder; Hale and Simmons, infielders; Leachusky, catcher-outfielder.

1927 FRESHMEN—Phipps, Ratson, Mace, Madigan and Doubilis, pitchers; G. Bromley and Higgins, catchers; Hoffman and Hetzel, first base or outfield; Wilson, Radice and Williams, infielders; Tansill, Tawney and Fleischmann, outfielders.

DID NOT PLAY LAST YEAR—De Marco, pitcher; Covington, catcher; Zahn and Lombard, first base; Ramsberg and Slack, infielders; McGann, Holter and O'Neill, outfielders.

LACROSSE.

FROM LAST SEASON—Capt. Street and Simmons, goal; Loane, De Ran, Harrison, Doukas, Linton, Cockerill and Epstein, defense; Linkous, Holloway, Price, Gorgas, Ady, D. Kones, Smink and Doerr, attack; Davidson, center.

FROM 1927 FRESHMEN—Spence, goal; Heagy, Healy, Henry, Dent, Kelly and Walters, defense; Evans, Wilson, M. Kones, Beck and Colsline, attack; Warchely, center.

DID NOT PLAY LAST SEASON—Dobson and Crothers, defense; Snyder, attack.

TRACK.

FROM LAST SEASON—Capt. Matthews, Thomas and Fuzh who ran the 100 to 440; Fahey, hurdles, high jump and broad jump; Blanz, half mile; Neuman and Plumley, mile; Myers, Shepherd and Bowman, 2 miles; Aman, pole vault; Elliott, hurdles and high jump; Zulick, shot and discus; Oertlecher shot, Bradstreet, discus and javelin; Miller, javelin.

FROM 1927 FRESHMEN—Quinn, 100 to 220; Rensburg, Linzey and Haines, half mile; Morley and Schriteber, 2 miles; Kunamon and Rasch, hurdles; White, broad jump; Held and Ward, high jump; Young, javelin and discus; Connaughton, pole vault.

SPRING FOOTBALL.

FROM 1927 SQUAD—Young, McDonald, Woodrack, Heluts, Epple, Fletcher, Rimitski, Robinson, Porter, Venesky and Smallwood, linemen; Roberts, Hanback and Parsons, backs.

FROM 1927 FRESHMEN—Rabbitt, Logan, Fisher, H. McDonald, Brashears, Pruitt, Butt, Clary, Owens, Eireman, Litman, Bennett and Bennet, linemen; Blackburn, Pfizer Lolley and Zacherie, backs.

1927 VARSITY GRIDDERS EXCUSED FOR OTHER SPORTS—Dobson, Heagy, Crothers, Higgins, Hetzel, Wilson and Madigan, linemen; Kessler, Evans, Radice and Snyder, backs.

Keenan, lineman, is idle on account of an operation on his knee.

French Quintet Wins Over Woodside, 31-27

Exhibiting brilliant teamwork and passing, the French A. C. team defeated the strong Woodside Quintet, 31 to 27, last night in the Silver Spring Armory.

French A. C.	G	Fg	P	Woodside.	G	Fg	P
Ball, lf	2	3	7	D. Kreb, lf	3	0	6
Carroll, lf	2	0	4	V. Kreb, lf	5	1	11
Jarman, rf	2	0	4	Nowlin, rf	0	1	1
Anderson, rf	0	2	2	Coughlin, c	0	1	1
Gubisch, c	0	3	3	Christie, c	0	1	1
Mallinoff, lg	1	1	3	Mulligan, lg	0	1	1
Laugser, rg	3	0	6	Taylor, rg	2	2	6
Totals	10	11	31	Totals	10	7	27

Referee—Alquery (Hilsi). Time of periods—10-minute quarters.

HARRIS LAUDS SPIRIT OF NATS IN TRAINING

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known to but few of the Nationals until they reported for breakfast this morning, and, needless to say, it was the chief topic of conversation, for the young pitcher is most popular with his mates.

Reports from the hospital this evening were that the operation was entirely successful, with no bad after effects likely. The surgeon stated, however, that had the use of the knife been delayed 6 hours longer the appendix would have burst, blood poison likely would have set in, and there is no telling what might have been the result. Now that the operation is over and the patient on the way to recovery, the Washington Club officials are glad that, if it had to happen, it came when it did. As the baseball season does not open until April 10, the young pitcher, who is being counted upon as one of the Nats' pitching mainstays this season, possibly will be ready to pitch by that time.

Being an athlete and in good physical condition, his wound should heal quickly and he probably will be discharged from the hospital in about ten days, and in another ten days or so will be able to resume training.

Rube Vickers, former Philadelphia Athletics pitcher, brought his son, Rube, Jr., to Plant Field, introduced him to Manager Harris as a "diamond in the rough" and asked the Nats' leader to give the youngster a trial. The lad, however, who claims to be a pitcher, certainly does not take after his daddy, and he looked anything but impressive.

Lewis Twomey, former Georgetown catcher, who has starred for the Sacred Heart College Team here, will report to Manager Harris Monday to help handle the many pitchers in camp. Four receivers are on hand now, but between warming up catchers and working behind the bat during the wand drills, they have more work than they can handle.

Pitcher Columbus (Mac) Sams, former Washington sandlotter, is shaping up well. Manager Harris this morning commented on his free motion and manner of handling himself, but, of course, does not yet know just how much stuff the youngster has.

A flock of movie men were on hand this morning and practically everything the Nats did was photographed. After work was over, Altrock and Schacht pulled a number of their "acts" before the camera, much to the delight of the large gallery on hand. Since they have played on the Keith circuit, by the way, these two now rate themselves as "artists" rather than comedians.

The Sportswoman

By DOROTHY E. GREENE.

ONE big change occurred in the standing of the 80 groups in the Washington Free Throw Tournament conducted by The Washington Post when yesterday's records were examined by the committee. Western High School sent in a junior class team score of 132 points, which is 24 points higher than the McFarland, Jr., High School score that had held the field for three days.

Western also dislodged Miss Madeira's School from third place in the intermediate class team score with 124 points, and Judith Fishburn and Estelle Sasterson made fifth place in the junior and intermediate individual classes.

Mary Tolman, Western High School student, also brought honors to her school with her individual score of 35 points in the junior class, establishing the highest score yet made in the class and only 3 points behind the 1927 world record of 38 goals out of a possible 45.

Holton Arms Junior Team score of 106 bettered the Madeira School score by 3 points, giving Holton third place and dropping Madeira to fourth position.

Changes are occurring each day as the committee completes examining records and each day the report of the committee will be published in this column until Wednesday morning when the finalists will be announced. The finals will be conducted Friday from 5 to 7 p. m. in the Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium.

TEAM STANDING.
SENIOR CLASS.
(300 Trials.)

First—Gypsies	139
Second—American University	123
Third—Southern A. C.	121
Fourth—George Washington University	116
Fifth—Washington A. C.	109

INTERMEDIATE CLASS.
(280 Trials.)

First—Southern A. C.	131
Second—George Washington University	122
Third—Western High School	121
Fourth—Miss Madeira's School	122

JUNIOR CLASS.
(225 Trials.)

First—Western High School	132
Second—MacFarland Junior High School	108
Third—Holton Arms School	106
Fourth—Miss Madeira's School	103

STANDING TO DATE.
INDIVIDUAL.
SENIOR CLASS.
(50 Trials.)

First—Josephine Dunham, Basketeers	41
Second—Rosemarie Allen, Gypsies	34
Frances Galatzo, Gypsies	34
Fourth—Marion Barrett, Gypsies	32
Fifth—Josephine Ivey, G. W. U.	31

INTERMEDIATE CLASS.
(50 Trials.)

First—Jean MacGregor, W. W. U.	41
Second—Sally Abell, Western H. S.	34
Third—Lucy Munson, Washington Lee H. S.	33
Grace O'Loop, Columbia A. C.	33

JUNIOR CLASS.
(45 Trials.)

First—Mary Tolman, Western H. S.	35
Second—Mildred Hook, unattached	31
Third—Martha Rennenson, G. W. U.	31
Catherine Dooulis, MacFland Jr. H.	31
Fourth—Catherine Scrat, Miss Madeira's S.	29
Fifth—Judith Fishburn, Western H. S.	26

BASKETEERS.
SENIOR CLASS.
(60 Trials.)

Josephine Dunham	41
Helen Jolliff	39
Fanny Millholland	23

ROLTON ARMS SCHOOL.

Intermediate class—A. C. Greene, 17; M. L. Holt, 13; A. Rollins, 18; D. Stokely, 15; M. Wells, 22.

Junior class—L. Adlercran, 8; O. Bayne, 16; K. Brown, 11; M. Burton, 14; H. Burke, 13; B. Dyer, 17; C. Ekengren, 28; K. Hall, 20; C. Jones, 10; C. Long, 9; J. Large, 11; V. Mayo, 15; M. E. MacArthur, 5; R. Page, 16; B. Peek, 11; E. Ray, 15; A. Rollins, 18; L. Shuman, 5; E. Smith, 9; G. White, 10; H. Whitford, 13; E. Breckinridge, 12; P. Joyes, 7.

WESTERN HIGH SCHOOL.

Intermediate class—Sally Abell, 31; Estelle Easterton, 28; Marion Lown, 26; Patty Joyce, 19; Betty Smith, 17.

Junior class—Mary Tolman, 35; Judith Fishburn, 26; Janet Smith, 21; Dorothy Probey, 24; Betty Hartman, 25.

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY.

Senior class—E. Brandenberg, 8; J. Frey 21; C. Kyle, 8; L. Ounwake, 24; E. Zimmerman, 26; Una Baird, 13; Louise Berryman, 20; V. Beauplant, 12; Lois V. Cook, 8; India Bell Corea, 14; B. Gieser, 15; Minnie Hersey, 15; C. Meyers, 12; T. Risch, 19; L. Wellner, 9.

Intermediate class—M. Crouch, 10; S. Crowley, 31; E. Denning, 10; E. Folsom, 10; J. MacGregor, 41; C. Morris, 12; E. Sears, 21; M. Sproul, 16; J. Turnbull, 15; C. Palmer, 31; K. Ash, 10; Sara Barrett, 7; Jeannette Bernstein, 17; Molly Brinkley, 3; Anna Beck, 13; E. Brookhart, 7; Elizabeth Cates, 12; Eleanor Chenoweth, Angelina Clark, 5; May Clark, 13; V. Conger, 10; Mary Connelly, 2; Eleanor Chaney, 5; C. Denny, 10; Beryl Edmonston, 13; Alice Ernest, 11; J. Fiescher, 9; Sara Gaines, 15; H. Greenberg, 10; Ruth Griggs, 4; E. Graham, 13; C. Greenlee, 14; E. Gumenick, 6; Susan Hall, 10; W. Hancock, 8; A. Feffelfinger, 10; Margaret Hicks, 5; Mary Hudson, 19; Maude Hudson, 4; Louise Humphries, Grace Garrard, 12; H. John, 9; M. Kelm, 8; Frances Kieffer, 6; V. Lombardo, 7; J. Latterner, 4; R. Devine, 14; E. Lindsay, 7; B. Litman, 13; E. Lovell, 8; R. MacFall, 18; L. Mackall, 7; T. Martin, 8; Mary May, 7; L. McGravy, 10; M. Mitchell, 10; Mary Carey, 5; E. Morrow, 6; C. Phillips, 29; M. Potter, 4; E. Quick, 7; H. Rissler, 5; L. Easgmuller, 11; A. L. Sanford, 6; E. Shuts, 9; C. Siebert, 6; Sinclair, 4; A. Spencer, 12; M. Stevens, 14; A. Stolar, 7; B. Thom, 13; A. Walker, 13; F. Walker, 12; J. Wayland, 9; M. Weller, 4; E. White, 9; R. Wright, 19; S. Zaidens, 5; E. Zoll, 1; E. Deming, 10.

Junior class—D. Albert, 21; Martha Bennenson, 21; C. Jackson, 10; C. Lucas, 18; E. Nash, 12; J. Rosenberg, 15; J. Sheppard, 13; C. Snyder, 11; J. Wood, 11.

Intermediate class—Charlotte Ball, 13; Frances Askew, 13; Nancy Clark, 13; Eleanor Kidwell, 12; Constance Tovner, 6.

Intermediate class—Eleanor Wood, 14; Virginia Austin, 17; Catherine Conover, 20; Catherine Serat, 29; Elizabeth Meyer, 18; Louise Hudson, 19; Virginia Dean, 14; Anna Holloway, 15; Priscilla Totten, 11; Eleanor Calvert, 7.

MISS MADERIA'S SCHOOL.

Seniors—Margaret Johnson, 21.

Intermediate class—Charlotte Rae, 20; Dorothy Drier, 18; Marion Hutson, 12; Mildred Smith, 14; Emily Holton, 12; Charlotte Ball, 13; Frances Askew, 13; Nancy Clark, 13; Eleanor Kidwell, 12; Constance Tovner, 6.

Junior class—Eleanor Wood, 14; Virginia Austin, 17; Catherine Conover, 20; Catherine Serat, 29; Elizabeth Meyer, 18; Louise Hudson, 19; Virginia Dean, 14; Anna Holloway, 15; Priscilla Totten, 11; Eleanor Calvert, 7.

G. W. SHOOTS WELL.

High scores of 493 were shot by the George Washington Rifle Team yesterday in both of their telegraphic matches against the University of Maine and Penn State University.

Scores were as follows:

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE MATCH.

Betty Vlark	100
Helen Taylor	99
Verona Parsons	98
Roberta Wright	98
Eugenia Cavillier	98
Total	493

PENN STATE MATCH.

Helen Taylor	99
Eugenia Cavillier	98
Naomi Crumley	98
Susan Jameson	99
Arleen Spencer	99
Total	493

MARYLAND WINNER.

The University of Maryland Rifle Team scored another victory last week when they defeated the Syracuse University Team, 492 to 490, in a telegraphic affair.

Individual scores follow: Essex, 99; Kreider, 99; Cause, 99; Hislop, 98; Mitchell, 97.

TWO HIKES SCHEDULED.

Two hikes are scheduled by the Red Triangle Outing Club for today's program. Hikers who join the early morning group should take the Friendship Heights, Somerset, or Alta Vista car and meet at Wisconsin avenue and Observatory line at 7:30 o'clock. The hike will be through the Naval Observatory grounds, Massachusetts Avenue Park and Rock Creek Park to Collier Inn, where a breakfast party will conclude the affair.

The second hike of the day will follow a trail over Upton and Munson Hills in Virginia. The group will meet at Twelth street and Pennsylvania avenue at 2:30 p. m.

Clark Griffith Nine Downs West School

The Clark Griffith Pee Wees opened the Washington baseball season yesterday when they defeated the West School Pee Wees by a score of 8 to 6 in a well played game. Manager J. Himmelfard would like to book future games with junior teams. Call Adams 4026.

D. C. COLLEGE NINES WORK INSIDE

First Outdoor Drills Scheduled Tomorrow by Coaches.

THE local college baseball squads will engage in their first outdoor drills tomorrow afternoon.

During the past week the battery candidates of Georgetown, Catholic University and Maryland have been working out daily in the gymnasium, but as yet have done no serious practice.

Coach Charles V. Moran, of Catholic University, and Coach Burton Shipley, of University of Maryland, are particularly anxious to go on the field. With regular players of last year's teams lost by graduations, these coaches are faced with the tasks of building up practically new teams.

Bromley and Kessler are the lone regulars of last year's Maryland nine, which was virtually shattered by graduations.

Coach Moran has several infield and outfield gaps to fill before the Cardinal team will approach anywhere near the strength it had last season.

Coach Larry Kopf, of Georgetown, is looking forward to a very successful year. His only worries are centered around his pitching staff and the big gap at shortstop.

The Hilltop coach has expressed himself as pleased with the showing of the pitchers, especially Burch and Gillespie, during the past week. Phelan, last year's varsity catcher, has also impressed Coach Kopf with his snappy work during the indoor drills.

Catholic U. Swimmers Outclassed by W. & L.

Lexington, Va., March 3. — Norris Smith set a new record in the 220-yard free-style swim here tonight while leading his Washington and Lee team to a 45-to-15 victory over the Catholic University Team of Washington. The Generals completely outclassed the Capital mermen, taking first place in every event except in the 50-yard free-style, in which Mullen barely pushed ahead of Fangborner, of W. and L.

The meet was one of the feature events held here this week-end in connection with the South Atlantic interscholastic basketball tournament. All four sides of the gallery to the tank were crowded with people, the largest crowd that has seen a meet of its kind here this season.

Besides setting a new record in the 220-yard event Smith took first place in fancy diving.

Relay—Won by Washington and Lee.

Fancy diving—Won by Smith (W. and L.); second, Nicholson (C. U.); third, Turk (W. and L.). Time, 0:25 3-5.

100-Yard Back Stroke—Won by Cooke (W. and L.); second, Corbett (C. U.); third, Moffett (W. and L.). Time, 1:09 4-5.

220-Yard Free Style—Won by Smith (W. and L.); second, Mullen (C. U

MID-ATLANTIC GOLFERS TO PLAY AT CONGRESSIONAL

Capital Club Is Awarded Tourney

Event Starts June 13; Scene of Women's Event Unknown.

Mason Is Reelected Head of Association at Meeting.

By HENRY LITCHFIELD WEST.

THIS year's Middle Atlantic Association tournament will be held at Congressional Country Club, June 13, 14, 15 and 16, it was decided last night at a meeting of the association held at the Willard Hotel. No other course was offered, although a communication from the Baltimore Country Club stated that organization would be glad to invite the association next year. The Princess Anne Club sent a similar letter

The course for the women's Middle Atlantic championship was left to the selection of the executive committee, together with the date. In the usual course of rotation this event should be held this year in some city other than Washington or Baltimore, but as no delegates from outside the District were present last night, no decision could be reached.

The association elected the following officers: Guy Mason, Congressional Country Club, president; A. P. Strobel, Baltimore Country Club, first vice president; Walter R. Mitchell, Princess Anne Club, second vice president; Walter R. McCallum, secretary-treasurer.

The delegates present were: Bannockburn—Middleton Beaman, L. S. Pfautz; Chevy Chase—Morven Thompson; Columbia—Donald Woodward, Albert R. McKenzie; Congressional—Guy Mason, Dr. Bruce L. Taylor; Indian Spring—C. Chester Caywood; Washington Golf and Country—Dr. J. T. McClenehan, Fred D. Paxton; War College—Col. H. W. Fleet.

Robert Townsend, who for five or six years has been employed at the Columbia Country Club, has been appointed steward-manager of the Bannockburn Club and will enter upon his new position about March 15.

The green committee of the Columbia Club has issued a bulletin to the golfing members of the club explaining the occasional necessity of closing the course during the winter season and asking the cooperation of the members in keeping the course in condition.

Capital Women Beat Baltimore Bowlers

The Agriculture Economics Ladies Bowling Team defeated the B. & O. Team, of Baltimore, on the latter's alleys yesterday, 1,447 to 1,399 for three games.

Mary Thompson, Edna Ragan and Bertha Greevy were the high scorers for the Washington team. Bertha Greevy rolled a high 124 game in her second attempt.

Agriculture Economics.				Baltimore.			
Robinson	86	91	87	Hammond	88	94	81
McQuinn	98	94	98	Monger	88	100	94
Greevy	99	124	83	Zimmerman	121	91	89
Thompson	109	106	81	Kimball	88	91	97
Ragan	103	96	101	Miller	91	86	92
Totals	485	511	450	Totals	476	462	461

Counsel Bowlers Lose Special Match

In a special District Government League match, the Corporation Counsel Bowlers defeated the Engineers, 1,865 to 1,773, on the King Pin Alleys yesterday. Thomas was high game man for the winners with 111. Henderson rolled best for the losers.

ENGINEERS.

Henderson	93	100	86	92
Killiher	74	87	100	95
Bryan	98	95	81	82
Brennan	89	79	94	93
Barr	96	85	87	83
Totals	450	434	448	441

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

Dawson	89	89	89	104
Weaver	81	78	82	89
Thomas	104	104	94	111
Wahly	89	85	109	109
Williams	89	85	102	95
Totals	453	428	476	508

Riggs Bank Bowlers Win in Baltimore

Special to The Washington Post.

Baltimore, March 3.—The Riggs Bank Bowling Team, of this city, defeated the strong Maryland Trust Co. Team of Baltimore last night on the Convention Hall alleys, 2,617 to 2,507.

Brooks was high man for the Riggs team with 563. Keene was next in line with 528. Rutherford, of the visiting team, rolled high game of 136.

RIGGS BANK, WASHINGTON.

Haycock	93	116	119	115	98—529
Marx	109	85	110	92	100—496
Keene	110	95	97	126	100—528
Womersley	94	95	108	97	107—501
Brooks	105	118	112	115	113—563
Totals	511	509	537	545	518 2,617

MARYLAND TRUST CO., BALTIMORE.

Eliason	79	107	115	117	85—503
Kreiger	94	98	94	94	...—380
Frank	91	117	98	98	99—503
Waller	85	92	...	...	89—266
Rutherford	118	89	97	136	114—554
Hoffstetter	...	...	102	96	103—301
Totals	467	503	506	541	490 2,507

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Standing of the Clubs in Bowling Leagues

AMONG some of the last Baltimore and Maryland teams to file entry for the National Duckpin Bowling Congress to be held in that city, beginning March 12, are some of the strongest teams, which will compete for national honors.

The Walbrook Five, of the Walbrook Bowling Academy, will line up with Charles Giessner, Albert Bach, Charles Boyer, F. C. Stewart and P. S. Cayce.

Cashmeyer's famous team of Catonsville, Md., which has so often opposed the local King Pin team, is expected to be in the running for a good slice of the $10,000 prize money.

The Postoffice Twins, of Baltimore, namely, Frank M. and Harry G. Taylor, and T. M. Belt and O. K. Hiser, of Hyattsville, leading bowlers of the Prince Georges County League, have entered the doubles and singles. Miss Dorothy White, one of the leading College Park bowlers, has entered the singles in the women's division.

Leading local teams which were among the late entrants are the strong Harmony team, of the Masonic League, which is composed of Frank Price, George Iseman, George Montozowis, Harold Supplee and Henry Rodier; the Riggs National Bank team, of the Bankers' League, and the Aggie team, of the Federal League. The late entrants follow:

MARYLAND TEAMS.

Orioles Team of the Standard Gas Equipment League—Arthur N. Miller, J. Snyder, W. Cousins, W. Finnerman and F. Petrik. B. Jaffney is alternate and A. W. Miller is captain. Cardinal Gibbons Council K. of C. of the Knights of Columbus League—William Leppert, Joseph Muhlmeister, Anthony Haebler, Phillip C. Mueller and Augustus M. Miller, captain. Neill Buick Co.—Men selected to be chosen from an elimination contest. Campbell Metal Window Co.—C. Constantine, George Peters, William Smith, Courtney Rommell and Kenneth Byer. Irvington Team of Irvington, Md.—Joseph Rimbach, John Dienner, William O'Keefe, William Elize, jr., Irvin Raap and Joseph Van Horn. McCormick & Co. of the Industrial League—K. Harmon, F. Bancroft, captain; N. Zeigler, H. Dill, J. Black and A. Wharton. Aggie Team, of Catonsville, Md.—R. Myers, M. Cassidy, R. Lucke, H. Giese, B. Garvey and V. Buckingham. Cassidy is captain. Myers and Cassidy will bowl in the doubles and singles. Walbrook Five, of the Walbrook Bowling Academy—Charles Giessner, Albert Bach, Charles Boyer, F. C. Stewart and P. S. Cayce, captain. Cayce will roll in the singles. Baltimore Coal Exchange, of the Baltimore Coal Exchange League—John Mickey, James Schaefer, Edward Haley, Leslie Harrison, Louis Deal and Howard C. Zimmer. Fidelity and Deposit Co.—E. Disney, W. Fowler, George Waldner, W. R. Gray, B. C. Seymour, captain, and H. Fraley. Charles Uhlorn will be the sixth man. University of Maryland Team, College Park, Md.—E. Valent, N. Hosmall, R. Going, H. Cashell, M. Koons and W. H. Press, captain.

WASHINGTON TEAMS.

Washington Railroad Y. M. C. A. Team, of the Washington Terminal R. R. Y. M. C. A. League—C. L. Williams, Capt. Park Trotter, Paul Dunn, J. Kelly, D. Weeks, H. Hayes and K. Reynolds. Harmony Lodge, of the Masonic League—Frank Price, George Iseman, George Montozowis, Harold Supplee and Henry Rodier, captain. New Jerusalem, of the Masonic League—D. Trundy, E. M. Walker, Harley Evans, George Campbell, William Smith and S. R. Jacobs, captain. Riggs National Bank, of the Bankers League—R. G. Marx, K. F. Brooks, R. M. Womersley, J. A. Keene and R. E. J. Haycock. Weeks, H. Gunlon, Brooks and Marx will shoot in the doubles, while both will shoot in the singles. Thomas E. Jarrell Co.—Richard Stimson, Irvin Boore, Ralph C. Boyd, captain; Lloyd F. Gaines and Karl E. Jarrell.

Farnan Bowling Shoes—H. Streiter, Roy Coorhes, W. M. Light, E. Y. Johnson and R. E. Farnan, captain. Times-Herald Team No. 2—Harry Bjorklund, Clinton Curtis, Adrian Harper, Bob Hoverty and Mickey Johnson. Agriculture, of the Federal League—Harry Dixon, C. A. Linstrom, Charles Lyons, Walter Stork, Rudolf De Clants and John A. Ferrall, captain. Sterrett and Fleming, of the Automotive League—Leslie Stankel, Edward Schaefer, Guy M. Huchins, Vernon P. Watkins, captain, and Walter B. Long.

DOUBLES AND SINGLES ENTRIES.

Philip L. Goodal and Arlie C. Webb; B. Inge and R. B. Barnes, singles and doubles; G. W. O'Neil and G. A. Fleishell, single and doubles; J. E. Wood, manager of the Kiu Pin, and Tommy Thomas.

WOMEN ENTRANTS.

The Montibello Team, of the Ladies Regent League, Baltimore—Mrs. Beulah Pohlman, Emma Ritter, Ada Gray, Helen Pohlman and C. M. Thomas, captain. Girls Team, of the Fidelity & Deposit Co., of Baltimore, Md.—Olive Shreeve, Grace Jett, Hazel Winslow, K. Meurer, Agnes Talbott and Birdie Rhea.

MASONIC LEAGUE.

Lafayette gained ground in the Masonic League, when Whiting lost two games to Naval and Harmony lost one to Dawson. Arabians did not even press the winners, Lafayette taking all three games

Hamilton, of Roosevelt, and Barnard, of Pentalpha, anchor men of their respective teams, staged a beautiful duel, the former shooting 395 and the latter 392. Barnard climbed to third place in individual average.

Others to shoot 350 sets or better were Urban, 378; Meyer, 371; Pratt, 371; Campbell, 359; Stocking, 356; Hart, 352; Heindel, 351, and Burrows, 350.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Perpetual	58	14	.806	Am. Sec. Br.	31	41	.431
Hibbs & Co.	55	14	.797	Dist. Natl.	29	43	.403
Am. S. & T.	52	17	.754	Natl. S. & T.	28	44	.389
N. R. of W.	54	18	.750	Murphy	28	44	.389
Riggs Natl.	51	21	.708	Fed.-Amer.	24	48	.333
W.L.&T.,2.	47	25	.653	Second Natl.	20	46	.303
W.L.&T.,1.	45	27	.625	Northeast...	21	51	.292
Fed. R. Bd.	41	31	.569	Natl. Metro.	17	55	.236
Park View	39	36	.542	Harriman Co.	9	63	.125

High individual game—Ware, 156; McShea, 154. High individual set—Souder, 391. High team game—Federal Reserve Board, 601. High team set—Washington Loan and Trust No. 1, 1,655. High spares—Clark, 161. High strikes—McClelland, 47.

ATHLETIC CLUB LEAGUE.

The Arlingtons and the Ninth & New York Avenue Lunch teams, were the only aggregations in the Athletic Club League to hit anywhere near true form. The Lunch five totaled 1642 and incidentally took two games from the Arlingtons. Arlington's lone win with 561 proved the best team game. Lewis Pantos led for the winners with a 141 game and 362 set.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Phillips Co.	48	12	.800	Nationals	27	36	.429
Union Pres.	48	15	.762	Georgetown	27	36	.429
Arlington	39	24	.619	Arcadia	27	36	.429
N. F. Club	37	26	.587	Nomads	21	42	.333
9th & N.Y.A	33	27	.550	Reilly Co.	5	58	.079

AHEPA LEAGUE.

Hercules ar' Socrates each took three games from their respective opponents, Pericles and Plato, last week in the Ahepa League, the forfeit allowing Hercules to take first place.

P. O Chipouras' 392 set, which established a new record for the season, aided Hermis in winning two games from Aristotle.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Hercules	32	16	.667	Socrates	30	27	.526
Plato	36	21	.631	Aristotle	24	27	.470
Hermis	34	23	.596	Pericles	6	48	.111

High individual average—Mantzouris, 109-23. High individual games—Stubbopoulos, 153, High individual set—P. D. Chipouras, 392. High number strikes—Glekas, 29. High number spares—L. D. Chipouras, 115. High flat score—Arthur and L. G. Chipouras, 96. High team game—Plato, 593. High team set—Hercules, 1,595.

WASH. TERMINAL Y DUCKPIN AVERAGES

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

Team.	W.	L.	Pct.	Team.	W.	L.	Pct.
Station	49	23	.680	Nationals	41	34	.546
R. M. S.	43	29	.597	So. Ea. Ex.	33	39	.458
Toppers	41	31	.568	Un. Trans.	31	41	.430
Loungers	40	32	.555	Bollerm'ers	29	42	.416
Night Owls	40	32	.555	Woodchop'rs	29	43	.402
Au.Ry.Ex.	40	32	.555				

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

STATION.

	G.	TP.	St.	Sp.	HG.	HS.	Ave.
Weeks	69	7,422	23	159	135	548	108-20
Trotter	69	7,255	21	135	157	381	105-10
Williams	72	7,477	24	125	156	398	103-61
Custer	69	7,107	18	93	125	335	102-63
Parovano	60	6,150	11	111	155	338	102-1

R. M. S.

Fogerty	54	5,584	18	104	133	362	103-22
Holder	56	5,718	19	100	139	362	102-36
Wernitz	57	5,769	12	92	121	332	101-12
Finney	60	6,059	18	98	139	372	100-59
Murphy	9	911	2	16	121	309	100-11
Taylor	53	5,385	11	47	133	328	99-21
Buckley	57	5,653	16	91	144	342	99-10
French	14	1,308	5	15	112	290	96-4
Waide	8	675	2	9	101	274	93-1

TOPPERS.

Tebbs	72	7,521	18	144	137	355	104-35
J. Ballard	72	7,443	25	128	148	364	103-37
G. Ballard	72	7,342	25	123	136	381	101-70
Kilroy	66	6,549	13	95	141	327	99-6
Fulfin	69	6,828	21	109	134	351	98-66

High individual game—Ware, 156; McShea, 154. High individual set—Souder, 391. High team game—Federal Reserve Board, 601. High team set—Washington Loan and Trust No. 1, 1,655. High spares—Clark, 161. High strikes—McClelland, 47.

LOUNGERS.

K. Reynolds	63	6,527	19	114	135	334	103-28
Myers	59	6,019	16	115	125	316	102-1
Hardey	9	907	1	20	124	329	100-7
Ryon	68	6,627	9	105	139	329	97-3
Hall	42	4,091	4	69	127	319	97-26
Blackwelder	12	1,173	2	20	103	295	97-9
Smith	50	5,019	7	52	121	303	95-7

NIGHT OWLS.

Bryan	72	7,684	27	156	148	356	106-52
Roudabush	65	6,702	15	114	133	336	103-7
C. Reynolds	72	7,497	22	122	145	342	102-53
Jenkins	66	6,755	16	121	128	354	102-23
H. Nieder	61	6,233	11	108	133	351	102-11
Wilz	55	5,599	7	47	133	307	101-15

AMERICAN RAILWAY EXPRESS.

N. Robertson	60	6,083	17	102	135	355	101-52
Ott	54	5,469	13	92	132	332	101-12
Eagle	14	1,436	6	23	122	316	99-2
F. Robertson	60	5,980	17	87	116	319	99-4
Miller	66	6,567	14	83	118	344	98-31
Bond	44	4,540	7	63	124	319	96-28
Smith	8	758	2	9	113	326	94-5
Laugher	9	845	1	12	105	282	93-8
Baxter	3	275	0	3	98	275	91-2
Devoe	22	1,997	3	23	105	280	90-17
C. Miller	3	273	0	4	101	273	90-3

NATIONALS.

Palmer	26	2,447	6	43	142	349	101-21
Tolson	56	5,617	6	57	126	334	98-21
Cannon	56	5,490	15	84	129	338	98-11
Walsh	67	6,590	12	102	125	345	97-3
Gray	66	6,293	21	85	119	319	95-23
Richards	53	4,920	15	48	114	327	92-46
Lewis	26	2,319	7	28	106	277	89-5

SOUTHEASTERN EXPRESS.

Hayre	21	2,272	8	49	143	362	108-4
Hughes	59	5,850	14	94	129	334	99-9
Altemus	66	6,525	10	102	124	347	98-57
Tompkins	57	5,504	19	75	118	320	96-32
Baker	65	6,097	16	77	119	315	95-52
Mason	61	5,671	6	72	116	311	92-59
Turner	6	546	1	5	106	289	91-
Suddrith	2	176	0	2	88	..	88-

UNION TRANSFER.

Smoot	34	3,424	17	56	138	343	100-24
Merritt	60	5,853	19	76	133	341	97-33
Fairbanks	57	5,477	12	78	120	313	96-3
Spalding	52	4,916	16	70	127	313	94-32
Kline	39	3,674	9	49	118	330	94-11
Rexrode	17	1,567	5	11	131	274	92-3
Mozinger	25	2,267	4	24	127	313	90-17
Soper	7	590	2	2	90	255	84-2
Swann	3	254	0	1	87	254	81-6

BOILERMAKERS.

Pitcher	11	1,039	0	17	107	307	94-5
Matthews	60	5,697	17	78	119	336	94-57
Lawson	64	6,132	15	87	130	325	95-52
Carroll	27	2,628	5	27	114	305	97-3
Young	61	5,945	18	84	125	330	97-28
G. Nieder	57	5,323	12	68	119	323	93-22
Pierson	18	1,569	2	16	99	280	87-3

WOODCHOPPERS.

Brudine	46	4,413	11	57	122	318	95-43
Timmons	48	4,593	8	62	137	342	95-33
T. Hall	40	3,854	10	37	121	317	95-24
Wengel	48	4,545	5	69	127	324	94-3
Harry	35	3,390	4	33	99	262	91-5
Cuhlmann	9	791	1	8	105	276	87-8
Thomas	13	1,137	1	9	98	280	87-6

STANDING OF THE LADIES LEAGUE.

Team.	W.	L.	Pct.	Team.	W.	L.	Pct.
Express	26	4	.866	B. & W.	16	11	.481
Auditors	24	9	.727	B. & W. Co.	4	35	.102

Arcadia Lunch to drop a pair.

Several upsets featured the rest of the card. H. B. Denham losing much ground, when the ninth place Chevy Chase Club, took three games. Owens & Bauer another highly touted club, also dropped in the race, when the Columbians took three games from them.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
King Pin	42	18	.700	Columbia	36	24	.600
Meyer Davis	40	23	.635	Monarch Ins.	28	35	.444
Denham Co.	38	25	.603	Tompkins	26	37	.413
Arcadia Lun	38	25	.603	Chevy Chase	15	48	.238
Owens & B.	38	25	.603	Phoenix Club	11	52	.175

HIGH MARKS.

High team game—King Pin, 635. High team set—H. B. Denham, 1,743. High individual game—Mulvey, 162. High individual set—Mandley, 427. High average—Mandley, 116.

DISTRICT LEAGUE.

Convention Hall, winner of three games in its clash with Meyer Davis, moved back into the lead in the District League, when King Pin tasted a doubio defeat at the hands of Cornell's Lunch.

Caro Cafe, rolling six games, dropped three when Northeast Temple proved a stumbling block in its attempt to reach the top. The Arcadians won the other game.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Conven. Hall	41	19	.683	Petworth	29	31	.400
King Pin	41	22	.651	Stanford Pap	27	36	.429
Carb Cafe	39	24	.619	Cornell's Lu	25	38	.378
G. P. O.	33	30	.524	Meyer Davis	22	38	.367
Arcadia	32	31	.508	Temple	18	39	.316

HIGH MARKS.

High team game—Convention Hall, 651. High team set—Convention Hall, 1,817. High individual game—Work, 176. High individual set—G. Wolstenholme, 421. High average—Whalen, 118.

BANKERS' LEAGUE.

Perpetual forged to the front in the Bankers' League last week, by taking three games from the strong Washington Loan & Trust Co. No. 1 team, Brown and Baltz, with sets of 354 and 330 respectively, were the big guns for the winners.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Perpetual	58	14	.806	Am. Sec. Br.	31	41	.431
Hibbs & Co.	55	14	.797	Dist. Natl.	29	43	.403
Am. S. & T.	52	17	.754	Natl. S. & T.	28	44	.389
N. R. of W.	54	18	.750	Murphy	28	44	.389
Riggs Natl.	51	21	.708	Fed.-Amer.	24	48	.333
W.L.&T.,2.	47	25	.653	Second Natl.	20	46	.303
W.L.&T.,1.	45	27	.625	Northeast...	21	51	.292
Fed. R. Bd.	41	31	.569	Natl. Metro.	17	55	.236
Park View	39	36	.542	Harriman Co.	9	63	.125

TESTS OF BUSINESS PROFESSION COMING, CREDIT MEN TOLD

Manager S. I. Miller, of National Association, Speaks at Annual Banquet.

EVERY MAN GUARDIAN OF FAITH, HE ASSERTS

Harry V. Haynes, as Toastmaster, Provides an Enjoyable Entertainment.

Predicting that the next 25 years will test the strength of "the new profession of business," Stephen I. Miller, executive manager of the National Association of Credit Men, speaking at the midwinter banquet of the Washington Association of Credit Men last night at the Willard Hotel, sounded the clarion for further business advancement in the year which we have just entered.

"The next 25 years will test the strength of the new profession of business," said Mr. Miller. "Every business man becomes a guardian of public faith. There must be sentiment in business or it will forever fall short of the requirements of a real profession."

He said further that law, medicine education and engineering have reached their present high standing through faith in details. A loss of confidence in an executive means a slowing down in business, he said.

Harry V. Haynes, president of the Farmers & Mechanics National Bank, was toastmaster, and saw to it that the entertainment portion of the program was carried through to a successful conclusion. Following the speakers of the evening, among which were E. Paul Phillips, manager of the Eastern division of the credit association, there was a lively skit provided by Jay Vile, of the Keith circuit; Ollie and Ethel Willis, juvenile performers; Pauline Healy and Lee Haire, in piano and banjo music, and the Harmony Singers.

Those at the guest table were Lister T. Watts, president of the Washington Association of Credit Men; E. Paul Phillips, Mrs. Lister T. Watts, Howard Moran, vice president American Security & Trust Co.; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hanson, H. H. McKee, president of the National Capital Bank; Mrs. Elizabeth McNarnar, John A. Reilly, I. John Roberts, president Washington Chapter, American Institute of Banking; Miss Damerest and Frederick P. H. Siddons, chairman of the banquet committee.

DINNER SPEAKER



Bachrach.

STEPHEN I. MILLER.

SPAIN GIVEN CONTROL OF POLICE IN TANGIERS

Accord Is Reached With the French Government in Long Dispute.

APPROVED BY BRITAIN

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Spain is given control of the police of Tangiers and of the international zone surrounding that city under an agreement with France sighed today after eighteen months of negotiating.

Spain had asked that the city and suburbs be incorporated into the Spanish protectorate in Morocco, taking this stand immediately after the surrender of Abd El Krim on the ground that hostile intrigues and an intensified contraband traffic in arms had been largely responsible for the Spanish difficulties.

She was supported by Italy in this stand and held to it firmly until both France and England let it be known that they would insist upon maintenance of an international regime in the city and suburbs. Finally Spain accepted a French suggestion that she have a preponderant part in the police activities and thus be able to act directly against the smuggling of arms to the Riffians and the propaganda against Spanish prestige.

Up to Italy and England.

A conference which will be held soon in Paris will give England and Italy opportunity to approve today's agreement and settle the question as to Italy's participation in the administration of Tangiers.

Austen Chamberlain, British secretary for foreign affairs, later assured Foreign Minister Briand that the new agreement was fully approved by Great Britain

Sir Austen, who is on his way to Geneva, where M. Briand also will go tomorrow, was met at the station here by the French Foreign Minister and they proceeded to the British embassy for a long informal discussion of the Tangiers situation.

The joint conference between Great Britain, Italy, Spain, and France to give final approval to the plan is expected to be held late this month or early in April.

The Weather

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

	AM.	PM.
Sun rises	6:37	
Sun sets		6:04
High tide	6:42	7:09
Low tide	12:52	1:08

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Washington, Saturday, March 3—8 p. m.

Forecast—For the District of Columbia, fair with rising temperature Sunday, followed by rain Sunday night and probably Monday morning; colder Monday; much colder Monday night and Tuesday; increasing south and southwest winds, becoming fresh northwest Monday

For Maryland, fair with rising temperature Sunday, followed by rain Sunday night and probably Monday morning, changing to snow flurries in extreme west portion; colder Monday; much colder Monday night and Tuesday; increasing south and southwest winds, shifting to northwest Monday.

For Virginia, fair with rising temperature Sunday, followed by rain Sunday night and probably Monday; colder Monday; much colder Monday night and Tuesday; increasing south and southwest winds, becoming fresh to strong and shifting to northwest Monday.

A disturbance of considerable intensity has moved rapidly southeastward over Manitoba to western Ontario and northern Minnesota Port Arthur, 29.48 inches, and it is being followed by an area of high pressure of great magnitude, attended by decidedly colder weather, which is advancing southeastward from the Arctic Ocean over the British North West Territory, Alberta, and Saskatchewan Aklavik reports a barometer reading of 30.61 inches and a temperature of —40 degrees. The disturbance that was centered over California Friday night has moved east-southeastward to western Texas, Abilene, 29.78 inches, and pressure remains low over the Candian maritime provinces. Harrington, Quebec, 29.34 inches Pressure remains relatively high over the south Atlantic and east Gulf States, and is high and rising from the Ohio Valley eastward to the Atlantic coast, Parkersburg, W. Va., 30.24 inches. There have been rains within the last 24 hours from the California coast eastward to the lower Mississippi Valley, and local snows in the upper Ohio Valley, the lower lake region, portions of the north Atlantic and middle Atlantic States and Manitoba. The northwestern disturbance will move rapidly eastward, and the Texas disturbance will advance east-northeastward. These disturbances will cause general precipitation, mostly in the form of rain, over all sections east of the Mississippi River within the next 36 hours The rain will change to snow flurries in the upper Ohio Valley, the lower lake region, and the interior of the north Atlantic States during Monday. The temperature will rise in the lower lake region and the Ohio Valley Sunday, and in the middle Atlantic States Sunday and Sunday night. Following the passage of the two disturbances the area of high pressure and much colder weather from the Northwest will overspread the entire eastern half of the country. The weather will become much colder as far east as the Appalachian Mountains Sunday, and by or during Monday night in the middle Atlantic and north Atlantic States.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 37; 2 a. m., 36; 4 a. m., 35; 6 a. m., 36; 8 a. m., 33; 10 a. m., 35; 12 noon, 39; 2 p. m., 40; 4 p. m., 41; 6 p. m., 38; 8 p. m., 35; 10 p. m., 31. Highest, 41; lowest, 31.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 72; 2 p. m., 43; 8 p. m., 33. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), none.

Hours of sunshine, 8. Per cent of possible sunshine, 70.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1928, 145 degrees. Deficiency of temperature since March 1, 1928, 1 degree.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1928, 1.53 inches. Deficiency of precipitation since March 1, 1928, 0.29 inch.

Flying Weather Forecast.

Forecast of flying weather for March 4, 1928:

Washington to Long Island, N. Y.—Increasing cloudiness; high clouds Sunday; variable winds becoming moderate south or southwest winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh westerly at 5,000 feet.

Washington to Norfolk, Va.—Increasing cloudiness; high clouds Sunday; gentle variable winds becoming moderate southerly winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh westerly at 5,000 feet.

Norfolk, Va., to Atlanta, Ga.—Increasing cloudiness; risk of light showers near Atlanta Sunday; gentle to moderate shifting winds surface and moderate to fresh west or west southwest at 1,000 and 5,000 feet.

Washington to Dayton, Ohio—Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain west of mountains Sunday; moderate to fresh south or southwest winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh west or west-southwest at 5,000 feet

Uniontown, Pa., to Detroit, Mich.; Detroit, Mich., to Rantoul, Ill.—Increasing cloudiness followed by rain Sunday, possibly snow in west; fresh south and southwest winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh to strong west-southwest at 5,000 feet.

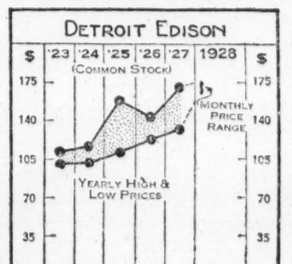
Rantoul, Ill., to Uniontown, Pa.—Cloudy followed by rain Sunday; moderate south and southwest winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh west to west-southwest at 5,000 feet.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Saturday, 8 p. m.:

	Highest	Lowest Fri. night	Sat. 8 p. m.	Rainfall
Washington, D. C.	41	33	35	....
Asheville, N. C.	52	34	46	....
Atlanta, Ga.	58	38	56	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	40	32	32	0.06
Baltimore, Md.	42	34	34	....
Birmingham, Ala.	58	38	56	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	50	22	38	....
Boston, Mass.	32	26	22	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	18	10	18	....
Chicago, Ill.	36	18	34	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	42	30	34	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	42	18	34	....
Cleveland, Ohio	28	16	28	....
Davenport, Iowa	44	20	38	....
Denver, Colo.	48	34	44	....
Des Moines, Iowa	48	26	42	....
Detroit, Mich.	32	10	28	....
Duluth, Minn.	34	2	34	....
El Paso, Tex.	76	52	70	....
Galveston, Tex.	68	52	64	0.22
Helena, Mont.	32	10	30	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	40	28	36	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	44	52	....
Kansas City, Mo.	46	34	44	....
Little Rock, Ark.	58	42	50	0.01
Los Angeles, Calif.	60	52	60	0.34
Louisville, Ky.	42	38	42	....
Marquette, Mich.	32	6	30	....
Memphis, Tenn.	58	46	48	....
Miami, Fla.	74	58	70	....
Mobile, Ala.	62	48	58	....
New Orleans, La.	64	50	60	0.01
New York, N. Y.	32	28	24	....
North Platte, Nebr.	56	16	46	....
Omaha, Nebr.	54	32	50	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	48	32	32	0.02
Phoenix, Ariz.	70	54	66	0.12
Pittsburgh, Pa.	26	20	24	0.06
Portland, Me.	22	18	14	....
Portland, Oreg.	62	46	60	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	48	34	44	0.01
St. Louis, Mo.	44	34	42	....
St. Paul, Minn.	44	14	42	....
San Antonio, Tex.	68	52	68	....
San Diego, Calif.	64	54	58	....
San Francisco, Calif.	64	54	62	0.04
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	56	36	48	0.04
Savannah, Ga.	64	40	54	....
Seattle, Wash.	60	42	58	....
Springfield, Ill.	44	26	38	....
Tampa, Fla.	74	50	64	....
Toledo, Ohio	34	18	30	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	62	50	48	....

What's Behind Your Stock?



Detroit Edison Co.

The Detroit Edison Co. does the entire commercial electric lighting and power business in the city of Detroit and adjacent territory, serving a population estimated at 2,000,000. The territory is served through one interconnected electric system which receives and distributes the output of the separate power plants. This company also conducts a steam heating business in the central part of Detroit and a gas business in Port Huron. The large industrial load is subject to some fluctuation with activity of the automobile and related industries, yet total earnings have shown steady expansion. In the residential field, practically every residence in the original territory served, current expansion reflecting chiefly the extension of lines into new districts.

Gross revenues have doubled about every five years since 1916, and approximately tripled during each of the two half decades previous to that date Since 1921 net income had nearly quadrupled, and for 1926 was $9,798,126. The funded debt of the company and its subsidiary company totals $105,905,200.

CAPITALIZATION.

Funded debt	See text.
Preferred stock	None.
Common stock (par $100)	$87,065,900

Current data—Net income for the year 1927 amounted to $10,152,000, a gain of about 3.6 per cent over 1926.

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DOMESTIC MARKET PRICES FOR GRAIN FIRM DURING WEEK

Quotations Higher, Despite Weakened Demand for Wheat in Foreign Centers.

HEAVY CORN RECEIPTS AT PRINCIPAL POINTS

Oats, Rye and Barley Reach New Highs for Current Year's Crop.

The domestic grain market held generally firm during the week ended March 3, according to the Weekly Grain Market Review of the United States Bureau of Agriculture Economics. Oats, rye, barley and soft winter wheat sold at the highest prices on the crop at the principal markets for these grains The domestic wheat market in general was independently firm, compared with foreign markets. Heavy receipts of corn at the principal markets offset the influence of private estimates of reduced farm stocks and caused a relatively weaker situation in the corn market than prevailed for other important grains.

Increased shipments of Argentine wheat, together with liberal offerings at lower prices of grain already afloat weakened the demand for other foreign wheats in European gain markets. The domestic wheat market situation was independently firm, influenced by the unfavorable prospects in the soft winter wheat area and private estimates which place farm stocks about the same as last year, indicating a relatively large domestic disappearance this season. In the winter wheat belt only a few localities in the northern Ohio Valley were afforded snow protection during the colder weather of the week which made a continuation of rather unfavorable conditions for the crop in the eastern half of the belt with further injury reported.

Winter Wheat Prices Up.

Offerings of soft winter wheat at practically all markets were not equal to current requirements, and prices advanced ¾c per bushel to another new high price for the crop. The limited stocks of soft winter wheat in store are being firmly held. No. 2 red winter wheat in store at Toledo was quoted at 24c over the Chicago May price and cash sales were reported at $1.60@1.61 per bushel. No. 2 red winter was quoted at Chicago at $1.59, Cincinnati $1.62½@1.63½ and St. Louis $1.62@1.64.

Hard winter wheat prices showed little change during the week and daily offerings were about equal to trade requirements. Wichita reported relatively heavy wheat receipts at interior points, but both milling and shipping demand was of good volume, particularly for desirable quality Premiums for choice cars of high protein were further advanced, but remained practically unchanged for ordinary quality; 12½ per cent protein No. 2 hard winter was quoted at Kansas City at 14 to 20 cents over the May price of $1.28½; 13 per cent protein sold at 19 to 26 cents over the May. With domestic prices above an export basis the export sales of North American wheat have been principally Canadian grain No. 3 Manitoba was quoted in Liverpool at the close of the week at $1.53¾, compared with Argentine quotations of $1.42¼, and Australian quotations for March shipment of $1.55¾. Indian wheat fo May and June shipment was quoted at $1.57½.

Spring Wheat Held Steady.

The market for hard red spring wheat held steady, although demand was slightly less active than a week ago; 13 per cent protein No. 1 dark Northern was quoted at Minneapolis 30 to 36 cents over the May price of $1.30 per bushel March 2. No. 1 hard spring from Montana sold as high as $1.74 to $1.80. The market for durum wheat, on the other hand, became materially firmer and prices were advanced 4 to 5 cents per bushel for high protein types of durum wheat. A better export demand developed for amber durum at Duluth and premiums for best quality advanced as much as 10 cents per bushel. The improved demand for the high protein caused a better market for the lower grades. At the close of the week No. 1 amber durum was quoted at Duluth at the May price of $1.25 to 30 cents over the May, and No. 1 mixed sold at 4 to 30 cents over the May price.

The Pacific Northwestern wheat markets were firmer with mills outbidding exporters for good quality wheat. A better export demand for flour was principally responsible for the active milling demand for grain Export white wheats were selling at Portland at $1.30½ to $1.31½. Stocks are reported fairly large and winter wheat appeared in good condition in that territory Heavy rains are reported to have prevented as much seeding as was intended in some areas

The corn market was rather unsettled during the week. Private estimates placed farm stocks of corn at the first of March about 100,000,000 bushels below last season's official estimate and indicated a larger domestic consumption than last season. Country movement, however, continued large and receipts at the principal markets totaled nearly 14,500,000 bushels, or next to the largest receipts reported this season. Demand continued active and prices of cash grain at the close of the week were practically the same as a week ago Lower quotations on Argentine corn for shipment from the new crop is restricting the export demand, but domestic buyers continue active in the market. Omaha reported sales of good volume to the Pacific coast and moderate amounts were sold from Kansas City to Eastern industries and feeders in the Southeast, South and Southwest Receipts of corn at Kansas City since November 1, were larger than any total year's receipts previous to this time, except in 1918, and stocks in store in that market are the largest on record.

Rye Sought for Export.

An active export demand for rye for shipment well into the summer, together with only moderate receipt, and light commercial stocks, advanced rye prices to a new high for the crop. Duluth reported sales for early lake shipment at $1.12 per bushel. No. 2 rye was quoted at Minneapolis at $1.10-$1.12, an advance of 2¾c for the week. No. 2 rye sold at Chicago at $1.17 per bushel.

The oats market developed some independent strength. Receipts at the principal markets were not equal to the increased inquiry and stocks in the markets showed a material decrease for the first time since the first of the year. Heavyweight oats for seed purposes are in good demand and bringing premiums over ordinary quality. No 3 white oats was quote at the close of the week at Chicago at 57c-61c, Minneapolis, 56½c, and Kansas City, 59c-60c per bushel.

New high prices for barley were also reached in the central Western markets There was an excellent demand from local maltsters and shippers and feeders were also active buyers at most markets. Notwithstanding the unusually large crop, market stocks are small, creating a situation which is apparently causing some concern to those having future contracts to fill. Exports have been unusually large this season. shipments from the United States since August 1 totaling about 31,360,000 bushels. Special No. 2 barley was quoted at the close of the week at Milwaukee at $1.-$1.06 per bushel Best malting types were selling at Minneapolis at 93c-96c, and at Chicago at 98c-$1.06 per bushel. Feeding grades were quoted at Minneapolis at 83c-86c, and at Chicago, 94c-97c per bushel.

TIPS FOR TAXPAYERS

No. 21.

Pensions paid by a corporation or individual to retired employes for services rendered are taxable. Pensions paid by the United States Government are also taxable, except as to "amounts received as compensation, family allotments and allowances under the provisions of the war risk insurance and vocational rehabilitation acts, or the World War veterans' act, 1924, or as pensions from the United States for services of the beneficiary or another in the military or naval forces of the United States in time of war, or as a State pension for services rendered by the beneficiary or another for which the State is paying a pension."

Allowances, whether paid by the Federal or State Government, or private individuals to one who performed no duties, as, for example, a widow in recognition of services performed by her husband, are regarded as gifts and are not taxable.

City Will Observe Its 2,000th Birthday

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Old towers of Carcassone that held off brigands and armies for 2,000 years and stood a siege of the Saracens, are to have their 2000th birthday. President Domergue is going down to southern France to help celebrate the historic event in one of the show towns of France, one of the best preserved of ancient fortified places.

The city itself, with its factories and stores, is on the plain below the walled city with its semicircular towers, but it is going to make a gala event of the anniversary quite as if it were the honored party. Contrasting with this remnant of an old, old world will be the dedication of a great modern dam, part of the electrification of that region.

AGRICULTURAL FUND BILL PASSES HOUSE

Total of $143,000,000 Carried; Item Cut Out for Cotton Price Forecast.

(Associated Press.)

The House passed the agricultural supply bill yesterday carrying appropriations totaling $143,000,000. At the same time the House accepted an amendment prohibiting the use of any of the funds in the bill for the issuance of cotton price trend forecasts. Several minor amendments also were adopted.

An amendment increasing by $280,000 the $1,300,000 appropriation for agricultural extension and demonstration work offered by Representative Garrett, of Tennessee Democratic House leader, was accepted without a division.

An unsuccessful effort was made by Representative McKeown (Democrat), Oklahoma, to amend the bill to make $1,500,000 available for loans to farmers for purchase of cottonseed and fertilizer.

As passed the bill included $1,900,000 to be used by the Bureau of Entomology on the control of farm insect pests, of which $280,000 is to fight the pink boll worm in the South and $433,000 for European corn borer control.

GOLD ASSAY RULING SOUGHT BY MELLON

$5,000,000 Soviet Shipment Held Up Pending Attorney General's Decision.

(Associated Press.)

Secretary Mellon said yesterday that Treasury action on the question of assaying the recent $5,000,000 shipment of Russian Soviet gold to New York was being withheld until advices were received from the Attorney General on a point of law.

After the State Department had ruled that assaying the gold would not run counter to the American policy toward the Russian government, the Treasury Secretary referred the case to the Attorney General for a legal ruling.

It was said at the Department of Justice yesterday that attorneys were now studying the case but were not ready to submit an opinion.

The Justice Department has been asked to rule on whether the gold is the property legally of the Russian Soviet government or whether upon entrance into this country it became the property of the two banks to which it was consigned. If the gold is found to be the legal property of the Soviet there is a question as to whether it can be assayed as there is an embargo on Russian gold placed by the United States in 1920.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

New York, March 3.

ARRIVED SATURDAY.

Roma, from Genoa.
Rochambeau, from Havre.
Laurentic, from Mediterranean Cruise.
Patria, from Marseilles.

SAIL MONDAY.

City of Eureka, for Piraeus.
Hypatia, for Cape Town.
Luossa, for Hamburg.
Megantic, for London.
President Harding, on Mediterranean Cruise.

SAIL TUESDAY.

Ala (American Diamond), Antwerp.
Laurentic, for Mediterranean.

SAIL WEDNESDAY.

Rochambeau, for Havre.
Westphalia, for Hamburg.

REPORTED BY RADIO.

Ryndam, from Rotterdam, due at Fifth street, Hoboken, Sunday.
Minnekahda, from London, due at pier 58, North River, Sunday.
Hellig Olav, from Copenhagen, due at Seventeenth street, Hoboken, Sunday.
Bergensfjord, from Oslo, due at Thirtieth street, Brooklyn, Sunday.
Ausonia, from Southampton, due at pier 54, North River, Monday.
Dresden, from Bremen, due at pier 42 North River, Monday.
Minnewaska, from London, due at pier 58, North River, Monday.
Albert Ballin, from Hamburg, due at pier 86, North River, Monday.
Lapland, from Antwerp, due at pier 58, North River, Monday.
Drottningholm, from Gothenburg, due at pier 97, North River, Monday.
Majestic, from Southampton, due at pier 59, North River, Tuesday.
President Monroe, from world tour due at pier 9, Jersey City, Tuesday.
Cedric, from Liverpool, due at pier 60, North River, Tuesday.
Lituania, from Danzig, due at pier 5, Brooklyn, Tuesday.
American Trader from London due at pier 7 North River, Tuesday.
Andania, from Liverpool, due at pier 56, North River, Tuesday.
Karlsruhe, from Bremen, due at Sixth street, Hoboken, Wednesday.
France, from Mediterranean cruise due at pier 57, North River, Tuesday.
Nieuw Amsterdam, from Rotterdam due at Fifth street, Hoboken, Friday.
Suffren, from Havre, due at pier 57 North River, Saturday.

NEW YORK CURB TRANSACTIONS

SATURDAY MARCH 3, 1928.

Sale	Issue	High	Low	Close
400	Acetol Prod. A	30⅝	30½	30½
110	Ala. Gt. So. Ry. pf.	167	166	166
100	Alpha Port. Cement	40	40	40
100	Aluminum Co. Am.	126	126	126
200	Alum. Co. Am. pf.	107½	107½	107½
100	Am. Arch.	57¾	57¾	57¾
3,100	Am. Cont. Oilfields	.88	.84	.88
1,000	Am. Cyan B	44¾	44	44
800	Am. Dept. Stores	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
200	Amer. Exploration	94	94	94
300	Am & Fgn. Pow. war.	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
900	Am. Gas & El.	135	131⅞	134⅛
1,300	Am. Haw. S. S.	18	17½	18
75	Am. Laundry Mch.	102	102	102
175	Am. Light & Trac.	190	189½	190
1,300	Am. Maracaibo	4	3¾	3¾
100	Am. Nat Gas	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
100	Am. Pow. & Lt. pf.	107½	107½	107½
100	Am. Rayon	15	15	15
1,100	Am. Rolling Mills	102	101¼	101½
200	Am. Solv & Ch v. t. c.	14¾	14¾	14¾
200	Am Solv. ¾ Ch. ptc. pf.	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
900	Am Superpow. A	37½	37	37
300	Am Superpow. B	39½	39¼	39¼
21,500	Am Surrerpow. rts.	1⅛	.87	.89
1,400	Anglo-Am. Oil	20¾	20¾	20¾
1,000	Asso Gas & El.	47	47	47
1,000	Atlantic Lobos	1¼	1¼	1¼
100	Atlas Plywood	68½	68⅛	68⅛
600	Atlas Port Cem. new	43¼	43	43
800	Auburn Auto	123	121⅞	122½
21,000	Banclitaly Corp.	198½	195¼	195¾
200	Beaver Bd. pf. ctf.	49	49	49
200	Belgian Nat. Ry. pfd	17	16¾	17
350	Blackstone Val. G. & El.	160½	155	157½
400	Black Val. G. & E. Tr. rts.	159	151	158
100	Blyn Shoe	4	4	4
400	Bohn Alum. & Brass	48½	48¼	43½
50	Borne & Scrymser	51	51	51
400	Buzza Clarke	19	18⅞	19
100	Br. Am. Tob. coup.	27¾	27⅝	27⅝
600	Brockway Mot. Truck	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛
500	Bklyn. City Railroad	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
2,500	Buff Nlag. East Pow.	37⅞	37½	37¾
400	Buff Nlag. & E. Pow. new	34¾	34⅜	34½
200	Bullard Mch. & Tool	58¼	58	58
100	C. G. Spring & Bump. new	10¼	10⅛	10¼
300	Campbell Wyant	41½	41¼	41⅜
5,300	Can. Marc. Wireless	3½	3¼	3⅜
1,300	Carib Sys. new	23¼	22¾	22¾
100	Carnegie Metals	23	23	23
600	Case Plow Wks	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
700	Celanese Corp. Am. new	77⅜	75½	77⅝
50	Celotex	51	51	51
100	Cent Am. Mines	2¾	02¼	02½
100	Cent. Pub Serv. A	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜
50	Cen. States Elec. pfd	112¼	112⅛	112⅜
3,400	Cities Serv. new	56¾	56⅜	56¾
1,600	Cities Service pfd	97¼	96⅜	97⅛
6,200	Celanese rts	67	75	77
700	Celanese, w. i.	108	108½	108
900	Checker Cab new	22	21½	21½
100	Clark Lighter	32½	32½	32½
200	Cities Serv. B pf.	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
300	Cities Serv. BB pf.	92	91¾	92
600	Clam Alum. Uten.	35¼	34¾	34¾
100	Colombian Syndicate	1½	1½	1½
1,100	Columbia Graph.	47¾	46	47½
1,000	Cons. Cop. Min.	7¼	7	7¼
300	Cons. Dairy Prod. new	24¾	24¾	24¾
100	Cons. Film. Ind.	19	19	19
500	Cons. Film Ind. pf.	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
700	Cons. Gas & El. Balt.	69¼	68⅝	68⅝
100	Cons. Laundry Corp.	18⅞	18⅜	18⅜
200	Continental Oil v. t. c.	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
100	Copeland Prod. A	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
300	Courtauld	41½	41¼	41½
28,700	Creole Syndicate	14	13⅝	14
200	Crowley Milner	40⅜	40⅜	40⅜
100	Crown Central	.98	.98	.98
100	Cumberland Pipe	91	90	93
100	Curtis Pub. 7% pf.	118¾	118⅞	113¾
2,000	Darby Pet.	13⅞	12⅝	12⅝
600	Darby Pet. v. t. c.	13½	12⅝	12⅝
200	Daveza, Inc.	38	38	38
150	Deere & Co.	269⅞	268	268
600	Doehler Die-Cast	22	21⅞	22
200	Dominion Stores	118	118	118
300	Drug, Inc.	79	78½	78½
400	Durant Motors	91	91	91½
300	Elec. Bond & Share	89¾	89⅛	89⅜
300	Electric Invest.	43	43	43
300	El. Pow. & Lt. opt. war.	16¾	16⅜	16⅜
200	Empire Gas & F. 8% pf.	109¾	109⅝	109⅝
200	Empire Gas & F. 7% pf.	100	99⅞	99⅞
1,000	Eng. Gold Mines	4⅛	4	4
100	Estey Welte A	1¼	1	1
20,000	Eureka Croesus	.06	.05	.05
500	Fageol Motor	2½	2⅜	2⅜
100	Fedder Mfg. A	28½	28½	28½
400	Federated Metals	16	16	16
100	Firemen's Fund, Inc.	121	121¾	121⅜
50	Firestone Tire & Rub.	185	184½	185
30	Ford Motor Canada	546	546	546
600	Foundation Foreign	15⅞	15¼	15⅞
2,100	Fox Theater A	20⅜	19⅞	20⅛
400	Fulton Sylphon	43	42½	42½
20	Galena Signal pf. old	36¼	36¼	36¼
10	Galena Signal, pfd., new	30	30	30
100	Galesburg Cloat. Disc.	60½	60½	60½
200	Gen. Am. Tnv. Co. new	57	57	57
900	Gen. Baking CP.	8¼	8⅛	8⅛
800	Gen. Baking CP. B. pfd.	83½	82½	83½
100	Gen. Bronze	45¼	45¼	45¼
100	Gen. Fireproofing	101	101	101
200	Gen. Laundry Mach. new	24	23⅞	24
400	Glen Alden Coal	160⅛	160	160
1,500	Gold Seal Elec.	8	8	8
25,100	Golden Center Min.	9⅜	8⅞	9
100	Grand Stores, new	56½	56½	56½
400	Grant Co. Del.	119	115	115
100	Grief Bros. X pf.	102⅜	102⅜	102⅜
400	Gulf Oil Corp. Pa.	108	106	106
300	Hall Lamp. Co.	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
900	Happiness Candy Inc.	6	5⅝	6
6,000	Hawthorne Min.	.05	.05	.05
100	Hazeltine	9	9	9
200	Hecla Min.	17¼	17¼	17¼
10	Hercules Powder Co.	203	203	203
100	Horn & Hardart	53½	53½	53½
500	Houston Gulf Gas	13¼	13	13⅛
500	Hudson Bay M. & S.	16¾	16¾	16¾
200	Humble Oil & Ref.	64	63⅞	64
400	Huyler S. Del.	17⅜	16⅞	17⅜
100	Huyler S. Del., pfd.	101½	101½	101½
600	Hygrade Food	28⅜	28¼	28⅜
150	Illinois Pipe Line	183¾	187¼	183⅜
100	Imp. Tob. G. B. & I.	26½	26½	26½
200	Indiana Pipe Line	76⅞	76¼	76⅞
700	Indust. Rayon A	19⅛	18⅞	19⅛
100	Ins. Co. No. Am.	86½	86⅛	86⅛
1,500	Intercon. Petrol.	2½	2½	2½
2,300	Internat. Petroleum	37⅝	37⅜	37⅝
100	Inter. Shoe	71¾	71¾	71¾
200	Interstate Dept. new	38½	38½	38½
200	Interstate Sto. pf. new	110	109¾	110
200	Inter. Utilities B	7¾	7⅝	7⅝
1,100	Keith Alb. Orph., pfd.	100¾	100	100
1,300	Kemsley Milbourn	17⅛	17	17⅛
200	Kinnear Stores	29¾	29½	29¾
100	Kruskal & Kruskal	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
100	Lake Superior	6¼	6¼	6¼
100	Lambert Co.	18	18	18
100	Lefcourt Realty pf.	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞
400	Lehigh Coal & Nav.	107	106⅛	107
1,700	Lehigh Pow. Sec. n	25	25	25
400	Leh. Port. Cem.	50	50	50
600	Lehigh Val. Coal ctf.	29⅝	29	29⅝
25	Lehigh Val. Coal Sales	52¼	52¼	52¼
200	Libby McN. & Libby	27¼	27¼	27¼
200	Libby McN. & Libby	9¼	9	9
100	Lion Oil	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
200	Lone Star Gas	54	54	54
10	Long Is. Lgt. pf.	111⅞	111⅞	111⅞
300

GENERAL MOTORS' GAINS FEATURE DAY'S TRADING

Steel Common Also Moves Up Briskly in a Rather Broad Advance.

RAILS MOSTLY INACTIVE

Special to The Washington Post.

New York, March 3.—General Motors was the outstanding feature in the week-end stock market session, in which trading was of a highly discriminating character, pronounced strength ruling in issues enjoying good earnings and prospects, while issues in an unfavorable position continued to move lower.

The day's turnover totaled nearly 1,300,000 shares, nearly a third of which were accounted for by General Motors That stock began to spurt early in the session, advancing from the opening price of 139¾ into new high-price territory at 144½ and closed at 144¼, up 5⅛ net. United States Steel common also was strong, gaining 2⅛ net in active buying and closing just 4 points below its old market rival.

The air was full of rumors regarding General Motors, but nothing definite appeared to account for the enormous turnover of 346,100 shares in a two-hour session. The first report was that a new powerful pool had been formed to run in the shorts. Unquestionably such pronounced strength in this recognized leader lent hope to holders of many weak stocks.

A drive against the short interest may have been one of the reasons for buying of General Motors, but the prospect of profits amounting to 25 per cent greater in the first quarter than those of a year ago was a strong supporting argument for the bulls. The move in General Motors may, as some believe prove to be premature. However, the market of 1928 doubtless will prove to be much more of a selective affair than the 1927 market.

The enthusiastic demonstrations in General Motors and Steel seemed to fail of their purpose if they were intended to revive bullishness in the general list. Quite to the contrary, there appeared to be considerable selling going on in other directions under cover of strength in the two leaders.

Most of the independent motors sold off in the early trading but they finally swung in on the up side behind their leaders. Chrysler became exceptionally strong and closed with a net advance of 1⅞. Nash, Hudson, Dodge, Packard, White and Studebaker closed with modest net gains. Several of the utilities made a good showing on the up side, under the leadership of Consolidated Gas and Montana Power.

Rails generally were inactive, but such changes as occurred in these stocks were, for the most part, downward. Seaboard Air Line again was under pressure, dropping to a new low for the year and closing with a net loss of 1½ points. In view of the recent weakness in Atlantic Coast Line and in Florida and East Coast bonds, it is difficult to determine just how much of the bearishness on Seaboard may be allotted to the general position of the road and how much to the situation in Florida.

Recovery in Florida may be quite rapid but nevertheless it may take a few years for the State to grow up to some of the constructed railroad lines. It is rumored that Atlantic Coast Line may find it advisable to omit extra dividends this year; but in the case of that and other roads serving east Florida which have strong financial backing, the turning point may be near or already may have been passed.

General Railway Signal stock moved up and down irregularly without getting anywhere. On their side the bears have the record of last year's rather poor earnings and the statement of officials that the prospect for this year's business is not particularly roseate. On the other side reports are coming in of some exceptionally large orders already in and others in prospect which are calculated to do a good deal for the earnings of the corporation.

R. H. Macy and Abraham & Strauss stock advanced for net gains of 9 and 2½ points, respectively, under very small turnovers, giving further color to reports that these allied corporations have in view the absorption of other stores in the metropolitan district.

Some of the high spots on the up side today were found in such stocks as National Tea, with a net advance of 4 points; American Home Products, 5; American Machine Foundry, 6⅝; Brooklyn Union Gas, 2; Kelly Tire, 1¾; Coty, at a new high, 7¼; Du Pont, 2; Cushman, 7½; Congress Cigar, 2¼; Mullins, 1⅜; Cast Iron Pipe, 3½; Victor Talking Machine, 1, and others.

Mild rallies in sterling and French francs were the only developments in the foreign exchange market.

Brokers' Loans Decrease.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Collateral loans to members of the New York Stock Exchange at the close of business on February 29 showed a decrease of $97,773,627, the total of $4,322,578,914 comparing with $4,420,352,541 on January 31.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 7,067.

EGGS—Steady; receipts, 21,340. Fresh gathered extra firsts, 29½@30½; first, 28½@29; seconds, 28@28½; nearby henmery white, grossly selected extras, 36@37½; Pacific Coast white, first to extra first, 32@35.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 120,888; State, whole milk flats, fresh, fancy, 23@24.

POULTRY—Dressed; steady. Live, irregular; no freight quotations; others unchanged.

LARD—Easier; Midwest, 11.70@11.80.

RAW SUGAR—4.36 for Cuban, duty paid; refined, 5.70@5.75 for fine granulated.

COFFEE—Spot, steady, demand quiet. Rio No. 7, 16⅞; Santos No. 4, 23⅛.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Foreign exchanges, mixed quotations (in cents): Great Britain—Demand, 487 7-16; cables, 487 13-16; 60-day bills on banks, 483 11-16.

France — Demand, 3.93⅛; cables 3.93¾.

Italy—Demand, 5.27⅝; cables, 5.28⅛.

Belgium—Demand, 13.93.

Germany—Demand, 23.86½.

Holland—Demand, 40.19½.

Norway—Demand, 26.63.

Sweden—Demand, 26.83½.

Denmark—Demand, 26.77½.

Switzerland—Demand, 19.24½.

Spain—Demand, 16.89.

Greece—Demand, 1.32¼.

Poland—Demand, 11.35.

Czechoslovakia—Demand, 2.96¼.

Jugoslavia—Demand, 1.76¼.

Austria—Demand, 14.10.

Roumania—Demand, .61⅞.

Argentina—Demand, 42.75.

Brazil—Demand, 12.00.

Tokyo—Demand, 46.78.

Shanghai—Demand, 63.18¾.

Montreal—Demand, 99.85 15-16.

BALTIMORE SECURITIES.

Baltimore, March 3.—Closing prices:

Arundel Corporation	47⅜
Black & Decker pf.	26
C. & P. Telephone pf.	113⅝
Citizens National Bank	50
Commercial Credit	23
Commercial Credit pf.	23
Cons. Gas El. Lt. & Pow.	69
Con. G. E. L. & P. 5% pf.	100¾
Con. G. E. L. & P. 5½% pf.	108½
Con. G. E. L. & P. 7% pf.	110⅞
Eastern Rolling Mills	22½
Fidelity & Deposit	281
Maryland Casualty	174
Merchants & Miners Trans.	45¾
Mortgage Security	18½
New Amsterdam Casualty	72½
Sun Mortgage Co.	20
Union Trust Co.	320
Uni. Porto Rican Sugar com.	39
United Rwys. & Electric	16
Commercial Credit 5½s	94¾
Un. Rwys. & Elec. 1st 4s	72½
Un. Rwys. & Elec. funding 5s	81
Un. Rwys. & Elec. 6s, 1949	85
W. B. & A. Rwy. 5s	84½

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1928.

Issue.	Sale	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
Abitibi Pow. & Pap. (5)	2	75	75	75	— ⅞	75½
Abraham & Straus	4	106	104¼	105	+ 2½	104
Ahumada Lead	1	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	— ⅛	2⅞
Air Reduction (7b)	2	180⅝	178	180⅝	+ ⅝	178½
Ajax Rubber	10	10¼	10⅛	10¼	— ⅛	10¼
Alaska Juneau	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	— ⅛	3½
Albany P. Wrap Pa. (2)	1	25½	25½	25½	— ⅛	25¼
Alliance Realty (2a)	1	73	73	73	— 1¾	71
Al. Chem. & Dye (6)	4	150½	150	150⅝	+ ⅛	150
Allis Chal. Mfg. (6)	1	119	119	119	+ ¼	118½
Amerada Corp. (2)	5	30½	30	30½	+ ⅛	30
Am. Agri. Chem.	1	18	18	18	— ⅛	17⅝
Am. Agri. Chem pf.	1	60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	— 1⅛	60
Am. Bank Note (3b)	1	84	84	84	— ⅛	83
Am. Bosch Magneto	51	22¼	20¾	20¾	— ⅛	20¾
Am. Brake Sh. (1.60b)	9	43	42⅛	42⅛	— ⅜	42
Am. Brown Boveri El.	4	15½	15⅛	15½	+ ⅛	16½
Am. Can (2)	46	77⅝	77	77½	+ ¼	77¼
Am. Car & Fdy. (6)	2	104½	104½	104½	— 1	104
Am. Chicle (3)	1	73½	73½	73½	+ ½	74
Am. Drug Syn. (.80)	2	12⅛	12	12	.....	12⅛
Am. Encaus Til. (2.40)	11	66¾	66	66¾	— ⅛	64½
Am. Express (6)	1	185	185	185	+ 1	182
Am. & For. Power	2	23½	23	23	.....	21
Am. & For. P. 2d pf. A (7)	1	82¼	82¼	82¼	+ ¼	82
Am. Home Prod. (2.40)	34	66¼	62	66	+ 5	66
Am. Ice (2)	5	32½	32⅛	32½	+ ⅜	32⅜
Am. International (2)	38	78⅜	77½	78¼	+ 1¼	78¼
Am. Linseed	18	71⅜	70⅞	70⅞	— ⅜	70¾
Am. Linseed pf.	2	95	94¾	94¾	— ¼	94¼
Am. Loco. (8)	5	111	110½	111	+ ½	111
Am. Mach. & Fdy. (3b)	8	160¼	154¾	159⅞	+ 6⅜	159
Am. Meta. (3)	2	40	40	40	— ⅛	40
Am. Pow. & Lt. (1a)	17	67⅞	66¾	67½	— ⅜	67¾
Am. Radiator (5)	3	139¼	138¾	138¾	+ 1¼	138¾
Am. Republics	8	63¾	61½	61½	— ⅝	61
Am. Safety Razor (4¼b)	6	61⅝	61	61	.....	60½
Am. Seating (3)	1	39¾	39¾	39¾	+ ¾	39½
Am. Smelt. & Ref. (8)	98	171	169⅝	171	+ 1	170⅞
Am. Snuff (12)	1	158	158	158	— 1⅞	159
Am. Steel Fdrs. (3)	5	56¾	56½	56¾	— ⅛	56¼
Am. Steel Fdrs. pf. (7) OL	10	114¼	114½	114½	+ 1¼	113
Am. Sugar Ref.	1	59½	59½	59½	— ⅛	59
Am. Sugar pf. (7)	3	106½	105⅞	106¾	+ 1¼	105
Am. Sumatra Tob.	6	51¾	51	51¼	+ ⅛	51¼
Am. Tel. & Cable (5)	2	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛	25
Am. Tel. & Tel. (9)	6	179¾	179½	179⅞	— ⅛	179¼
Am. Tob pf. (6)	1	118⅜	118⅜	118⅜	— 1⅝	117
Am. Tob. B (8)	9	164¾	163	163	— 1	163
Am. Type Fdrs. (8)	1	118	118	118	— 1	117½
Am. Wwks. new (.80a)	1	54¾	54⅜	54⅜	+ ⅛	54¼
Am. Woolen	23	24⅜	23½	23½	+ ⅛	23⅞
Am. Woolen pfd.	12	58⅞	58⅝	58⅝	— ⅛	58½
Am. Writ. Paper, ctfs.	1	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛	17½
Am. Zinc Ld. & Sm.	22	16¼	16	16	— ⅜	15⅞
Am. Zinc L. & Sm., pfd.	12	69⅜	68⅜	68⅜	— ⅜	67½
Anaconda Copper (3)	19	54⅞	54	54⅜	+ ⅛	54⅜
Armour of Ill. A	3	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛	14⅜
Armour of Ill. B	18	8¾	8½	8½	.....	8½
Armour of Ill. pfd. (7)	1	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞	— ⅛	77½
Arnold Const. Corp.	1	44⅞	44½	44⅞	+ 1	43¾
Asso. Dry Gds (2½)	8	42½	42	42¼	+ ¾	42¼
Asso. Oil (2) OL	40	39	38⅜	39	— ⅛	39
Atch., T. & S. F (10b)	11	184	183¼	183⅞	— ¼	183½
Atl. Coast Line (10b)	5	169⅛	169	169	— 1	169
Atl. Gulf & W. I.	5	40	39¼	39⅛	— 1⅜	38
Atlantic Refining (4)	1	103	103	103	— ⅛	102½
Atlas Powder (4)	1	66¼	66¼	66¼	+ ¾	64⅜
Atlas Pow., pfd. (6) OL	160	109	108	109	+ 2	109
Auto Strop Razor A (3)	3	46	45⅞	46	— ⅛	45½
Balto & Ohio (6)	21	112	111½	111⅝	— ⅜	111
Balto. & Ohio. pfd. (4)	1	80⅞	80⅞	80⅞	— ⅛	80¼
Bangor & A. pfd. (7) OL	50	111	110¼	110¼	— 1	110
Bank of Amer (12). OL	40	61	602	602	— 8	600
Barnet Leather	1	44½	44½	44½	— ½	44
Barnsdall A (2½k)	7	24⅛	24	24	.....	24
Bayuk Cigar	5	135	133	133	— 3	133
Belding Heminway (2)	1	19¼	19¼	19¼	.....	19⅜
Belg. Nat. Rv., p.pf.(4.12)	1	86	86	86	— ⅛	86
Best & Co. (3)	1	58	58	58	— ⅛	58
Bethlehem Steel	26	58¼	56⅞	58½	+ ¾	57½
Beth. Steel 7% pfd. (7)	1	120¾	120¾	120¾	+ ¼	120
Bloomingdale Bros.	1	56½	56½	56½	— ½	56
Blu'thal & Co., pfd. OL	10	93	93	93	— ⅛	83
Briggs Mfg.	4	22¾	22½	22½	— ⅛	22⅝
Bklyn Edison (8)	7	228	227½	227¾	+ ¼	227
Bklyn-Manh. Tr. (4)	9	60	59⅝	59⅝	— ⅛	59½
Bklyn Un. Gas (5)	7	151½	149½	151½	— 2	149
Brown Shoe (2½)	1	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	.....	47
Brunswick Balke (3)	1	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜	.....	29
Bruns Term. & Ry.	2	17⅝	17⅜	17⅝	.....	17½
Bucy. Erie, cvt. pf. (7)	4	36⅞	36⅜	36⅞	+ ⅛	36½
Buff. & Susq. pf.(4) OL	20	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛	.....	51
Butte Co. & Zinc	4	5⅜	5¾	5¾	.....	5¾
Butte & Sup. Mining (2)	1	10⅛	10	10	— ⅛	10
Butterick	4	46⅛	45¾	45¾	— ⅜	45½
Butterick rts.(exp. Mar 9)	3				— ⅛	2
Byers & Co	45	96⅜	93½	95½	+ ⅜	94¾
Calif. Pack. (4)	2	71⅞	71⅜	71⅜	— ⅜	71⅜
Calif. Petrol. (1)	11	26	25¾	25¾	— ⅛	25¾
Calif. Petroleum ctf.	6	25⅛	25	25⅛	+ ⅛	25¼
Calumet Zinc lead	3	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	.....	2⅞
Calumet & Arizona (6)	4	92¾	91	92⅜	— ⅛	92¼
Calumet & Hecla (2)	3	21⅞	21⅛	21⅛	— ⅛	21
Can. Dry G. Ale (3½b)	18	64½	63½	63½	— ⅛	63⅜
Canadian Pac. (10)	24	205¾	204½	205	+ ⅛	205
Case Thresh. Mach. (6)	9	258¾	256	256	— 2¾	255
Central Alloy St. (2)	6	28½	28¼	28	.....	29
Central R. R. of N. J. (12b)	1	298	298	298	— 6	295
Century Rib Mills	1	13	13	13	— 1	12
Cent. Rib Mills pf. (7) OL	10	83	83	83	— 1	83
Cerro de Pasco (4)	6	62	61⅞	62	— ⅛	61¾
Certain-teed (4)	3	58⅞	58¾	58¾	— ⅛	58⅝
Certo (4b)	2	74	74	74	— ¼	73½
Chandler Cleve Mot.	2	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	— ⅛	52
Chandler Cleve pfd	1	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	.....	15
Chas. Phenix (16) OL	60	624½	620	620	+ 5	615
Chesa. & Ohio (10)	2	190	189⅞	189⅞	— ⅛	189¾
Chesapeake Corp. (3)	8	74½	73¾	74¼	— ⅛	74
Chicago & Alton	1	61⅞	61⅞	61⅞	.....	61¾
Chicago Gt. Western	1	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛	10
Chicago Gt. West pfd.	7	22¾	21⅝	22	— ⅛	22
Chicago Mil. & St. Paul.	7	23	22⅞	23	+ ⅛	22⅞
Chicago Pneu. Tool (6)	1	133½	133	133½	— ⅛	131
Chi. Rk Is. & Pac. (5)	2	110¾	110½	110½	— ⅝	110¾
C., R. I. & P. 6% pf. (6)	2	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞	— 1⅜	100¾
Chicago Yellow Cab (4)	1	37	37	37	.....	37
Chile Copp. (2½)	2	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅛	37⅜
Christie Brown (1.20)	8	122	120	120	— ⅛	120
Chrysler Corp. (3)	396	60¼	58¾	60½	+ 1⅞	60½
City Stores B	2	82	81¼	82	+ ¼	81
Cluett Peabody (5)	4	92¼	91½	91½	.....	91
Coca Cola (5)	25	136⅞	135¼	136½	.....	136
Collins & Aikman (4)	5	82⅞	81¾	82⅛	+ 1⅛	81¾
Collins & Al. pfd. (7)	1	103½	103	103½	.....	101½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	14	69	66⅞	68	— 1½	68¾
Colo & So. 1st pf. (4) OL	180	77¾	77⅛	77¾	— ⅛	77¾
Colum Gas & El. (5)	10	91⅝	91	91	— ⅜	91½
Col. Gas & El. pAnw.(6)	1	107¾	107½	107¾	.....	107¾
Columbian Carbon (4)	1	89½	89½	89½	— ⅛	89
Commercial Credit	2	23	23	23	— ⅛	23
Com. Cr. 6¼% pf. (6¼) OL	10	89½	89¼	89½	— ⅛	88¾
Com. Cr. 8% B pf. (2) OL	10	24¾	24¾	24¾	.....	24½
Com. Invest Trust (3.60)	1	56½	56½	56½	+ ⅛	56¼
Commercial Solv. (8)	3	172⅝	171	172	.....	169
Com'with Pow. (2½)	12	67¾	66⅛	66¾	— ⅜	66¾
Conde Nast Pub. (2)	2	51	51	51	— ⅛	50
Congoleum Nairn	15	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅛	25¼
Congress Cigar (4)	8	77½	77	77¼	+ 2¼	76
Consol. Cigar (7)	150	87⅞	86⅛	87¾	— 1⅜	87½
Consol. Cigar, pf. (7)	1	102	102	102	.....	102
Consol. Distrib.	17	1⅛	1	1⅛	— ⅛	1
Consol. Gas (5)	165	136	134¼	135¼	+ ⅛	135¼
Consol. Gas, pf. (5)	2	102¼	102¼	102¼	— ⅛	102
Cons. R. R. Cuba, pf. (6)	2	72	72	72	— ¼	71⅞
Consol. Textile	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	— ⅛	3½
Cont. Baking, A (4)	50	39	36¾	36¾	— 2¼	36½
Cont. Baking, B	13	4¾	4½	4⅝	— ⅛	4⅝
Cont. Baking, pf. (8)	2	91	91	91	+ ⅛	91
Continental Can (5)	10	89⅞	88½	89¾	+ ⅜	89½
Continental Ins. (2)	1	76⅞	76⅞	76⅞	— ⅛	76½
Continental Moto. (.80)	3	10½	10⅜	10½	— ⅛	10⅜
Corn Products (3b)	62	69⅜	68⅜	69½	— ⅜	69½
Coty (6b)	27	147	140	147	+ 7¼	146
Crucible Steel (6)	8	87	85¾	87	+ 1½	86
Cuba Cane Sugar	1	6	6	6	— ¼	6
Cuba Co.	2	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅛	25⅛
Cuban-Am. Sugar (1)	3	20½	20⅛	20⅛	— ⅜	20
Curtiss Aero	15	58⅛	57⅞	58⅛	+ ⅛	58
Cushman's Sons (4a)	4	162½	161½	162½	+ 8½	161
Davison Chemical	5	36½	36	36¼	+ ¼	36⅛
Deere & Co., pf. (7)	60	119	119	119	+ 1	119
Delaware & Hud. (9)	1	165	165	165	.....	165
Del., Lack. & West. (5)	1	131	131	131	.....	131
Devoe & M. A. (2.40)	1	50¾	50¾	50¾	— ⅛	51½
Diamond Match (9b) OL	150	152½	150	151	+ 1	151
Dodge Bros., A	28	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜	+ ⅛	18⅛
Dodge Bros., pf. (7)	11	70	69⅝	69⅝	— ⅛	69⅝
Dome Mines (1)	9	11⅛	10⅜	11⅛	+ ¼	11¼
Dupont de N. (13¾b)	133	333	328	333	+ 5	333
Duque Lgt. 1st pf. (7)	1	116½	116½	116½	.....	116½
Eastman Kodak (8b)	2	164	164	164	.....	163
Edison Asde Spr. (2)	26	33¾	32	32¾	+ ⅜	33½
Eisenlohr & Bros.	1	16	16	16	.....	15⅞
Elec. Auto Lite (6½b)	10	121	120	120	— 1½	120
Electric Boat	60	13⅞	13	13⅞	+ ⅛	13½
El. Pow. & Lt.	19	34	33⅞	34	.....	34
El. Pow. & Lt., pf. (7)	1	109	109	109	.....	108¾
Elec. Refrigeration	11	13⅞	13⅝	13⅞	.....	13¾
Elec. Stor. Batt. (5)	83	74⅛	73	73⅜	— ⅜	73
Elk Horn Coal stp.	1		7	7	— ⅜	6⅞
Endicott-Johnson (5)	2	79¾	79¼	79¼	+ ⅛	79
Engineers Pub. Serv.	3	35⅛	35	35⅛	+ ⅛	34¾
Equit. Off. Bldg. (7)	1	107	107	107	.....	107
Erie R. R.	17	53½	52⅝	53	+ ⅛	52⅝
Erie 1st pf.	3	55¾	55⅝	55⅝	+ ⅛	55
Fairbanks, Morse (3)	3	39⅞	38¾	39⅜	— ⅛	39
Federal Lt. & Tr. (1.40d)	2	50¾	50¾	50¾	— ⅛	50
Fed. Lt. & Tr. pf. (6) OL	20	101¾	101¾	101¾	— ¼	101
Fed. Mot. (.80a)	3	19	19	19	— ⅛	18½
Fidel. Phenix F. Ins. (5)	2	206¾	206	206	— ¾	205
Fifth Ave. Bus. (.64) OL	50	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛	11½
First Nat. Stores (1½)	1	28½	28½	28½	— ¼	28½
Fisk Rubber	4	15	14⅞	14⅞	— ⅛	14⅝
Fisk Rubber 1st pf. (7)	1	84	84	84	.....	84
Fleischmann (3½b)	42	68¾	68	68⅜	+ ⅛	68¼
Fox Film A (4)	20	81¼	80½	80¾	— ⅛	80½
Freeport Texas (5½b)	6	71	70¾	70⅞	+ ⅛	70¾
Gabriel Snub. A (3½)	1	20	20	20	— ⅛	19½
Gardner Motor	14	13	12⅞	12⅞	— ⅛	12¾
General Asphalt	8	77¾	76¼	76¼	— ⅜	76½
Gen. Asphalt pf. (5)	1	121	121	121	— 1	117½
Gen. Cable A (4)	12	61⅝	61	61	— ⅝	60⅞
Gen. Cigar (4)	16	71⅜	70¾	71⅜	+ ⅝	70½
Gen. Elec. (5b)	39	130	128½	130	+ 1⅜	129½
Gen. Elec. spl. (.60)	9	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	.....	11⅜
Gen. Gas & El. A (1½)	12	40⅞	40	40⅞	.....	40½
Gen. Mot. (7b)	2452	144½	139⅝	144¼	+ 5⅛	144¼
Gen. Mot. 7% pf. (7)	2	125	125	125	— ½	125
Gen. Outdoor Adv. ctf.(2)	3	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜	.....	44¼
Gen. Rwy. Signal (5)	62	99⅜	97½	98¼	+ ¼	98¼
Gen. Refractories (3)	3	68⅞	68¾	68¾	+ ¼	68
Gillette Saf. Raz. (5)	3	101	100¾	101	.....	100¾
Gimbel Bros.	11	36¾	35⅞	36⅜	.....	36⅜
Gimbel Bros. pf. (7)	4	89¾	89¼	89¼	— ⅛	89¼
Glidden Co.	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	+ ⅛	21½
Gold Dust (3)	12	92	91⅜	91⅞	+ ⅛	91¾
Goodrich (B.F.) Co. (4)	14	81⅞	81¼	81⅞	+ ⅛	81¼
Goodyear T. & Rub.	17	61¼	60½	60⅝	— ⅜	60½
Goodyear Tire 1st pf.(7)	2	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	+ ¼	97
Gotham Silk Hos. (2½)	6	86⅜	85	86⅜	+ 1⅜	86
Goth. Silk Hos new (2½)	11	85½	84⅞	85½	+ ⅜	85½
Graham Paige Mot.	65	18¼	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛	17⅜
Granby Con. Mining	5	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞	+ ⅛	39⅞
Gt. North. Ry. pf. (5)	2	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞	— ⅛	94
Gt. Nor. Ir. Ore ctf. (1½)	1	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛	22⅜
Gt. West. Sugar (2.80)	6	34	33⅜	34	+ ⅛	33⅜
Greene Can. Copper	62	119⅝	117¾	119	.....	118½
Guantanamo Sugar	5	8	8	8	— ⅛	7½
Gulf States Steel	3	53	52⅞	53	— ⅛	52¾
Hack. Water (1½) OL	10	25¾	25¾	25¾	+ ⅛	24⅝
Hershey Choc.	2	33	33	33	— 2	31
Hershey cvt. pf (4)	1	71½	71½	71½	— ⅛	71¼
Hoe (R.) & Co. A	1	25	25	25	— 1	24
Household Prod. (4b)	5	64½	64½	64½	+ ⅛	64¾
Houston Oil	12	131½	129⅝	131½	+ 1½	130
Howe Sound Co. (4)	27	46¼	46¼	46½	+ ⅛	46½
Hudson & Manhat. (2½)	1	52½	52¼	52⅜	— ⅛	52
Hudson Motor Car (5)	52	86	85	86	+ 1¼	84
Hupp Motor Car (1.40)	27	39½	39	39½	+ ½	39⅜
Indept. Oil & Gas (1)	15	25¼	25½	25½	— ⅛	25⅛
Indian Motorcycle (1½)	3	41	40⅝	40⅝	— ⅝	41
Indian Refining	24	13	12½	13	+ ⅛	12⅞
Indian Ref., ctf. s.	25	13	12½	13	+ ½	12⅛
Indian Ref., pfd.	1	110	110	110	.....	108
In'nd Steel (2½)	1	47½	46	46	— 1	46¼
Inspiration Copper	7	18¼	18	18	— ⅜	18
Intercon Rubber (1)	2	16	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛	15½
Int Agri. pr. pfd.	1	53	53	53	— 1	53½
Int Bus Mach. (5)	5	127½	126¼	126¾	+ 1	127
Int Cement (4)	19	67¼	66	66⅞	— ⅛	66¾
Int Comoust Eng. (2)	10	47⅛	46¾	47½	+ ⅛	47½
Int Harvest Co. (6a)	17	235	232¾	235	+ 2¼	234
Int Match o pf. (3.20)	9	98⅛	97⅝	98⅛	+ ⅛	98
Int Mer. Mar pfd.	6	37⅞	37	37	.....	36¾
Int Nick (2)	199	82¾	81¼	82½	— ½	82⅜
Int Pap. (2.40)	4	73⅛	72	72	— 1¼	72
Int Paper 7% pfd (7)	2	106	106	106	.....	106¼
Int. Salt (6) OL	20	64	64	64	.....	64
Int. Silver (6)	3	173¾	173½	173½	+ 2	172½
Int. Silver, pfd (7) OL	80	128	128	128	+ ¾	127
Int Tel & Tel. (6)	24	148	147	148	+ ¾	148
Jewel Tea (4)	3	80¾	80	80¾	+ 1⅜	80¾
Johns-Manville (3)	4	32½	32½	32½	.....	32½
Johns-Manville pf. (7)	3	118	117¼	117¾	— ¼	117¼
Jones Bros. Tea	8	33⅜	32⅜	33⅜	+ ⅜	33½
Jordan Motor Car	20	13⅜	12⅞	13⅜	+ ⅜	13¼
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BOND PRICES ARE HEAVY IN BROAD PROFIT TAKING

Seaboard Issues Score New Lows for Year; Few Spots Strong.

FOREIGN LIST IRREGULAR

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Confronted with $253,000,000 in new offerings which poured into the market during the week, the bond market today had a general leaning to heaviness. The week's aggregate was only $10,000,000 less than the weekly record for all time, established last October. Profit taking was rather general in issues which have been moving up in recent sessions, particularly in the railway group.

Seaboard Air Line mortgages reached new low levels for the year for the third consecutive day, all Florida 6s (A) being particularly weak with a net loss of 3½ points to 74½, declines ranging from large fractions to a point were numerous among such bonds as New Haven 3½s, Chicago & Northwestern 5s, International Great Northern 6s, Missouri Pacific 4s and Union Pacific 4½s. Only a few issues refused to follow the general trend.

There were a few isolated points of strength in the industrial division, notably Wilson & Co. 6s and Central Foundry 6s. Public Utilities were decidedly dull.

Fractional irregularity and light trading characterized the foreign group. Most of the Latin-American obligations, which were firm during the week, were a shade lower. United States Government obligations were unusually quiet.

As a whole the market continued to reflect the hesitancy of the past two weeks, as traders were disposed to await further enlightenment on the Treasury's March 15 financing plans, with its definite bearing on probabilities in the money market. No announcement as to when these details will be published has been made, but in the past the Treasury has favored the first Monday of the month in which the fiancing was to be done. If this policy is followed, the announcement will be forthcoming at the beginning of next week.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

POULTRY—Alive: Turkeys, top, 36@38; chickens, large, 33@35; medium, 35@38; large fowls, 27; fowls, small, 27; ducks, 22@25; geese, 15@20; young keats, 70; Leghorns, fowls, large, 23@24; small, 23. Dressed: Turkeys, 40@45; fowls, 28@30; Leghorn fowls, 25, geese, 25; keats, 90@1.00.

BUTTER—Country packed, 28; creamery, in tubs, standards, 45; extras, 52; creamery, fancy prints, 54.

EGGS—Average receipts, 25; hennery, 26.

LIVE STOCK—Calves, top, 14; lambs, 13; pork, 10@11.

APPLES—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market steady; Barrels: Virginia U. S. No. 1, 2¼ inches up, Romes and 2¾ inches, $8.00@8.50; unclassified 2½-inch Spys, $7.00; Yorks, 2¼ inches up, $7.00@$7.50; Boxes: Washington, medium to large size extra fancy Winesaps, $4.00; extra fancy Romes, $3.50; Delicious, $4.75; Virginia, medium size, large size, extra fancy Staymans, $3.50; Wageners, $2.50@2.75; Bushel baskets: Pennsylvania 2¾-inch Romes, $2.50; Virginia U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches up, Staymans, $2.75@3.00; unclassified Ben Davis 2½ inches up, $1.75; New York, unclassified Baldwins, 2½ inches up, $2.00@2.15.

CABBAGE—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market dull; New stock: Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, Pointed type best, mostly $1.75; fair quality and condition to ordinary quality and condition, 25@50; Texas, barrel crates, Round type, $2.90@3.00; Old stock: New York, sacked, per cwt., Danish type, $1.00.

CELERY — Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market about steady; Florida, 10-inch crates, 4-8 doz., $3.25@3.50, mostly $3.25; 2½-3 doz., $3.00@3.25.

LETTUCE—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market steady; California, crates, Iceberg type, 4-doz. 3.50@3.75, mostly 3.50; 5-doz., 3.00@3.50; Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, Big Boston type, 2.50@2.75.

ONIONS — Supplies light; demand moderate; market firm; Michigan and Ohio, 100-lb. sacks, yellows, U. S. No. 1, medium to large size, 3.25@3.50; New York, 100-lb. sacks, yellows, U. S. No. 1, small size, 2.75.

POTATOES—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market steady; Michigan, 150-lb. sacks, Russet Rurals, U. S. No. 1, 3.85@4.00, mostly 4.00; Pennsylvania and New York, 150-lb. sacks, Round Whites, U. S. No. 1, 3.75@4.00; Idaho, 110-lb. sacks, Russets, U. S. No. 1, 3.25; New Brunswick, 120-lb. sacks, Green Mountains, U. S. No. 1, few sales, 4.00.

SPINACH—Supplies heavy; demand light; market weak; South Carolina, cloth top veneer barrels, Savoy type, 2.50; Texas, bushel baskets, Savoy type, 75@1.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Supplies light; demand moderate; market slightly stronger; Florida, pony reefers, Missionarys, 70@80 per quart.

TOMATOES—Supplies light; demand light; market about steady; repacked in New York City, unknown origin, three, ripe, wrapped, fancy count, 3.50; choice count, 3.00; Originals: Florida, sixes, ripes and turning, wrapped, some soft, best fancy count, 7.00@7.50; choice count, 6.00@6.50; poorer, ripe, soft, both sizes low as 4.00.

STRING BEANS—Supplies light; demand moderate; market steady; Florida, ⅘-bushel hampers, Green, 5.00@7.00; Wax, 3.00@5.00.

PEPPERS — Supplies moderate; demand light; market slightly weaker; Florida, pepper crates, fancy, 4.50; Mexico, no sales reported.

SQUASH—Supplies very light; Florida, pepper crates, fancy, 6.50.

ECG PLANT—Supplies very light; too few sales reported to quote.

CUCUMBERS — Supplies moderate; demand light; market dull; Indiana, hothouse stock, 2-doz. cartons, fancy, 3.00@3.50; extra fancy, 3.50; double extra, fancy, good condition, 4.00.

CARROTS—Supplies light; demand moderate; market firm; Texas, bushel baskets, bunched, 2.25@2.30.

BEETS — Supplies light; demand moderate; market firm; Texas, bushel baskets, bunched, 2.25@2.50.

PEAS—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market steady; Mexico crates, 4.75@5.00.

CAULIFLOWER—Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market steady; California, pony crates, 2.00@2.25.

ORANGES — Supplies moderate; demand moderate; market about steady; Florida, boxes, medium sizes, mostly around 7.00; few Indian River district, few high as 8.00; California, boxes, Navels, 150-216's, 6.00; large sizes discounted.

GRAPEFRUIT — Supplies moderate; mand light; market steady; Florida, boxes, 46-80s, 5.50@6.00, mostly around 5.50.

CHICAGO STOCKS.

(Reported by W. B. Hibbs & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Armour & Co., of Del. pfd.	90¼	90½
Armour Co. of Ill. pfd.	77⅛	78½
B. and K.	62	63
Beaver Board, pfd.		49
Borg & Beck Co.	71½	72
Chi. City & Co. Ry. com.	1½	1⅞
Chi. City & Co. Ry. pfd.	17½	18
Com. Edison	172½	174
Consumers com.	8½	8¾
Consumers pfd.	92	93½
C. & C. Bank	522	526
Fair pfd.	107½	108
Gossard	49½	50
Great Lakes Dredge	300	305
Honeywell	32¾	33
Honeywell, pfd.	98	99
Illinois Brick	40	40¾
Kraft Cheese	63	63¼
Libby, McNeill & Libby	9⅜	9½
McCord Rad A	40½	41
Middle West. Util. com.	129½	130¼
Middle West. Util. pfd.	122	123
Middle West Util. pr. lien	125	127
Midland Steel	92½	97
Montgomery Ward com.	133	133½
Montgomery Ward pfd.		124
National Leather	4½	4⅝
Pines Winter Front	3½	4
Pick & Co.	19	22
Pub. Serv. Corp. $100 par.	16½	17
Pub. Serv. 6s pfd.	111⅛	
Quaker Oats com.	295	296
Quaker Oats pfd.	113	115
Swift & Co.	130½	131
Swift Int.	31⅜	32¼
Stewart Warner	80½	81½
John R. Thompson	60½	62
U. S. Gypsum	72½	73¼
Whal Co.	9¾	10¼
Wrigley Co.	71¼	72

BOND SALES ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1928.

(Reported direct from the New York Stock Exchange by J. & W. Seligman & Co.)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

(The following sales are given in lots of $1,000.)
(Quotations in dollars and 32ds of a dollar.)

Sale	Issue.	Open	High	Low	Last
1	Liberty 3½s	101.20	101.20	101.20	101.20
11	Liberty 1st 4¼s	102.31	102.31	103.29	102.29
11	Liberty 2d 4¼s	100.16	100.16	100.16	100.16
1	Lib. 2d 4¼s, reg.	100.12	100.12	100.12	100.12
37	Liberty 4th 4¼s	103.21	103.22	103.20	103.20
14	Lib. 4th 4¼s, reg.	103.16	103.17	103.16	103.16
1	U. S. G. 4¼s	115.13	115.13	115.13	115.13
10	U. S. G. 4¼s, reg.	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
1	U. S. G. 4s	110.13	110.13	110.13	110.13

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
7	Antioquia, Dept. of, A, 7s, 1945	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
2	Antioquia, Dept. of, B, 7s, 1945	97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼
8	Antioquia, Dept. of, C, 7s, 1945	96⅞	97	96¾	96¾
12	Antioquia, Dept. of, 1st 7s, 1957	96¾	97⅛	96¾	96⅞
6	Argentine Govt. 6s, scr. A, 1957	100½	100½	100½	100½
5	Argentine Govt. 6s, ser. B, 1958	100	100⅛	100	100⅛
3	Argentine Govt. 6s, June, 1959	100	100⅛	100	100⅛
3	Argentine Govt. 6s, Oct., 1959	99⅞	100	99⅞	100
3	Argentine Govt. 6s, May, 1960	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
78	Argentine Govt. 6s, Sept., 1960	100	100⅛	99½	100⅛
5	Argentine Govt. 6s, Feb., 1961	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99¾
1	Argentine Govt. 6s, May, 1961	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
1	Argentine Govt. 5½s, 1962	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
14	Australia 5s, 1955	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜
8	Australia 5s, 1957	97⅛	97⅜	97	97⅜
44	Austrian Govt. 7s, 1943	103¾	104	103¾	104
1	Bavaria, King. of, 6½s, 1945	98½	98½	98½	98½
18	Belgium, King. of, 6½s, 1949	107	107	107	107
20	Belgium, King. of, 7½s, 1945	115¼	115⅝	115¼	115⅜
20	Belgium, King. of, 7s, 1955	108	108	107¾	107¾
8	Belgium, King. of, 7s, 1956	106¼	106¼	106	106¼
4	Berlin 6½s, 1950	99⅛	99⅛	98¾	98¾
1	Bogota, City of, 8s, 1945	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼
12	Bolivia, 8s, 1947	105½	106	105½	106
21	Bolivia 7s, 1958	96½	97¼	96½	97¼
8	Brazil, U. S. of, 7s, 1952	100½	100⅜	100½	100⅜
16	Brazil, U. S. of, 6½s, 1957	96¾	97	96¾	97
16	Brisbane 5s, 1957	94½	95	94½	95
22	Brazil, U. S. of, 8s, 1941	110¼	110½	110¼	110½
1	Bremen, State of, 7s, 1935	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
16	Budapest, City of, 6s, 1962	86¾	86¾	86⅜	86⅜
6	Buenos Aires, City of, 6s, 1961	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞
7	Buenos Aires, Prov. of, 7s, 1957	100⅜	100½	100⅜	100½
3	Buenos Aires, Prov. of, 7s, 1958	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜
5	Bulgaria, King. of, 7s, 1967	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
1	Caldas, Dept. of, 7½s, 1946	101	101	101	101
7	Canada, Dom. of, 5½s, 1929	101¼	101⅞	101¼	101⅞
9	Canada, Dom. of, 5s, 1952	107¼	107¼	107¼	107⅛
4	Canada, Dom. of, 4½s, 1936	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
17	Chile, Rep. of, 6s, 1961, cts.	94⅝	94⅞	94⅜	94½
30	Chile, Rep. of, 6s, 1960	94⅛	94⅛	94	94
6	Chile, Rep. of, 6s, 1961	94	94¼	94	94
2	Chile, Rep. of, 8s, 1941	110⅞	110⅞	110⅞	110⅞
1	Chile, Rep. of, 8s, 1946	110¼	110¼	110¼	110¼
7	Chile, Rep. of, 7s, 1942	101½	101⅝	101½	101⅝
3	Chinese Govt. 5s, 1951	28½	28¾	28½	28¾
1	Christiania, City of, 6s, 1954	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	Colombia, Rep. of, 6s, 1930	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
14	Colombia, Rep. of, 6s, 1961	94½	94⅜	94½	94⅜
1	Copen., City of, 5s, 1952	97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼
4	Copen., City of, 5½s, 1944	101	101	100¾	100¾
1	Cuba, Rep. of, 4½s, 1949	97	97	97	97
7	Cuba, Rep. of, 5s, 1904-1944	101	101	101	101
2	Cuba, Rep. of, 5½s, 1953	103½	103½	103¾	103¾
6	Czecho., Rep. of, 7½s, 1945	105½	105½	105½	105½
2	Denmark, King. of, 6s, 1942	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝	105⅞
5	Cundinamarca, D. of, A, 7s, 1946	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
1	Danish Mun. 8s, Ser. B, 1946	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
3	Dominican, Rep. of, 5½s, 1942	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
3	Dominican, Rep. of, 5½s, 1940	99	99	99	99
2	Dresden, City of, 7s, 1945	101½	101½	101½	101½
4	Dutch E. India 6s, 1962	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
1	Dutch En. India 5½s, 1953, Mar.	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
3	Finland, Rep. of, 6½s, 1956	99⅝	99⅝	99½	99⅝
2	Finland, Rep. of, 7s, 1950	101	101	100⅞	100⅞
7	French Govt. 7½s, 1941	115⅞	116	115⅜	116
1	French Govt. 7s, 1949	107¾	107¾	107½	107½
13	German Govt. 7s, 1949	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
6	Graz Municipality 8s, 1954	103¼	103½	103¼	103½
11	Greek Govt. 6s, 1968	91	91	91	91
3	Haiti, Rep. of, 6s, 1952	100	100	100	100
1	Hamburg, State 6s, 1946	96½	96½	96½	96½
58	Hungarian Con. Mun. 7½s, 1945	100¼	100¼	100	100
6	Hungarian Con. Mun. 7s, 1946	96	96¼	96	96¼
3	Hungary, King. of, 7½s, 1944	102¼	102¼	102¼	102¼
35	Italy, King of, 7s, 1951	98¼	98⅜	98¼	98⅜
13	Japanese 6½s, 1954	102¾	102¾	102½	102⅝
57	Japanese Ster. 4s, 1931	93	93½	93	93½
2	Lower Aus. Prov. of, 7½s, 1950.	100¼	100½	100¼	100½
9	Mexico, U. S. of, 4s, 1904	25	25	25	25
52	Milan, City of, 6½s, 1952	93½	93½	93	93
2	Netherlands 6s, 1954	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
7	Nuremburg, City of, 6s, 1952	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
1	New South Wales 5s, 1957	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
5	New South Wales 5s, 1958	94¾	94⅞	94¾	94⅞
2	Norway, King of, 5½s, 1965	101½	101½	101½	101½
10	Norway, King of, 6s, 1943	102	102	102	102
16	Norway, King of, 6s, 1944	102½	102½	102¾	102¾
6	Norway, King of, 6s, 1952	102¾	102½	102¾	102¾
1	Panama, Rep. of, 6½s, 1961	102¼	102¼	102¼	102¼
3	Pernambuco, State of, 7s, 1947.	97½	97¾	97½	97¾
12	Peru, 7s, 1959	104	104¼	104	104¼
2	Peru, 6s, 1960	92¾	92¾	92½	92¾
10	Peru 7½s, 1924-44	107½	107¾	107½	107¾
5	Peru, 7½s, 1940	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
10	Peru 7½s, 1956	107	107¼	107	107¼
22	Poland 8s, 1950	100¾	100¾	100¾	100⅞
42	Poland 7s, 1947	91	91¼	91	91¼
1	Porto Allegre, City of, 8s, 1961.	107	107	107	107
1	Prague, City of, 7½s, 1952	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼
1	Queensland, State of, 6s, 1947	107½	107½	107½	107½
1	Queensland, State of, 7s, 1941	113½	113⅝	113½	113½
26	Rio de J., City of, 8s, 1946	103⅛	103⅛	107	107
1	Rio Gr. do. Sul., St. of, 6s, 1946	106	106	106	106
32	Rome, City of, 6½s, 1952	93⅜	93½	93⅜	93½
4	Rotterdam, City of, 6s, 1964	104¼	104¼	104¼	104¼
1	Salvador, Rep. of, 8s, 1948	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞
2	Santa Fe, Prov. of, 7s, 1942	99½	99½	99½	99½
1	Sao Paulo, State of, 8s, 1950	108½	108½	108¾	108½
3	Serbs, C. & S., King of, 8s, 1962.	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
7	Solssons, City of, 6s, 1936	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
7	Sweden, King of, 5½s, 1954	104½	104½	104½	104½
10	Sweden, King of, 6s, 1939	104½	104⅝	104½	104⅝
3	Switzerland, Govt. of, 5½s, 1946.	104	104¼	103¾	103¾
5	Tokyo, City of, 5½s, 1952	79¼	79¼	79	79¼
8	Tokyo, City of, 5½s, 1961	91¾	91¾	91½	91¾
14	Trondhjem, City of, 5½s, 1957	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
1	U. K. Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1937	106	106	106	106
10	Uruguay, Rep. of, 6s, 1960	98¼	98⅝	98⅛	98⅝
3	Yokohama, City of, 6s, 1961	98	98	97½	97½

NEW YORK CITY SECURITIES.

3	New York City 4½s, N., 1957	108⅞	108⅞	108⅞	108⅞

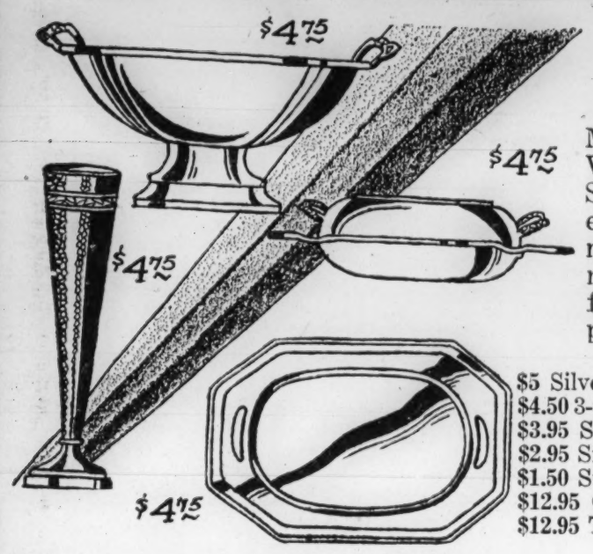
DOMESTIC BONDS—RAILS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

4	Adams Express 4s, 1948	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
3	Ajax Rubber 8s, 1936	107	107	107	107
1	Agri. Mtge. Bank 6s, 1947	92	92	92	93
3	Alpine Montan 7s, 1955	94½	94½	94½	94½
11	Am. Agri. Chem. 7½s, 1941	105½	105¾	105½	105¾
5	Am. Chain 6s, 1933	104	104	104	104
8	Am. Smelt. 5s, 1947	102½	102½	102⅜	102½
1	Am. Smelt. 6s, B, 1947	108½	108½	108½	108½
8	Am. Sugar Ref. 6s, 1937	104½	104¾	104½	104¾
1	Am. T. & T. gen. 4½s, 1933	101½	101½	101½	101½
14	Am. T. & T. col. tr. 5s, 1946	105½	105½	105½	105½
4	Am. T. & T. col. 5½s, 1943	109	109	108½	108½
32	Am. T. & T. 5s, 1960	106	106	105½	105¾
1	Am. Water Works 5s, 1934	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
2	Am. Water Works 6s, 1975	106½	106½	106½	106½
3	Am. Writ. Paper 6s, 1947	92	92	91½	92
16	Anaconda Copper 6s, 1953	105¾	105⅞	105½	105⅞
7	Anaconda Copper 7s, 1938	110¾	111	110¾	110¾
1	Andes Copper 7s, 1943	120¾	120¾	120¾	120¾
1	Anglo-Chil. Nitrate 7s, 1945	101½	101½	101½	101½
5	Armour & Co. 4½s, 1939	92½	92½	92½	92½
22	Armour & Co., Del. 5½s, 1943.	90¾	90⅞	90¾	90⅞
7	Associated Oil 6s, 1935	103¼	103¼	103	103
23	At.,T. & S.F. gen. 4s, 1995	96⅞	97⅛	96⅞	97⅛
1	At.,T. & S.F. adj. 4s, 1995	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
5	Atlanta, Knox. & Cinn. 4s, 1955	96	96	96	96
5	Atlantic Coast Line 4s, 1952	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
3	Atlantic & Danville 1st 4s, 1948	82	82	82	82
3	Atlantic Gulf & W. I. 5s, 1959.	74½	74½	74½	74½
10	B. & O. 1st 4s, 1948	96¼	96¼	96⅛	96⅛
17	B. & O. cvt. 4½s, 1933	100⅝	100⅝	100½	100½
1	B. & O. 1st g. 5s, 1948	108½	108½	108½	108½
11	B. & O. ref. & gen. 5s, 1995	103⅞	103⅞	103½	103⅞
6	B. & O. ref. 6s, 1995	111½	111¾	111½	111¾
11	B. & O. (P.L.E.& W.Va.) 4s, 1941	96	96	95¾	95¾
5	B. & O. (S.W.Div.) 5s, 1950	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜
8	B. & O. (Tol.&Cinn.) 4s, 1959	88⅛	88⅜	87⅞	88⅜
4	Barnsdall Corp. 6s, 1940	100⅜	100⅜	100¼	100⅜
12	Barnsdall Corp. 6s, 1940, x-war.	91¾	91¾	91⅝	91⅝
7	Bell Tel. of Pa. 5s, Ser. C, 1960	111⅝	112	111⅝	112
5	Bell Tel. of Pa. 5s, Ser. B, 1948	108½	108½	108½	108½
10	Berlin El. Elec. 6½s, 1956	96	96	95⅞	96
1	Berlin City Elec. 6½s, 1951	97	97	97	97
1	Beth. Steel pm. 5s, 1936	101	101	101	101
16	Beth. Steel 5½s, 1953	103	103¼	103	103¼
7	Beth. Steel 6s, 1948	105¼	105¼	105	105¼
1	Botany Cons. Mills 6½s, 1934	80½	80½	80½	80½
1	Bowman-Biltmore 7s, 1934	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
5	Bklyn. Edison 5s, A, 1949	106½	106½	106½	106½
32	Bklyn. Man. Tran. 6s, 1966	98½	98⅝	98½	98⅝
5	Bklyn. Union El. 5s, 1950	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
12	Bklyn. Union Gas 5½s, 1936	269½	271	269½	270
2	Bush. Term. Bldg. 5s, 1960	104½	104½	104½	104½
4	Calif. Gas & Elec. 5s, 1937	103¾	103¾	103⅝	103⅝
1	California Petrol. 5½s, 1938	102¼	102¼	102¼	102¼
26	California Petrol. 5s, 1939	100	100¼	100	100
5	Canada Sou. 5s, 1962	109½	109½	109½	109¼
17	Canadian Nat. 4½s, 1957	100½	100½	100½	100⅝
3	Canadian Nor. deb. 6½s, 1946	122½	122½	122½	122½
6	Canadian Nor. 7s, 1940	115¾	115¾	115¾	115¾
3	Canadian Nor. 4½s, 1935	100¾	100⅞	100¾	100⅞
30	Canadian Pac. deb. 4s	90	90	90	90
2	Canadian Pac. 4½s, 1946	100	100	100	100
4	Central Foundry 6s, 1931	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
2	Central of Ga. 5½s, 1959	108	108	108	108
1	Central Pacific 1st 4s, 1949	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
7	Central Pacific 5s, 1960	103¾	104¼	103¾	104⅛
3	Ches. & O. gen. 4½s, 1992	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
6	Ches. & O. cons. 5s, 1939	107	107	107	107
27	Ches. Corporation 5s, 1947	99½	99½	99⅜	99½
10	C. B. & Q. 4½s, 1977	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	C. B. & Q. (Ill. Div.) 4s, 1949	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜
14	C. & E. Ill. 1st. cons. g. 5s, 1951	85¼	85¼	85	85
18	Chi. Great West. 1st. 4s, 1959	66¾	66¾	66⅜	66¾
3	C. M. & St P. 4s, 1925 cts.	73	73	73	73
2	C. M. & St. P. 6s, 1934	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
1	C. M. & St. P. 4s, A, 1989	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
507	C. M. & St. P. A. 5s, 2000, new.	62¼	62½	62	62½
1	C. M.&St.P. g.r.4½s, A, 2014 cts.	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞
217	C. M. & St. P. 5s, 1975, new.	95¼	95½	95⅛	95¼
4	C. M. & St. P. 4½s, 1932 cts.	93¼	93½	93⅛	93¼
3	C. M. & St. P. 5s, 2014, cts.	72⅜	72⅝	72⅜	72⅜
4	Chi. &N. W. 4½s, 2037	102¼	102½	102¼	102½
1	Chi. & N W. gen. 5s, 1987	115	115	115	115
5	Chi. & N W. 1st ref. 5s, 2037	111⅜	111⅝	111⅜	111⅝
5	Chi. & N. W. 7s, 1930	105	105¼	105	105¼
5	Chi. Rys. 1st 5s, 1927	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
30	Chi. R. I. & P. ref. 4s, 1934	96	96⅛	96	96⅛
19	Chi. R. I. & P. 4½s, 1952	95¾	96	95¾	96
5	C., R. I. & P. g. 4s, 1988	93½	93⅝	93	93
3	C., Terre H. & S. E. 1st 5s, 1960.	103	103	103	103
1	Chi. & W. Ind. 5½s, 1962	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜
11	Chile Copper 5s, 1947	96	96	95¾	95¾
26	C. C. C. & St. L. 4½s, 1977	93½	93½	93¼	93¼
2	C. C. C. & St. L. d. 4½s, 1931.	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
11	C. C. C. & St. L. r.&i. 6s, A, 1929	102	102	102	102
1	C. C. C. & St. L. r.&i. 5s, D, 1963	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
1	Cleve. U. Term. 5s, 1973	106	106	106	106
1	Colo. & South. ref. 4½s, 1935	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
1	Columbus Ry. Pow. Lt. 4½s, 1951	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
27	Columbia G. & El. 5s, 1952	100	100	100	100
1	Comp. Tab. & Rec. 6s, 1941	106	106	106	106
11	Con. Gas N. Y. 5½s, 1945	106¼	106½	106¼	106½
17	Cons. Coal of Md. 1st. 5s, 1950	79	79	79	79
3	Continental P. & Bag 6½s, 1944	89¼	89¼	89¼	89¼
1	Continental Corp. of Am. 6s, 1946	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
3	Crown Williamette Pap. Co.,1951	103	103	103	103
11	Cuba C. S. cvt. deb. 8s, sta., 1930	91	91¼	91	91
3	Cuban Dom. Sugar 7½s, 1936.	100½	100½	100¼	100½
1	Cuba Ry. 1st ln.&r. 7½s, 1936	109¼	109¼	109¼	109¼
17	Cuyamel Fruit Co. 6s, 1940	100	100	99¾	99¾
58	D. & H. 1st & ref. 4s, 1943	95¾	95¾	95½	95½
7	D. & H. 5½s, 1937	104½	104½	104¾	104¾
30	D. & R. G. 1st 4s, 1936	93½	93½	93¼	93¼
5	D. & R. G. cons. 4½s, 1936	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
18	D. R. G. & W. 5s, 1955	90⅝	91	90⅝	91
5	Dery D. G. Corp. 7s, 1942	60	60	60	60
20	Detroit Ed. ser. A, 5s, 1949	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜	105⅜
17	Deutsche Bank 6s, 1942	98⅝	98⅞	98½	98⅝
3	Detroit River Tunnel 4½s, 1961	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
10	Dodge Bros. 6s, 1940	88	88	87½	87⅝
49	Duke-Price Pow. 6s, 1966	106	106¼	106	106¼
1	Duluth& Iron Range 5s, 1937.	103	103	103	103
16	Duquesne Light 4½s, 1967

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$4.75

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$12.95 Tambour Mantel Clock.....$8.95

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24 Lined Envelopes

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Distinctively Styled Bags At a Remarkably Low Price

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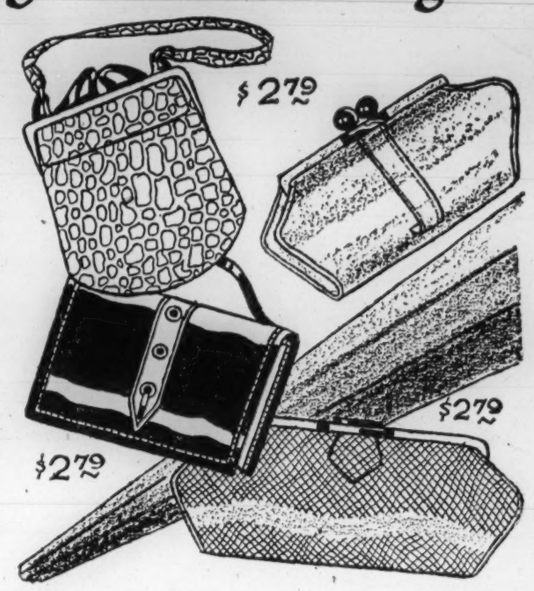
$4.95 to $5.95 Cowhide Brief Cases, black, brown or tan. Your name in gold, free of charge..... $2.75

75c to $1 Suede and leather belts in black, navy and other colors..... 50c

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$5 to $7.50 Week-end Cases of alligator grain Dupont; in colors or black cobra grain..... $3.95

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$1.59 pr.

Regularly $2.50 and $3

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Plain Silk or Fancy Bordered

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$1.85

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$7.95

Best quality, ¼-inch sparkling mirrors, hand cut and etched. Beautifully ornamented frames finished in old copper, gold, antique bronze or colors.

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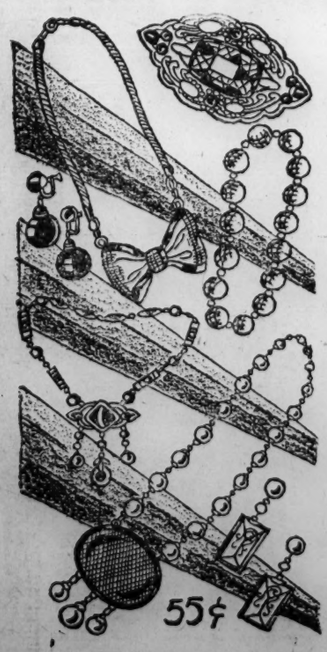
Hand cut, etched or plain mirrors of exquisite quality in handmade frames or finished in old gold. Distinctive in appearance and quality. **$5.95**

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Mfg. Pearl Necklaces
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Bar Pins and many others.

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Almond	*Diadem*	*Autumn*	*Ensign*
Carrara	*Pink 06*	*Hispana*	*Tanagta*
Athenia	*Pink 07*	*Navy 15*	*Oakheart*
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HAULING DOWN THE FLAG.

Pacifism and foreign propaganda are doing their best to take America off the seas. Well-meaning Americans by the millions are completely deluded by cunning foreigners who know exactly what they want. These foreigners, playing upon American pacifist susceptibilities, have induced many citizens to send in protests against the building of American naval and merchant ships, on the ground that the assertion of sea strength by the United States would be a provocation of war. Some members of the House committee on naval affairs have been intimidated by this propaganda. The naval program consequently has been reduced by the committee.

The pacifists, however, are not satisfied, and are clamoring for a provision that will authorize the President to suspend construction entirely. They also insist that Congress shall not fix a time for beginning or completing construction. What they really demand is that Congress shall not build any more naval vessels. Many of these pacifists honestly fear that the building of cruisers will lead to war, both by stimulating a warlike feeling in this country and by inciting other powers to build ships and perhaps to make war on this country before its naval program comes into being.

While the American pacifists are doing the work of foreign interests in trying to paralyze the Navy, the foreigners themselves execute shrewd moves calculated to show that other powers are not only not increasing their naval strength, but are actually trying to bring about limitations of armaments. One of the latest reports is that Great Britain will propose to France a naval conference looking to the reduction in size of capital ships. Presumably France will be asked to call the conference, inasmuch as it is a foregone conclusion that the United States would look with extreme suspicion upon any proposal from Great Britain.

Now that Great Britain has completed two of the greatest battleships in the world, far superior to any American craft, it is opportune from a British standpoint to bring about an agreement that would prevent any nation from building ships equal to the British vessels. The United States will not agree to any such plan; but American pacifists are gulled by the proposal, just the same, and already they are charging that if the United States should not agree to reduce the size of capital ships it would be guilty of encouraging war.

In the meantime the House committee on merchant marine is trying to formulate a measure that will provide a merchant marine. Here foreign propaganda is even more active than in opposing naval construction. Ingenious methods are employed, through both foreign and domestic agencies, to frustrate all plans for encouraging the building of American ships.

President Coolidge has repeatedly thrown out strong hints and warnings against the propaganda that is striving to dissuade the United States from building up its sea independence and naval defenses. Mr. Coolidge could unfold a startling tale of foreign interference in American affairs, if he would; but he will not do so, because he wishes to remain on friendly terms with foreign governments while upholding American rights. He relies upon the intelligence of Americans to help him, but probably he has been discouraged lately when his plain hints have failed to register, and his warnings have gone unheeded.

The pacifist charge that the United States is pursuing a provocative policy when it proposes to maintain its Navy is an insult to the American flag. Only once in its history has the United States been an aggressor in war. That was when it went to the rescue of Cuba. Do the pacifists wish that the American fleet at Santiago had not been so strong, so that American lives could have been sacrificed? Do they wish that Admiral Dewey had been unprepared at Manila?

With suitable naval strength the United States can protect its commerce during peace or war, and it will not fight unless it is assailed. Without suitable strength its commerce will be attacked and its citizens killed in case of a foreign war, and then it will fight, but at great loss of life.

Let us hope that Congress will not succumb to the stupor of poison propaganda that has destroyed the Americanism of American pacifists.

SENATOR WALSH, OF MONTANA.

The quiet and rather unassuming way in which Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, enters the lists for the Democratic presidential nomination is hardly indicative of the importance with which his candidacy may loom before the Houston convention has come to a close. The emergence of Senator Walsh as an active figure in the Democratic campaign was accompanied by the statement that William G. McAdoo would head the slate of Walsh delegates in the California primary. Simultaneously it was announced that Walsh delegates would be sought in Wisconsin and South Dakota.

Under the circumstances it is apparent that the Walsh boom is a recrudescence of the McAdoo movement. It is equally plain that the aim of the McAdoo wing of the party now is exactly what it was in 1924, the defeat of Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York, or any other wet candidate. Considered in this light the candidacy of Senator Walsh must be viewed in far broader aspects than his entry into three States would at first indicate. Patently he is marked to become the rallying point of those who are determined to exercise the veto power possible under the two-thirds rule followed by the Democrats.

Perhaps it would be unfair to say that this is the only purpose of the Walsh movement. While Senator Walsh, in contrast to Gov. Smith, is a dry, he is also a Catholic. The necessity for religious tolerance is emphasized on all sides, and properly so. It is becoming more and more difficult for any one to inject the religious issue openly into a consideration of candidates. From considerations such as these, no doubt, springs the determination to fight Gov. Smith with one of his own faith, but on the opposite side of the prohibition question.

The strength that Senator Walsh may acquire in his present alliance should not be underestimated. The support of the McAdoo faction, even partially extended, ought to bring into his camp a large proportion of the Southern delegates. There are other States where the appeal to prohibition prejudices is likely to succeed, more especially since the dry Democrats have as yet been able to find no other standard bearer. Only 367 votes are required for the veto power. If that many delegates can be held in line, Senator Walsh's supporters no doubt feel that the time may come when they can advance their man on the plea of religious tolerance. How successfully, is for the future to determine.

THE WESTERN MARKET.

Through an oversight or an acute attack of economitis the House committee in charge of the District appropriation bill failed to include the small item necessary to maintain the Western Market. Unless the Senate shall include this item the market will close on June 30.

This market has been a convenience to householders in the western part of the city, including Georgetown, for more than 30 years. It is in a run-down condition, but a few thousand dollars would bring it fairly up to date. Adjacent property interests would like to abolish the market, for selfish reasons, but their wishes should not prevail.

It is a difficult task to locate a market where all parties will be satisfied, as has just been demonstrated in the case of the Farmers' Market. The K Street Market is already established, and there can be no controversy in keeping it where it is. Farmers take their produce there, and a direct exchange is afforded between housewives and the farmers. This arrangement is beneficial to all concerned and helps to keep down the cost of living. Similar markets should be established elsewhere. There is no good reason for trying to maintain a single central market for the farmers. They can go to a neighborhood market and serve the needs of different parts of the city better than by concentrating at one point. Householders in the western part of the town should not be compelled to go down to the river to do their marketing, when a few thousand dollars a year will maintain a market near at hand.

A 3,000-MILE FOOT RACE.

A transcontinental foot race will start in Los Angeles today. Three months from now those of the 275 entrants still able to put one foot before the other are expected to reach New York. A prize of $25,000 will be given the winner. The total prize money amounts to $48,500. One searches in vain for the slightly unbalanced philanthropist behind the enterprise. The entrepreneur is C. C. Pyle, more euphoniously and correctly called Cash and Carry Pyle, and as level-headed a promoter as the world of commercialized sport has ever known. It was Pyle who capitalized Red Grange. It was Pyle who caused Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen to turn professional. In both instances there was profit for all concerned, especially for C. C. Pyle.

It may at first be difficult to determine where the profit is coming from in the Los Angeles to New York foot race. No one need pay to observe the spectacle. There are, however, commercial possibilities which Pyle was the first to see and was not slow in developing. The money will be made because of the rivalry of highway against highway and city against city. Long before the day of the race, Pyle, by playing on this form of civic jealousy, had in hand the money necessary to promote the race. The premium to be paid by manufacturers of articles used by the runners will constitute the cash and carry profit.

As a spectacle the race will mean nothing. Rigid regulations will keep the contestants bunched so that no one lacking the complete figures for each day's run will be able to determine the leaders. There will be glory only for those who finish in the money, and nothing learned from the accomplishment. The entire scheme merely exemplifies how easy it is to convince the gullible that the unusual of itself constitutes advertising, and that the world not only considers itself obligated to provide a living for shrewd advertisers but lives up to the obligation.

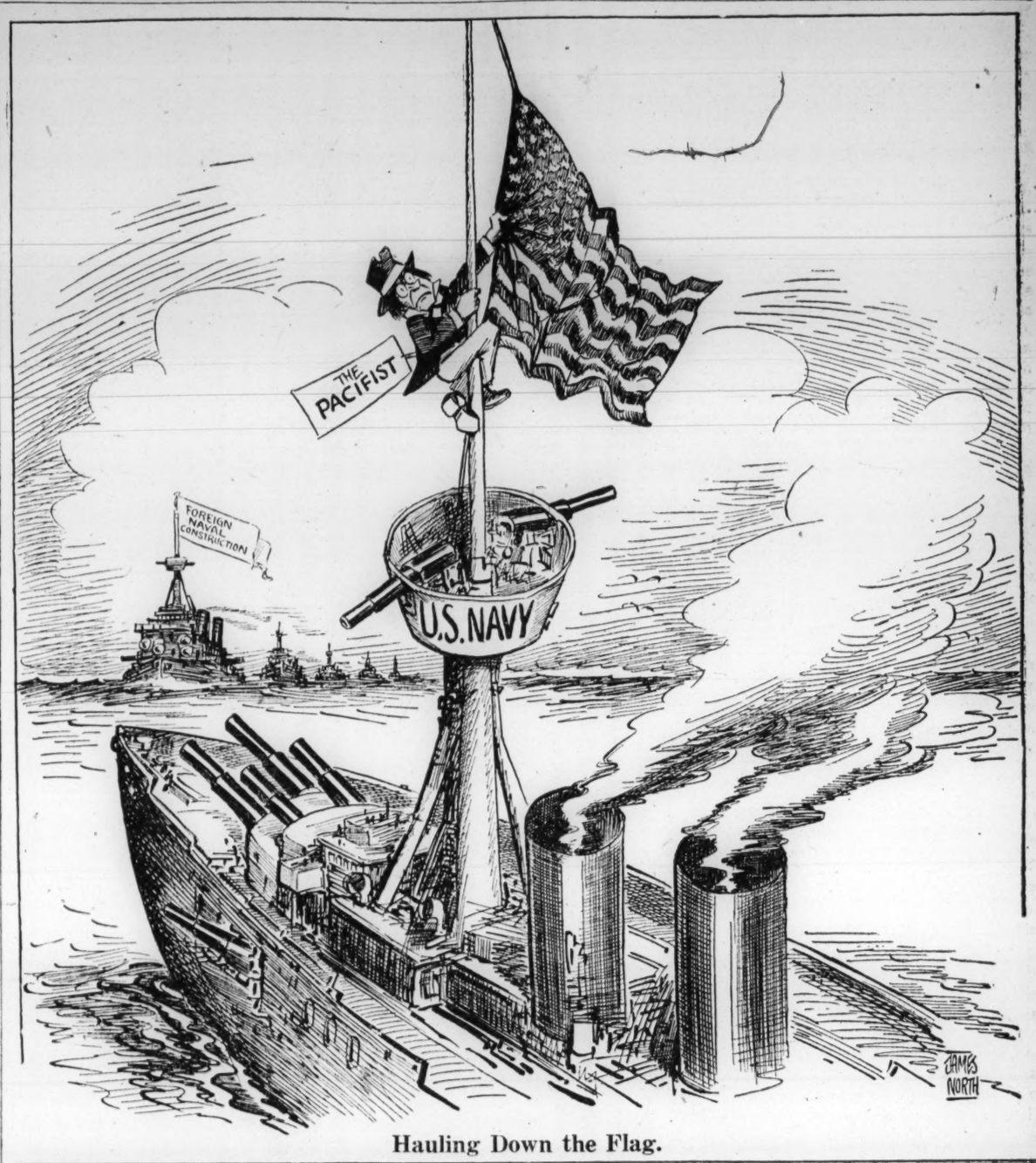
THE IBSEN CENTENARY.

The divergence of literary taste, as well as the great distinction between the creative and the critical attitude in literature, was well brought out by Sir Edmund Gosse when lecturing on Ibsen the other day at the Royal Society of Arts in London. He said that the year 1828 saw the birth of three men of letters whose genius was extraordinary and whose influence was far-reaching, but who pursued their respective long careers without once coming into sympathetic contact. The three men in question were George Meredith, Leo Tolstoy, and Henrik Ibsen, and they might well have flourished in different planets for any interest which they took in one another. The complete indifference of each of them to the achievement of the other two showed how widely their tastes diverged. On the other hand, while no responsible critic dare refuse attention to Ibsen, Tolstoy, and Meredith alike, it was natural enough, and quite in accordance with the isolation of the creative spirit, that all three should live and die in practically blank ignorance of one another. Once, when Ibsen was asked what he thought of Tolstoy, he answered, with a snap, *Han er gal* (He is mad), and said no more; and when he was similarly questioned about Meredith, it was evident that he had never even heard his name.

When one remembers the struggle that had to be made in the beginning to get Ibsen's works a fair hearing, or any sort of hearing, in England, it certainly seems like the irony of fate that the series of lectures now being given in that country in connection with the centenary of his birth should be under the auspices of the British Drama League. Sir Edmund Gosse claims that he himself was the first person to print the name of Henrik Ibsen in an English publication. That was in 1872. What he then said—rather crudely, because of imperfect knowledge—attracted the attention of William Archer, then a schoolboy, and led him to the study of Ibsen's writings, and eventually to his masterly translation of them, and to his successful propaganda in their favor, so that Archer became the real founder of Ibsen's fame in England.

Sir Edmund Gosse was selected to give the lecture on "Ibsen the Man," because he knew the great Norwegian well and was honored by his friendship to the end. After describing the dramatist's personal appearance—his "short, stocky figure in a long frock coat," "his little brilliant eyes," "his broad and formidable head surrounded by a halo of wild white hair and voluminous mutton-chop whisker"—he presented him finally to his audience as a portent of violent individualism. He denied that Ibsen had any "gospel" to deliver, or any didactic purpose in his satires, or any ambition to be regarded as a pioneer in politics or morals.

So many things have been read into Ibsen that he never dreamed of that this corrective by a highly intelligent man, who had every opportunity of knowing, comes with singular appropriateness in this centenary year.



Hauling Down the Flag.

IN HONOR OF WASHINGTON.

Congress would do well to look carefully into the subject before it enacts the bill providing for an "official" publication of volumes pertaining to George Washington, to be issued by the Washington Bicentenary Commission. It is proposed that fifteen or twenty laborious volumes be published at the expense of the United States, to constitute the authoritative history of Washington's life, writings and achievements. The Bicentenary Commission seems to have committed itself to this plan, but this is no reason why Congress should approve it.

The truth of history is not a matter to be ascertained and perpetuated by act of Congress.

No doubt the energetic historian who is seeking to obtain the support of the Government for his project is an able and public-spirited writer, recognized as an authority on historical questions. But, owing to the perversity of human nature, even this high authority would be assailed if the Government should select him as the "official" historian of George Washington. The public will read what it pleases, not what Congress selects for its education.

The $300,000 which it is proposed to expend upon historical works that nobody would read should be diverted to the really useful purpose of saving Wakefield, Washington's birthplace, from rack and ruin. Americans would gladly visit Wakefield if Congress would make it accessible and restore it to decent condition. The boulevard from Washington to Mount Vernon should be extended to Wakefield, and the landing place near Wakefield should be dredged so that passengers could be landed by ferry from the Maryland side. The old house should be rebuilt, and all relics pertaining to Washington's parents and his boyhood should be preserved at Wakefield.

The Bicentenary Commission has not yet fully formulated plans for the appropriate commemoration of Washington. Its approval of the "official history" is a mistake that can be canceled by Congress. Obviously, the celebration of the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth by expensive and pompous ceremonies, while leaving the place of his birth in neglect and ruin, would be worse than decent silence.

LITERARY AMENITIES.

The ferocity that formerly characterized literary criticism has fortunately—or, perhaps, one should say unfortunately—abated. No longer does a writer compose and publish a philippic like that with which the Edinburgh Review assailed Byron's "Hours of Idleness," or Jeffrey cut to pieces Wordsworth's "Excursion." One who dealt out such punishments about a hundred years ago, and who was himself the victim of similar treatment, was John Wilson Croker. A characteristic example of his "bludgeoning" methods, as they have been called, is to be found in his attack in the Quarterly Review on Harriet Martineau, because of what he pretended to consider her audacity and shamelessness in treating the question of population in one number of her Political Economy series. Her handling of the subject was along the purest possible lines, as was that of Malthus, whom she revered and whose lead she followed; but that did not save her from the wrath of Croker, who abused her up hill and down dale and denounced her in all the moods and tenses. Her real offense, in the crusted Tory's eyes, was, apparently, that she was in favor with the Whigs.

In his own time, however, Croker got as good as ever he gave. Macaulay detested him "more than cold boiled veal," and when Croker's edition of Boswell's Johnson was announced in 1831, the versatile tomahawker of the Edinburgh Review determined to review it, and the spirit in which the reviewer approached the subject is well exemplified in his ejaculation: "See whether I don't dust that varlet's jacket for him." Macaulay's venom oozed out of every pore of the article, and, while it had no detrimental effect on the sales of the book, it pilloried the editor of it disgracefully by holding up his private character, his sense of fairness, his accuracy, and his scholarship to contempt, so that poor Croker lived long enough in literary history as an awful example of what a wicked Tory may become.

It is only in comparatively recent times that Croker's reputation has begun to recover. He had his faults, indeed, but, on the whole, he was kindly, generous, patriotic, and industrious. He was a painstaking collector of literary materials, which have proved a boon to later workers in several fields of research. He was broad-minded enough, when he was elected to the house of commons in 1819, to advocate both Catholic emancipation and parliamentary reform, both of which policies were adopted and enacted into law in 1829 and 1832, respectively. And his edition of Boswell's Johnson, on which Macaulay poured so much contempt, has formed the indispensable basis of all subsequent editions of that great book.

THE LOS ANGELES.

The naval dirigible Los Angeles has completed the round trip flight to the Canal Zone. To Commander E. C. Rosendahl the 4,000-mile cruise was "just another successful training trip." The public, however, saw in it more than a training trip, and followed the expedition from start to finish, interested in whether or not the dirigible is commercially adaptable and appraising its performance as compared with that of the airplane.

These things stand out: The dirigible carries a far greater useful load than the airplane. While it does not make as good time as the heavier than air craft, it is able to make satisfactory progress under reasonably favorable conditions. It gets under way with greater ease than the plane. Landing under unfavorable conditions is hazardous. Adverse winds seriously reduce speed.

The Los Angeles left Lakehurst Sunday, February 26, and arrived in the Canal Zone, 2,200 miles away, 40 hours later. It left for Cuba 12 hours later and, facing strong head winds, took 26 hours for the 771-mile flight across the Caribbean. It left Cuba at 10:30 Thursday and covered the 1,400 miles to Lakehurst in 37 hours. The flying time on the homeward flight, not counting 7½ hours required to make a landing, was 63 hours, or 20 more than on the flight outward.

VIEWS OF READERS ON LIVE TOPICS, LOCAL AND OTHERWISE

Intelligence Quotient Rating System in Schools Criticized by Writer as Defeating Purpose of Education, Which Is to Fit the Child for Life in Terms of Life Itself—Grouping Plan Held Unfair to Pupils as They Should Be Equipped to Mingle with People of all Stages of Mentality.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The I. Q. tests that are arousing so much discussion among the public school patrons of the city are hardly worth so much expenditure of energy. That they are used as the basis of marking and influencing the promotion of a school child is to be regretted, yet if the irritated parent should go to the school where his child is branded as an X, Y or Z, he will usually find that it is the sorriest teachers that are delegated to do the branding, and the importance of it should be considered accordingly.

The examinations are all made out by some would-be education expert who considers neither person, experience nor locality. These ready made examinations are supposed to test the child's background and alertness, neither factor of which determines altogether a child's intelligence.

Taking a miscellaneous group of every grade of intellect, from every strata of society, grouped together only because the different members in the group have arrived at the fifth, sixth or seventh grades in the public school system. The group in its entirety is sent to the "special research teacher." She passes out these ready-made blanks and states that eight or ten minutes only will be allowed to answer the questions on the blank. If the subject is reading or history, such questions may be found as this: "Underline the appropriate descriptive adjective, George Washington was slow, brave, crippled, handsome." Of course, every child will probably draw a line at once under brave. For that he gets a score mark of two, perhaps. Another question may not be so easy. "Napoleon was defeated at Elba, Bunker Hill, Waterloo, the Marne." Or this, "Kosciusko came from France, Russia, Poland or England." He may underscore the right word in the short time allotted, or he may not.

In the test on spelling, such words may be given to supply the missing letter, as "rec—iving;" or "atmospher, atmosphear or atmosphere" is to be determined correctly and quickly. The proper adjective to be supplied: "Ice is ——. A lion is ——. Steam is ——. The Mississippi is ——. Electricity ——. Franklin was ——."

In arithmetic such problems as: A quarter of 84 times 4 is what? Which is more, a half-dozen dozen, or six dozen dozen? Which will buy the more, four quarters or ten dimes? How many acres of land at $150 an acre can be bought for $15,000? The questions are given so that knowledge already acquired and quickness in answering are the determining factors.

After the various subjects have been given the allotted time, the papers are taken up and the teacher, supplied with a set of answers and methods of rating, adds up the values of each answered question. All the grades for the various subjects are added, and a common average is obtained. That becomes the child's "I. Q." rating, and by it he is labeled and placed in a brilliant group or in a slow group or in the in-betweens. Then the whole system of treatment is prescribed. If he has a high I. Q. rating he is hurried along—touching the high spots. If he is a low I. Q. he is given a slow drilling process in the same class with the mental subnormals, the irresponsibles, &c.

This method of grouping children is very convenient to the teachers—it is quickly over. If it is successful in grouping it places bright children who have had the advantage of good parental influence in one group, where an expert teacher is provided to get them along at a rapid pace. To the slow group, with many drawbacks, is delegated a hard-visaged, hammer-driving teacher, who proceeds to drive knowledge and discipline in the supposed thick crusts of her charges.

The plan has been criticized by leading educationists as being entirely artificial. The object of all education is to fit the child for life in terms of life itself. In a segregated group this is impossible. In after-school life the child is not to be found surrounded with people of his own mental experience and caliber. He must meet and work with people of every type and every degree of gift. So segregated education defeats the very purpose of education. It is possible for children to learn as much from a miscellaneous group with whom they work 'th as from wonderful textbooks and brilliant teachers. And teachers have not been given a clairvoyant instinct to deal with or even gauge the mental abilities of their pupils. It is said that Woodrow Wilson's teacher said that if she had ever had any idea that she was teaching a future President, she would have taken more pains with him. The duty of every teacher is to treat and teach every child in her care as if he is sure to become a President. The people of biggest capacities are sometimes the hardest to place. G. G.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.

WASHINGTON MONUMENT.
By WILLIAM TIPTON TALBOTT.

In the full glow of Freedom's sun,
Blest cenotaph of Washington,
This great shaft rose above the sod.
Fixed as the fateful path he trod,
Firm as his stride where duty led
And tattered heroes starved and bled;
Serene whatever winds may blow,
In sunshine, rain, hail, sleet or snow,
Come azure sky or sky of gray,
It keeps his memory bright by day.

Strong like his faith far off to see
The Great Republic's destiny;
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With hope undimmed in dire retreat,
The hope that shone a guiding star
Amid the dismal murk of war;
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Farmer Commends Post Editorial On House Action in Relocating Farmers' Market in Southwest Section—Feels That Senate Will See Wisdom of Placing Mart in Wholesale District and Expresses Surprise at Efforts By Those Who Favor Northeast Section.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I wish to commend you on your pointed comment on the relocating of the farmers market on February 28, under "District Bills Passed," saying the House acted wisely in placing the market in the Southwest, where it belongs. Too bad so many well-meaning folks can not see it in the same light. It would seem to me now, after this question has been before the people nearly two years, the public should be so enlightened on the fact, that it's a wholesale and not a retail or consumer market that we are concerned in twisting around a few blocks from its old moorings, that they would be anxious in joining us, that we might expedite the good work of keeping our market in the wholesale district—where it has given entire satisfaction all these years.

I have no desire to belittle the good intentions of many of my farmer friends who have waged a stubborn fight to place the market out Northeast for the purpose of "taking the market to the consumer," but this, I must say, is absurdity carried to extremity, to waste a thought on the futility of doing a producer-to-consumer business through any one wholesale market, no matter where located, in a city the size of Washington now, not to say anything of a future Washington. Unless we can deal with this question in a future light, then we are not worthy of the opportunity of choosing a dog kennel.

I'm glad to know that our farmers are awakening to the advisability of reaching the consumer direct. This feeling, no doubt, will very rightly bring about a good retail market system throughout the residential parts of the city, which will tend to regulate the dealer system—a necessity for which the producer had no redress. The producer and consumer will soon see the wisdom of divorcing the war measure of retailing farm produce at the wholesale market.

Those who have been in the habit of retailing at Center Market would find it to their interest as well as to the consumer to lend their patronage to the retail markets that are or may be established for the convenience of the public.

There are a few who look on the Center Market as a sort of bargain row, with it's picked-over products sold to the consumer after the dealers have carted away the choicest, at a tithe of the cost to the dealer. Surely no fair-minded consumer who has the welfare of the farmer at heart would have a market run for their convenience when such a convenience would bankrupt the farmer.

I don't wonder at some folks seeming puzzled at how the question has passed every time so overwhelmingly in favor of the Southwest in the face of such fabulous fairy tales as those turned in to the Commissioners. Their story, I must admit, at first dumbfounded me, but upon inquiry I found the farmers so divided that I believe a fairly conducted campaign would have shown a majority from this trucking section in favor of the Southwest. While I believe the Senate will see the wisdom of placing the market, or rather keeping the market, where it belongs, I feel it my duty to do my bit to help thwart the movement as outlined by Dr. Symons to his "folks" "to use every influence at their command," when in my opinion it was his duty to work in the interest of wharf advocates the same as for Eckington. So far as I'm able to learn we all pay the same tax rate, a part of which goes to pay his salary. PERRY F. SKINNER,
(A dirt farmer.)

Washington, D. C., March 3.

REFLECTIONS.
By ANNE KELLEDY GILBERT.

Where Leman smiles, the swift gulls take
Blue breastplates from th turquoise lake.
The Dent du Midi's crown of snow
Gleams in the crystal wave below.
Dream-argosies of clouds sail by
Across the arch of azure sky,
And pennant-fragments softly float
To leeward from the mountain-moat
Along the shore green willows weep,
Where soothing waves old secrets keep;
Broad sun-kissed waters sparkle, bright
With diamond points of flashing light,
While from still cypress-shadows dim
There floats a bird's ecstatic hymn.
O spot of beauty, is there sin
And suffering * * * is there war and din * * *
Beyond the softly arching bays
That caress thee all thy tranquil days!
Can there be ugliness on the earth
That brought thee to such perfect birth!
* * * * * *
Geneva sighs, and bends to scan
The tale of life * * * since life began.

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Theft of Chain Bridge and Its Sale as Junk by Enterprising Robber Recalled by Writer, Who Quotes Washington Post Account of Incident in 1886.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In view of the fact that at the present moment there is a good deal of public interest in Chain Bridge because it is closed to vehicular traffic, would it not be timely to reprint the inclosed item, copied from The Post of January 2, 1886? JOHN K. WHITE.

[Washington Post, January 2, 1886.]

A MAN WHO STOLE A BRIDGE.
The Curious Story of an Old Adept in Crime.

Early two years ago an enterprising thief named Albert Davis made a very determined and partly successful effort to steal the Chain Bridge from the upper Potomac, and was not arrested for the larceny until yesterday, when he was taken into custody by Detectives Mattingly and Edelin as he stepped from a train, having just returned from a prolonged visit to the Albany Penitentiary, where he was sent for stealing two cows.

The larceny of the Chain Bridge, for which he is at present under arrest, was conducted so boldly that his design was not even suspected by the bridge officials who saw him removing the iron. It was in broad daylight that Davis carried his design into execution. He hired two wagons in Georgetown and proceeded to the bridge, where he represented to the gentleman in charge, Mr. Hezekiah Gutshall, that he was an official of the District, and in support of this assertion produced an order, to which he had forged the name of Commissioner West, directing Mr. Gutshall to allow the bearer to remove the iron. Mr. Gutshall was completely deceived and allowed Davis to remove bolts and bands and bars until he had filled his wagons with a valuable assortment of bridge irons.

Davis carted his plunder to Georgetown and sold it for a good price to a junk dealer. Two or three days thereafter Mr. Gutshall discovered that Davis was an impostor and immediately reported the matter to the police. Detectives Mattingly and Edelin were assigned to the case and on their first visit to Georgetown they found and recovered all the stolen iron. They also procured a minute description of the thief, but, before they had a chance to effect his capture, he was arrested in Southeast Washington for stealing two cows from a gentleman in that vicinity. When brought up for trial he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the penitentiary for 22 months. His term expired last Tuesday and he returned to this city, only to fall into the clutches of Messrs. Mattingly and Edelin, who had been quietly awaiting his return. He will be brought up for trial on Tuesday, and, as he does not possess a very good record, will probably be returned to Albany for several years.

Gold Near Washington.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: What would anyone say when told that in the vicinity of Washington was a gold bearing area richer in values and larger in extent than any other in this country? They would naturally answer it was not true or it would have been known and reported long since.

When the telephone, wireless and many other scientific discoveries were made they were regarded as absurd and impossible, not worth consideration from a commercial point of view. Why? Because they were not recognized as practical.

During the last century gold was found in abundance in this locality, and many millions of dollars were extracted from the ores, but the prevailing impression has been for a long time that it was all worked out. Experts claimed that at a certain depth the ores became of such low grade it would not pay to work them, and the public was cautioned against investing in any scheme for operating these old mines; therefore, it is a foregone conclusion that any one would be foolish to disregard the opinions of experts.

Is it possible to be mistaken, or is science so far advanced there is no room for improvement? Suppose the experts were wrong, or to make it more explicit, their laboratory methods might fail to give accurate values. So far they were always regarded as reliable, but the fact is they have been found and proved to be incorrect, as the following figures will show:

No. 1 ore, before treatment, assayed $1.45 per ton, and after treatment, $14.10 per ton.

No. 2 ore, before treatment, assayed $4 per ton, and after treatment, $33.15 per ton.

No. 3 ore, before treatment, assayed $24 per ton, and after treatment, $31 per ton.

No. 4 ore, before treatment, assayed $113 per ton, and after treatment, $115 per ton.

Many other assays exhibit values from $4 to $60 per ton.

These nearby ores were all treated by a new process, recovering more than the assay value, besides revealing the fact of high grade ores instead of low grade as was supposed. If these conditions existed in the West, what a rush there would be. GEORGE W. B. EVANS.

Kensington, Md., Feb. 28.

Divorce Decrees Enforceable.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In your editorial, issue of the second, on "Marriage and Divorce," this sentence occurs:

"Mrs. Edward F. White, of Indianapolis, vice president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, struck a keynote for the proponents of the measure with the words: 'The well-being of society as it concerns the relation of the sexes, the legitimacy of offspring and the disposition of property alike require that one state or nation shall recognize the validity of marriages performed in other states or nations according to the law of the latter.'"

The Constitution of the United States (article 4, section 1) requires "that full faith and credit shall be given in each State to the public acts, records and judicial proceedings of every other State," and, says the Supreme Court of the United States (133 U. S. 107), "when duly pleaded and proved in a court of that State, they have the effect of being not merely prima facie evidence, but conclusive proof, of the rights thereby adjudicated, and a refusal to give them the force and effect, in this respect, which they held in the State in which they were rendered, denies to the party a right secured to him by the Constitution and laws of the United States."

Mrs. White, in support of her proposition before the Senate judiciary committee, cited a case from the 76 North Carolina Reports, wherein the Supreme Court held that a marriage between a white person and negro, which had been consummated in South Carolina, where at that time it was legal, was not valid in North Carolina, where it was prohibited; but the couple were citizens of North Carolina, went to South Carolina, married, and immediately returned to the State. The ground of the decision was that, as citizens of North Carolina, they could not so evade its laws. The court sustained an indictment and their conviction for living in adultery. On the other hand, at the same term of the court, in a case reported in the same volume, the court set aside a conviction for the same offense of a white person and negro, who were domiciled and married in South Carolina but afterward removed to North Carolina. Their marriage was legal in South Carolina at the time. There had been no intent to evade the laws of North Carolina. They were not citizens of that State when married. The distinction between the cases is obvious.

The Supreme Court of the United States has declared that a judgment of divorce obtained by a husband in a State to which he had gone in disregard of his duty, upon service of process by publication on the wife, who had remained in the State of the domicile of matrimony and did not appear in the court, is not entitled to full faith and credit outside the State in which the divorce was granted. (201 U. S., 562; 226 U. S., 551; 188 U. S., 28.)

It would be interesting to note the reasoning of the court which, as stated in one of the cases, is as follows: "It can not be doubted that if a State may not forbid the enforcement within its borders of a decree of divorce procured by its own citizens, who, while retaining their domicile in the prohibiting State, have gone to another State to procure a divorce in fraud of the laws of the domicile that the existence of all efficacious power on the subject of divorce will be at an end. This must follow, if it be conceded that one who is domiciled in a State may, whenever he chooses, go into another State, and, without acquiring a bona fide domicile therein obtain a divorce, and then compel the State of domicile to give full effect to the divorce thus fraudulently procured." This ruling, says the court, "leaves uncurtailed the legitimate power of all the States over a subject peculiarly within their authority and thus not only enables them to maintain their public policy, but also to protect the individual rights of their citizens. It does not deprive a State of the power to render a decree of divorce susceptible of being enforced within its borders as to the person within the jurisdiction, and does not debar other States from giving such effect to a judgment of that character as they elect to do under mere principles of State comity. It causes the full faith and credit clause of the Constitution to operate upon decrees of divorce in the respective States just as that cause operates upon all other rights; that is, it compels all the States to recognize and enforce a judgment of divorce rendered in other States where both parties were subject to the jurisdiction of the State in which the decree was rendered."

It follows, then, that under the Constitution and decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, if a decree is regularly obtained in one State it operates in all the States. If not regularly obtained, it may be disregarded in other States.

Mrs. White's "keynote" sounds no new principle of law, unless it is desired to open wide the door of opportunity for divorce decrees fraudulently obtained to become effective in all the States. IREDELL MEARES.

Misrepresentation Is Charged.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The committee on the merchant marine and fisheries of the House favorably reported with certain committee amendments the bill passed by the Senate extending for another year the present jurisdiction of the Federal Radio Commission, restricting the periods of licenses during the year, and limiting the terms of the present commissioners. The House committee amendments struck out the Senate bill provision last mentioned and adopted an amendment designed to insure a fair distribution among the different zones and among the different States within each zone of broadcasting licenses, wave lengths and station power.

Immediately the radio monopoly through its lobbyists and propagandists and with the aid of their faithful ally on the commission, commenced a campaign to defeat this distribution clause. They have sent out telegrams, letters and other communications to broadcasting stations grossly and flagrantly misrepresenting the facts and the purpose and effect of this provision. Among other things they represented to these various broadcasting stations that the adoption of this amendment would result in a deprivation of power or other privileges now enjoyed by them. This naturally perturbed the recipients of such false representations and in accordance with suggestions many of them communicated with their representatives in Congress beseeching them to oppose this provision. However, this campaign of misrepresentation is becoming understood and in my opinion will avail the radio trust nothing. In fact, their unfair tactics and their unjustifiable views of members of Congress are being generally resented.

This is the course that has always been pursued by the radio monopoly when an effort was made by the Congress to break the monopoly stranglehold on radio, and thus protect to some extent the general public interest.

I related many of the particulars about this situation in my speech on the floor of the House today. EWIN L. DAVIS.
Representative from Tennessee.

Washington, D. C., March 2.

On Durable Monuments.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The late Charles W. Eliot held "that the real monuments and the surviving monuments are structures of high and artistic merit which have no uses whatever. The most perfect monument I know on the surface of our earth is the Washington Monument at Washington."

In contrast with those words allow me to quote Bacon's "Advancement of Learning:"

"We see then how far the monuments of w and learning are more durable than the monuments of power of the hands. For have not the verses of Homer continued 2,500 years or more without the loss of a syllable or letter, during which time infinite palaces, temples, castles, cities have been decayed and demolished? It is not possible to have the pictures or statues of Cyrus, Alexander, Caesar; no, nor of the kings or great personages of later years; for the originals can not last and the copies can not but lose of the life and truth. But the images of men's wits and knowledges remain in books, exempted from the wrong of time and capable f perpetual renovation. * * * so that if the invention of the ship was thought so noble, which carrieth riches and commodities from place to place and consociateth the most remote regions in participation of their fruits, how much more are letters to be magnified, which, as ships, pass through the vast seas of time and make ages so distant to participate of the wisdom, illuminations and inventions the one of the other."

HAROLD S. HOWARD.

New York, Feb. 28.

Married Employes' Annuities.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I have read an article written by John R. Weathers on the matter of civil service retirement as it affects married couples in the Government service. At first, I would say that Mr. Weathers evidently is not familiar with the present retirement law. Then again, a little correct figuring on the part of Mr. Weathers will not prove that the entire contributions made to the retirement fund by married couples in the Government will come back to them in a few months.

Government employes under the present law are eligible to retirement at the age of 70 years after 30 years' service, and at a maximum annuity of $1,000 per annum. It might be stated that many of the present retired employes have had many years in excess of the required 30 years' service necessary before being eligible for retirement, so it is logical to expect that any employes retiring hereafter will have rendered the requisite number of years' service to their government.

It appears that Mr. Weathers' article is based on theory, as he states he has no special case in mind, but I feel confident that should he go into the matter more thoroughly his views will change.

The married couples that Mr. Weathers alludes to as being governmentally employed usually become acquainted while in the service and their marriage is a culmination of this friendship. Would he call it injustice to grant these people an annuity after the many years of service necessary to be eligible for retirement? SAMUEL BLUMENTHAL.

CARPE DIEM.
BY STEPHEN B. STANTON.

In mercy add not, O taskmaster Time,
Another to the endless crush of days
That crowd the memory, attention craze,
And overtake with age and unspent prime,
A moment grant us to regain our breath,
To drink the leisure air, have done with haste,
The joy and sweetness of existence taste
Or e'er thy transience swallow all in death.
Ah, many were the pleasant isles of life
On which we thought to linger happy hours
When retrospect, forswearing toil and strife,
Might e'en return and build delightful bowers—
But now they lie beyond engulfing years,
A port of call that sail no longer nears.

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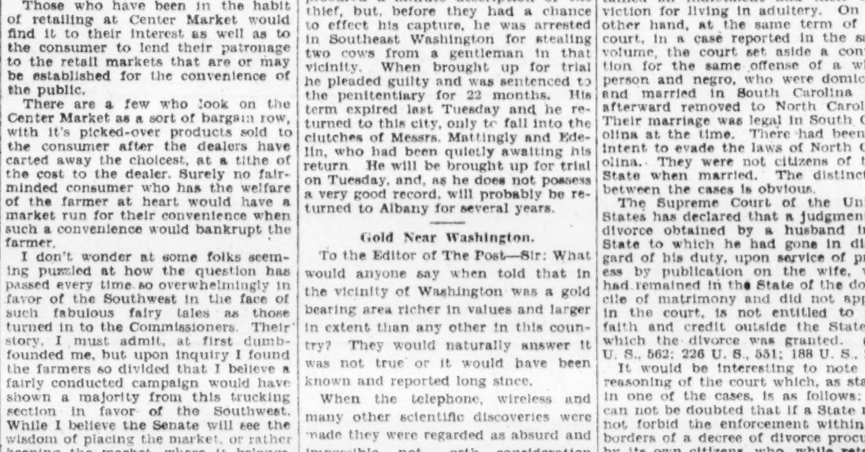
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By CHRISTINE Q. OWENS.

THESE are quiet days at the White House during the absence of Mrs. Coolidge, who went to Northampton Wednesday night on account of the continued illness of her mother, Mrs. Lemira Goodhue.

Mrs. Coolidge was well enough to go down the river on the Mayflower last week-end, but has not yet attempted any formal entertainments since her recovery from her recent illness. As she will probably be in Northampton, where she is the guest of Mrs. R. B. Hills, for several days longer, the President may again be the only guest of honor at the Cabinet dinner given on Tuesday night by the Secretary of Labor and Mrs. James J. Davis. This will be the last of the Cabinet dinners in honor of the President and Mrs. Coolidge this season.

The ladies of the Senate have been meeting every Tuesday for luncheon since the opening of Congress. This custom was organized for Red Cross work during the World War by Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, wife of the Vice President of the United States. It was called "The Ladies of the Senate Unit," and has been a social feature since. Mrs. Coolidge is an honorary president, having served as president when her husband was Vice President, and she often lunches with her fellow club members.

The first meeting this year was held at the Capitol, with Mrs. Charles G. Dawes, president of the club, presiding. Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall sat on her right.

Since then some of the wives of other senators have been acting as hostesses. The hostesses during the last month have been Mrs. James Couzens and Mrs. Woodbridge N. Ferris, who entertained together at the former's home; Mrs. Claude A. Swanson and Mrs. Charles S. Deneen.

The wives of the representatives also used to meet for Red Cross work on a regular day each week during the war. Their club was called the "Genevieve Clark Unit," but was given up after the termination of the war.

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THE SECRETARY OF STATE and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg are having a series of dinners given in their honor. Two days before the beginning of Lent they were entertained by the Minister of Roumania, Mr. George Cretziano, and his daughter, Mlle. Jeanne Cretziano. Last Sunday they were the guests of honor at a dinner given by the Minister of Egypt and Mme. Samy Pasha. On Tuesday night Secretary and Mrs. Kellogg shared the honors with the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard as dinner guests of the Spanish Ambassador and Senora de Padilla.

The Minister of Nicaragua and Senora de Cesar entertained at a dinner on Thursday night for Secretary and Mrs. Kellogg. They had about 50 guests. Their next hosts will be the Minister of Persia, Mirza Davoud Khan Meftah, who lately returned from a visit to New York, where he attended a concert. His dinner will be on March 21, which is the date when the Persian New Year is celebrated.

The Governor of Hawaii and Mrs. Wallace R. Farrington have been the recipients of a great deal of attention since their arrival in Washington. They are the guests of the Secretary of the Interior, Dr. Hubert Work, who has an apartment at Wardman Park Hotel.

It was a happy selection when President Harding appointed Mr. Farrington Governor of Hawaii, as he had lived there a great deal and was beloved all over the islands. In Hawaii many nations are represented. English, Japanese, Chinese, Koreans, Portuguese and Americans are scattered over the islands, and live in perfect harmony.

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HONOLULU is a most attractive spot and is often visited by Americans, especially by those who are on their way to the Far East, as the steamers stop over there for a day or two. The climate is semi-tropical, and soon after landing one is usually greeted by an experience of the sunshine, which really causes quite a beautiful effect. The sun shines quite brightly even while it is raining, and travelers often take photographs while under the protection of an umbrella. There is such wonderful foliage in the garden, and such a magnificent view from the Pali—the favorite place for visitors—that enthusiasts of photography are in their glory.

One of the instances of the tact which has endeared Mrs. Farrington to the people of Hawaii is her costume on the national Hawaiian days, when she receives gowned in the latest "holoku," which is the native dress. The word is a derivation of "holy cloth." Mrs. Farrington's last costume was of white brocaded satin, trimmed with flounces of lace to relieve the severity of the dress.

It has been rumored that the Prince of Wales may go to Honolulu this summer for the celebration of the anniversary of the British occupation of Hawaii. It will be remembered that he was there some years ago, and especially enjoyed the surf riding, which is one of the attractions of the place. If he should go, the Governor and Mrs. Farrington would be his official hosts, and there undoubtedly would be much entertaining done at the time.

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NOTHING interests society more than an engagement, and one of the most interesting of the season came as a great surprise last week. On Tuesday Mrs. K. V. H. Wylie announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Katharine Wylie, to the Rev. Frederic Cunningham Lawrence, son of the Right Rev. William Lawrence, who was formerly Bishop of Massachusetts. He retired from that office about a year ago, and was succeeded by his son-in-law, Bishop Charles L. Slattery, former rector of Grace Church, New York City.

Miss Wylie is the granddaughter of Judge Andrew Wylie, of Civil War fame, and of Mr. James H. Hopkins, who twice represented Pennsylvania in Congress. She graduated from Holton-Arms School and after her debut in Washington several years ago, studied for a year at Oxford University. She has been actively interested in the Girl Scouts, having been their captain for three years. Since then she has been secretary of Girls' Work in All Saint's Episcopal Parish, at Worcester, Mass.

Miss Wylie has traveled a great deal and is very fond of outdoor life. She has a sister, Miss Margaret Wylie, who is a graduate of Bryn Mawr College. Her elder brother, Mr. Andrew Wylie, gave up his collegiate career at Yale during the war to enter the World War, where he served in the Artillery. A younger brother, Mr. Craig Wylie, is a student at Harvard.

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THE REV. FREDERIC CUNNINGHAM LAWRENCE is a graduate from Harvard, where he was in the class of 1920. He afterward went to Corpus Christi College, at Cambridge, England. He continued his study for the ministry at Union Theological Seminary, in New York, and later at the Episcopal Theological School, at Cambridge, Mass., from which he graduated in 1924.

He next served for a year as curate of All Saints' Church, Worcester, Mass., from which parish he was called to St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Cambridge, Mass. He has done notably successful work there.

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WITH the return of the Countess Scherr-Thoss a week from Monday, rehearsals will begin in the ballroom of Mrs. John B. Henderson's home for the "Tableaux Vivants," to be given March 30 at the National Theater. Lady Broderick, wife of the Commercial Counselor of the



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Mme. Van Schuylenburch, wife of the Attache of the Netherlands Legation with her daughter Olga Mary



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Engagements and Weddings of Interest

British Embassy, will assist Countess Scherr-Thoss as casting director.

Each figure has been chosen with regard for historical accuracy as well as beauty, and with regard to the musical accompaniment. Several of the hymns have been arranged by Mr. Percy Atherton from manuscripts in the Congressional Library, with one of the largest choirs in the city and several well-known soloists to carry out this program.

Mlle. Reine Claudel, daughter of the French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel, will represent the shepherdess listening to the voices in the Joan of Arc tableau, which will include Miss Margaret Eustis, Countess Scherr-Thoss and Miss Francesca Stewart.

A scene in a garden in the early seventeenth century will be shown with Miss Gytha Stourton, Miss Janet Phillips and Miss Francesca McKenney in the tableau, assisted by Miss Sheila Broderick and Master Philip Fell, who take the part of the children in the picture. "My Lovely Margaret" will be sung during the scene.

Other participants whose parts have been assigned are Senorita Maria Padilla, daughter of the Ambassador of Spain, and Senora de Padilla; Frau Kiep, wife of the Counselor of the German Embassy; Senora de Bedoya, wife of the Secretary of the Peruvian Embassy; Mme. Weidel, wife of the Commercial Counselor of the Swedish Legation; Miss Theodora Catalani, Miss Aileen O'Donnell, Miss Janet Newbold, Miss Louise Spencer, Miss Margaret Wylie, Miss Evelyn Walker, Miss Louise Conkey, Miss Rosa Saul and Miss Frances Saul. Little children will serve as angels, pages, princes and beggars, according to the demands of the artists.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge will be the guests of honor of the Secretary of Labor and Mrs. James J. Davis at dinner Tuesday evening.

The Vice President and Mrs. Charles G. Dawes were guests in whose honor Senator and Mrs. Hiram Bingham entertained at dinner last evening at the Willard. The other guests were the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard, the Italian Ambassador, Nobile Giacomo de Martino; the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Matsudaira, the Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter, the Minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi, the Minister of the Netherlands and Mme. van Royen, Justice and Mrs. Pierce Butler, Justice and Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Andrew W. Mellon; the Secretary of the Interior, Dr. Hubert Work; Senator Frederick Hale, Senator and Mrs. Hiram Johnson, Senator and Mrs. William Cabell Bruce, Senator and Mrs. Frederick Sackett, Senator and Mrs. Charles Waterman, the Governor of Hawaii and Mrs. Wallace R. Harrington, Representative and Mrs. James Parker, Representative John Q. Tilson, Representative Schuyler Merritt, Miss Louise Merritt, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Frank B. Cheatham, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aeronautics and Mrs. William P. MacCracken, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansing, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William Crozier, Mr. and Mrs. John Philip Hill, Canon and Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. Frank A. West, Mrs. Charles Townsend, Mrs. Lawrence Townsend and Miss Mary Randolph.

The Vice President and Mrs. Dawes will be the guests of honor of the Ambassador of Spain and Senora Dona de Padilla at dinner on Thursday night.

The British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard will be the guests in whose honor the Ambassador of Mexico and Senora Dona de Tellez will entertain at dinner on Wednesday evening.

The Ambassador of Peru, Dr. Herman Velarde, will go to New York tonight to attend the luncheon to be given there tomorrow by the Pan-American Society for the Peruvian delegates to the Havana Conference who are now in New York. The ambassador will return tomorrow.

The Ambassador of Mexico and Senora Dona de Tellez will entertain at dinner tomorrow night in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg.

The Italian Ambassador and Nobil Donna Antoinette Martino will entertain at dinner at the embassy on Tuesday. The ambassador returned to Washington yesterday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg.

The Ambassador of Turkey, Ahmed Moukhtar Bey, was the ranking guest at the dinner given last evening by the Secretary of State and Mrs. Frank B Kellogg at the Pan-American Union. Their other guests were the Ambassador of Germany and Frau von Prittwitz, the Minister of Venezuela and Senora de Grisanti, the Minister of Albania, Mr. Faik Konitza; the Minister of Norway and Mme. Bachke, the Minister of Guatemala, Senor Dr. Don Adrian Recinos; the Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Diez de Medina, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, Senator and Mrs. Lawrence C. Phipps, Senator and Mrs. Tasker L. Oddie, Representative and Mrs. Robert L. Bacon, the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs Francis White, the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Nelson T. Johnson; the Counselor of the Turkish Embassy and Mme. Bedy Bey, the Counselor of the Norwegian Legation and Mme. Lundh, the Director of the Pan-American Union, Dr. Leo S. Rowe; the Secretary of the German Embassy, Herr Emil L. Baer; Col. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee, Capt. Wilson Brown, U. S. N., and Mrs. Brown, the Assistant Military Attache of the British Embassy, Maj. W. H. S. Alston; Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Ellis, Mrs. Robert Bacon, sr., Mrs. Joseph Leiter, Mrs. Louis Titus, Senorita Carmen Teresa Grisanti, Senorita Maria Hortensia Diez de Medina, Miss Alice B. Davis, Miss Katharine Wilkins, Miss Anne Squire, the chief of the Division of Latin American Affairs of the Department of State and Mrs. Stokeley W. Morgan, the chief of the division of the Near Eastern affairs of the Department of State, Mr. G. Howland Shaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Schoellkopf.

The German Ambassador and Mme. von Prittwitz were the guests in whose honor Representative and Mrs. Fred Britten entertained at dinner last evening.

Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow, wife of the American Ambassador to Mexico, is at the Homestead, at Hot Springs, Va.

Mrs. William Howard Taft, wife of the Chief Justice, will not receive tomorrow afternoon.

The Minister of China and Mme. Sze will entertain at dinner in honor of the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard on Tuesday evening.

The Minister of Switzerland and Mme Peter will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at the legation.

The Minister of Norway and Mme Bachke will entertain a company of 24 in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Kellogg at the Wardman Park Hotel on Thursday.

The Minister of Venezuela and Senora de Grisanti entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of the United States Minister to Venezuela and Mrs. Willis C. Cook. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Darton, Mrs. Arthur Wasserback, Mr. Horatio Darton, jr., the counselor of the legation, Dr. Francisco Yanes; the secretary of the legation, Senor Don Luis Churion; the attache of the legation, Senor Dr. Don Manuel Egana, and Senorita Maria Louisa Grisanti, and Senorita Carmen Teresa Grisanti.



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Chairman of patronesses for the Mi Careme Dance, which takes place March 15 at the Mayflower Hotel under the auspices of the Washington Monticellians.

Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, was the ranking guest at a luncheon given by Miss Callie Doyle on Friday at the Mayflower. Covers were laid for ten.

The Secretary of the Interior, Dr. Hubert Work, will be the ranking guest at the dinner to be given Monday by Representative and Mrs. Adam M. Wyant at the Wardman Park Hotel in honor of the Governor of Hawaii and Mrs. Wallace R. Farrington. Rear Admiral and Mrs. Robert E. Coontz will come from Hampton Roads, Va., to attend the dinner.

The Secretary of Labor and Mrs. James J. Davis will be the guests in whose honor Representative and Mrs. Albert Johnson will entertain at dinner on March 14.

Mrs. Borah Honor Guest.

Mrs. William E. Borah, wife of Senator Borah, and Mrs. Edward J. Norton, wife of the chairman of the executive committee on the Foreign Service Personnel Board, were the ranking guests at the luncheon given yesterday by Mme. Karl Von Lewinski at the Carlton.

Senator Royal S. Copeland will return this evening to the Wardman Park Hotel after passing several days in New York. Mrs. Copeland will remain in New York until Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas D. Schall, wife of Senator Schall, will not receive Thursdays, but will be at home informally Sundays after March 25.

Mrs. Hugo L. Black, wife of Senator Black, of Alabama, will have assisting her on her day at home at the Wardman Park Hotel Thursday her mother, Mrs. Sterling Foster, of Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, wife of Senator Swanson, is out of town for a few weeks.

Representative and Mrs. Charles Linthicum will entertain at dinner followed by a musicale on Friday evening.

Representative and Mrs. Henry Riggs Rathbone entertained at dinner last evening at the Wardman Park Hotel, when they had sixteen guests.

Mrs. Charles A. Eaton, wife of Representative Eaton, will be at home at the Wardman Park Hotel on Tuesday, when she will have receiving with her their daughter, Mrs. George His, of Boston. Mrs. His is passing several months with Dr. and Mrs. Eaton while Mr. His is in Europe.

Mrs. Adam M. Wyant, wife of Representative Wyant, will entertain Tuesday at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Robert E. Coontz, wife of Rear Admiral Coontz, at the Chevy Chase Club

Mrs. Fred Britten, wife of Representative Britten, had as her guests at luncheon at the Carlton yesterday Mrs Frederic McKenney, Mrs. William Rapley and Mme. Sanchez Latour, widow of the late Minister of Gautemala.

The Chief of Staff of the Army and Mrs. C. P Summerall entertained at a dinner last last Friday night at the Officers' Club, Army War College.

The guests included Senator and Mrs. L. D. Tyson, Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. William Bowie, Mrs C. L'H Ruggles, Col. and Mrs C. H. Conrad, jr., Col. and Mrs W. V. Morris, Col. and Mrs. F. R. Brown Col. and Mrs. E. S. Hartshorn, Col and Mrs. N. B. Rehkopf, Col. and Mrs. A T. Ovenshine, Mrs. Archie Miller, Col. S. H. Ford, Maj. and Mrs. B. T. Merchant, Col. and Mrs. Edmond R. Tompkins, Capt. and Mrs. H. T. Allen jr., Col. and Mrs. Andrew Moses, Col and Mrs. W. K. Wilson, Col. and Mrs. William Taylor, jr., Capt. and Mrs. F. D. Sharp, Col. and Mrs. D. P. Quinlan, Col. Harry G. Bishop and Lieut. and Mrs. C. P. Summerall, jr.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Summerall will be at home at Fort Myer today from 4 to 6. The following Army ladies will assist Mrs. Summerall: Mrs. Charles H. Bridges, Mrs. William Chamberlaine, Mrs. H. O. Williams, Mrs. Benjamin D. Foulois, Mrs. Arthur C. Cowan, Mrs. Howard L. Landers, Mrs. Cadmus J. Baker, Mrs. Richard D. Newman, Mrs James C. Magee and Mrs. Samuel J. Randall. Mrs. Summerall will be the guest of honor of Mrs. H. L. Landers, wife of Col. Landers, at luncheon at the Willard on Wednesday.

Mme. Bedoya at Home.

Mme. Bedoya, wife of the Secretary of the Peruvian Embassy, had assisting her at her "at home" in her apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel yesterday afternoon Senora de Padilla, wife of the Spanish Ambassador; Senorita Dona Rosa Padilla and Senorita Dona Maria Padilla; Mme. Kiep, wife of the Counselor of the German Embassy; Mrs. T. G. Hetherington, wife of the Air Attache of the British Embassy; Mme. Lombard, wife of the Assistant Military Attache of the French Embassy; Mme. Mascia, wife of the Secretary of the Italian Embassy, and Mrs. Harold Sims, wife of the Attache of the British Embassy.

Mrs. W. Irving Glover, wife of Assistant Postmaster General Glover, will be at home at the Wardman Park Hotel on Wednesday afternoon.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Aviation, Mr. Edward P. Warner, and Miss Elizabeth Warner entertained the Bulgarian Minister and Mme. Radewa and Capt. and Mrs. Emory Scott Land at dinner at the Wardman Park Hotel last evening, later taking their guests to the theater. Miss Warner will continue her Monday afternoons at home until April 9.

Mrs. Finis J. Garrett, Mrs. James V. McClintic, Mrs. Carroll B. Reese, Mrs. Ralph E. Updike and Mrs. Robert G. Houston, wives of members of Congress living at 1616 Sixteenth street, will be at home on Tuesday from 4 until 6:30 o'clock in the apartment of Mrs. Garrett. They will be assisted by Mrs Key Pittman, Mrs. Peter Goelet Gerry, Mrs. Porter H. Dale, Mrs. Lawrence D. Tyson, Mrs. Arthur R. Robinson, Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Mrs. Elmer Thomas, Mrs. Henry Allen Cooper, Mrs. Cordell Hull, Mrs. Albert H. Vestal, Mrs John W. Summers, Mrs. E. Hart Fenn, Mrs. Fletcher B. Swank, Mrs. Sol Bloom, Mrs. Gordon Browning, Mrs. S. D. McReynolds, Mrs. Edward W. Eslick and Mrs. Everett Sanders.

Among the young girls who will assist will be Miss Live McClintic, Miss Julia Davis, Miss Elizabeth Houston, Miss Reta Doughton and Miss Jean Summers.

Rear Admiral R. E. Coontz, in command of the Fifth Naval District at Hampton Roads, and Mrs. Coontz will arrive tomorrow to be the guests of Representative and Mrs. Adam Wyant at the Wardman Park Hotel for a few days. They will attend the dinner given by their hosts in honor of the Governor of Hawaii and Mrs. Wallace R. Farrington tomorrow evening.

Dr. and Mme. Karl Von Lewinski will entertain at dinner this evening for the members of the German-American Mixed Claims Commission and the staff of the German Embassy, when there will be twenty guests.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Herbert Owen Williams entertained in their box at the drill at Fort Myer Friday afternoon, when their guests were Representative and Mrs. James S. Parker, Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Mrs. Daniel Reed, Miss Reed and Miss Alexandria Annesley.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilkins and their daughter, Miss Katharine Wilkins, have gone South for two weeks.

Judge and Mrs. O. M. Barber have with them at the Wardman Park Hotel for a week's visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E Howard, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins will entertain at a tea on Thursday. Mrs. Elkins will also entertain at dinners on Wednesday and on Saturday.

Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke and her daughter, Miss Frances McKee, will sail on March 24 for England. Miss McKee will be presented at the court of St James this spring.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. John W. Joyes entertained at dinner at the Chevy Chase Club last evening in honor of the Chief of Staff of the Army and Mrs. Charles P. Summerall and the Commandant of the War College and Mrs. William Connor. Those asked to meet them were Representative and Mrs. Henry Winfield Watson, Miss Gertrude Myer, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Lutz Wahl, Maj. Gen. John L. Chamberlain, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Campbell King, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Mrs. Colden L. H. Ruggles, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Samuel Hof, Brig. Gen. William E. Horton, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Chase Kennedy, the Assistant Military Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Lombard and the District Commissioner and Mrs. William B. Ladue.

Strauss—Archbold Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Lydia Archbold, daughter of Mrs. Anne Archbold, to Lieut. Elliott B. Strauss, son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Joseph Strauss, took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the bride's home, Canon Anson Phelps Stokes officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. John Archbold, of New York, and wore a gown of white satin made on long straight lines and a veil of brussels lace. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Miss Helen Strauss, sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor and wore a gown of burnt orange chiffon with a hat to match, and carried a bouquet of yellow tea roses. The bridesmaids were Miss Anna Scott and Miss Susan Scott, of Philadelphia; Miss Bessie Aspinwall and Miss Margaret Partridge, of New York, and Miss Claire Hellmann, of San Francisco. They wore frocks like that of the maid of honor.

The best man was Mr. Blackwell Newhall, of Philadelphia, and the ushers were Mr. Archbold Van Beuren, of Newport, R. I; Mr. Armar Archbold and Mr. John Archbold, brothers of the bride; Mr. James Byrne, of New York; Mr. Lawrence Smith, of Philadelphia, and Lieut. Pierre Bernard, U. S. N. A reception followed the ceremony, after which Lieut. and Mrs. Strauss started for a three-months' motor trip through Europe.

Mrs. Sydney Amos Cloman has issued cards for an at home this afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock in honor of Mme. Groultch.

Mrs. Howard Davidson will be at home informally at Boiling Field this afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Mears, who passed the winter at the Mayflower, have gone to Pinehurst, N. C., where they will remain for part of the spring season before returning to their home in Scranton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Harriman have issued cards for an at home March 14 in honor of Mrs. James P. Andrews.

Former Gov. Nathan Miller, of New York, and Mrs. George Gordon Battle arrived yesterday at the Mayflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee P. Warren, who have been passing a few days in New York, have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford, who have been passing the winter in France, motored to the Riviera for the spring months.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Southgate will go to Boston about the middle of the week for a brief visit, returning to the Wardman Park Hotel about the middle of the month.

Col. and Mrs. Jerome G. Pillow entertained 36 guests at dinner last evening at the Chevy Chase Club.

Mrs. William Harvey Van Fossan, of Lisbon, O., who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Judge and Mrs. Ernest Harvey Van Fossan, at the Wardman Park Hotel, has gone to Maplewood, N. J.

Quartermaster Corps Dance.

Last night at 2400 Sixteenth street, there was a dance under the auspices of the Quartermaster Corps of the Army. The dance was promoted with a view to raise funds for the budget of the welfare association.

The guests numbered over 300. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Francis H. Pope, Mrs. B. F. Cheatham, wife of Maj. Gen. Cheatham, Col. William R. Gibson, Maj. Neill E. Bailey and Maj. Louis C. Wilson were among the guests. The following committee had charge of the arrangements: Mrs. Anna Farrar, Chief Welfare Service; Miss Lillian Souder, Herbert Solomon, Maj. G. D. Murphy, Charles Rintz, Mrs. Elsie K. Dewey, Miss Rose V. McCawley, Miss Mabel Jenkins, Miss Vera E. Bennington, Miss Helen McAleer, Miss Annie Jane Lillard, A. B. Moreland, R. S. Kirkwood, Miss Edith E. Kelly, Miss Edna Davies, Capt. C. L. Middleton, A. L. Husted, Miss M. G. Baden and Miss Marie M. Bredekamp.

Mrs. Samuel Kauffman has gone to Palm Beach, Fla., with her children to pass several weeks.

Mrs. A. W. Dunn, wife of Lieut. Commander Dunn, U. S. N., has returned to Washington to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Frederic Duncan McKenney, dining with her tonight at the Mayflower.



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COUNTESS DE BERLANGA DE DUERO,
Wife of the new Attache to the Spanish Embassy, who has arrived at the Wardman Park Hotel, where they will live.

Mrs. Thomas Dimond, of New York, is at the Willard, where she will remain over the week-end.

Miss Barbara Boss entertained at luncheon at the Chevy Chase Club Thursday, in honor of Miss Frances Hopkins, who after being in Washington at Wardman Park Inn for the last month, went to New York Friday on her way to Fort Ethan Allen, Burlington, Vt., where her father is commandant of the post. Miss Boss luncheon guests were Miss Fannie Dial, Miss Helen Gatley, Miss Harriet Huntress, Miss Dorothea Lane, Miss Hester Anne LeFevre, Mrs E. P. Moore, Miss Harriet Whitford and Miss Sara Worthington.

Miss Agnes Bass, daughter of Capt and Mrs. I. E. Bass, gave a bridge party on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Catherine Burke, of Kansas City, and Miss Bernice Casey, of Cambridge, Mass. The other guests were Miss Marion Chance, Miss Virginia Mitchell, Miss Catherine Burke, Miss Ruth Jones, Miss Helen Stanley, Miss Catherine Carr, Miss Bonnie Holmes, Miss Jackie Mansfield, Miss Rachael Steele, Miss Anne Coogan and Miss Katherine Moply.

Miss Boteler Engaged.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Pierce Boteler announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Boteler, to Mr Alvan Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, of Swampscott, Mass Mr. Fisher is a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, class of 1922, and of the Massachuset's Institute of Technology. The wedding will take place in the fall

Mrs. L. W. Cass entertained at a bridge luncheon at the Wardman Park Hotel on Friday, when she had two tables.

Mr. Ernest L. May, of 1627 Nineteenth street northwest, announces the engagement of his niece, Miss Virginia May, to Mr. William Harrison Merrill, jr., of Pocomoke City, Md. The wedding to take place in the early part of April.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Quincy Smith entertained at dinner in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ellery C. Stowell at their home in Massachusetts Avenue Park on Friday evening. Their other guests were Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sholes, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bryan, and Mr. Floyd Gibbons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Comins have been joined at the Powhatan by their daughter, Miss Barbara Comins, of Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. George S. Wilson, of Westport, Conn., will come tomorrow to be at the Grace Dodge Hotel.

Mrs. George Friedlander has gone to New York to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Dorothy Marrow. Mrs. Friedlander will be absent for several weeks.

Mr. Eben P. Comins will give a studio tea this afternoon at 1611 Connecticut avenue. His large portrait of Col Charles A. Lindbergh will be on exhibition with recent portraits and the picture "Peri and Perses," awarded first prize by the Washington Society of Artists. Mrs. George Barnett, Miss Alida Henriques, Mrs. William Fitch Kelley and Mrs. Emory S. Land will pour tea, and Miss Theodora Catalani, with Miss Janet Phillips, Miss Victoria Tytus and Miss Evelyn Walker, will assist. Mr. Comins will be host to the art students' class of public and private schools on Wednesday and Friday at 3:15, and the exhibition will be open to the public all week from 11 to 4 o'clock, closing with a tea on Sunday, March 11.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee entertained at an informal luncheon at the Carlton Hotel yesterday in honor of Mrs. Thomas D Schall, wife of Senator Schall, of Minnesota. The guests were Mrs. Walter George, Mrs. John Dunn, Mrs. W. W Overton, Mrs. Walter Wells, and Miss Virgila Stephens.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Keller went to Atlantic City yesterday where they will remain for about ten days.

Minnesota State Ball.

Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, was a guest of honor and speaker at the military ball given by the Minnesota State Societ, at the New National Press Club Auditorium Tuesday. The ball was given in honor of Army and Navy officers from Minnesota who are stationed in or near Washington. Disabled veterans from Minnesota who are in local Veterans' Bureau hospitals were invited as special guests of the society, in addition to the officials of the numerous veterans' organizations. The affair had the department commander of every veterans' organization in the District present, and included among others the following: Maj. Gen. Edgar Jadwin, Chief of Engineers, and Mrs. Jadwin, Department Commander J. Miller Kenyon, of District of Columbia, and Mrs. Kenyon, Col. John Thomas Taylor, chairman of national committee of legislation of American Legion, and Mrs. Taylor, Department Commander of Spanish-American War Veterans Albert Michaud and Mrs. Michaud, Commander Joseph Beattie, Department of Veterans of Foreign Wars of the District of Columbia, and Mrs. Beattie, Capt. Thomas Kirby, national legislative committee chairman of Disabled American Veterans; Capt. Fred Kochli, department commander of Disabled American Veterans; Senior Vice Commander J. Thad Baker, of American Legion of District of Columbia, and Mrs. Baker, Commander Mary A. Hickey, Delano Post, No. 6; Commander E. J. Brown, Beauchaine Post; Commander Mabel Stub, Jacob Jones Post; Col. J. I. McMullen, Judge Advocate General and Mrs. McMuller, Mr. Richard O'Neill, national chief of staff of Disabled American Veterans; Past Vice Commander of American Legion William N. Morell and Mrs. Morell, Miss Helen O'Neill, department welfare officer of American Legion; Department Commander of American Legion of North Dakota C. L. Dawson and Mrs. Dawson, Past Commander E. J. St. Jacques, Equality-Walter Reed Post of Veterans of Foreign Wars; Sergt. Acors R. Thompson, department color bearer of Veterans of Foreign Wars; Col. Frank White, Treasurer of United States; Mrs. Charles P Summerall, jr., Representative Walter H. Newton, Representative and Mrs. Frank Clague, Representative and Mrs C. G. Selvig, Attorney General of Minnesota G. A. Youngquist, State Senator G. H. Sullivan, Col. John A. Lockwood, Maj. and Mrs. James B. Woolnough, Maj. and Mrs. Thatcher B Walker, Capt. and Mrs. Frank B. Haynes, Mr. W. J. Blake, Legionnaire from New York, and Mrs. Blake, Mr. P. J. Ryan, of St. Paul; William B. Caviness, in addition to the guests of honor. There was a program of Hawaiian songs and music which was rendered by a quintet of native Hawaiians.

Miss Laurita Curtón, Miss Dorothy Gorman, Miss Ena B. Trice an Miss Josephine Meinekheim are attending a house party in New York over the week-end.

Miss Marguerite Rusling Mesny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lee Mesny, is the guest of Maj. and Mrs. William Jones at West Point, N. Y. for the annual Hundredth Night dramatic performance at the Military Academy.

Mrs. Walter H. Bowes, of Greanwich, Conn., has taken a suite at the Ward-

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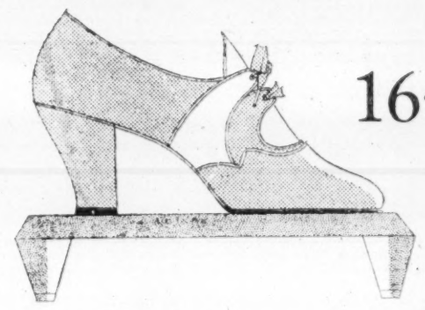
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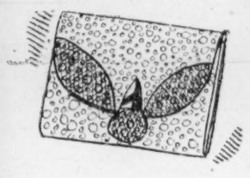
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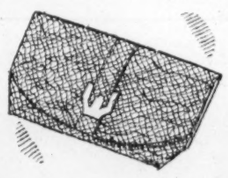
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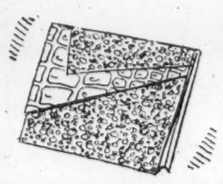


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Mrs. C. H. Heath, of Jacksonville, Fla., is at the Grace Dodge Hotel for about ten days. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McSpanen, of New York, are also at the hotel.

The French Ambassador, M. Paul Claudel, was accompanied by a number of the members of the embassy staff in attending the lecture given by Miss Dorothy Quincy-Smith on French North Africa last evening at the Wardman Park Theater. Additional patrons and patronnesses for the lecture, the proceeds of which will be given to the Maison Francaise at Columbia University, were Senator and Mrs. Royal S. Copeland, Senator and Mrs. Edward I. Edwards, Representative and Mrs. Adam Wyant, Representative and Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom, Assistant Postmaster General and Mrs. W. Irving Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Southgate, Col. and Mrs. Frank L. Hatch and Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. George R. Farnum.

Colombian Women Guests.

The Columbian Women of George Washington University will hold a reception in honor of Representative Fred A. Britten, of Illinois, on Tuesday evening, in Corcoran Hall of the University. Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, president of the Columbian Women, will receive. Following the reception Representative Britten, who is ranking member of the naval affairs committee of the House, will give a talk on "The American Navy and Its Relation to World Peace." Members of the Columbian Women are invited to bring guests.

Mrs. John A. Kratz, president of the board of lady visitors for the Washington Home for Children, at 1715 Fifteenth street, announces a benefit card party to be given March 19 at 2 o'clock at Wardman Park Hotel.

The American Poetry Circle entertained in honor of Mrs. Henry Riggs Rathbone at the Mayflower Hotel Tuesday evening. Original poems were read by Mrs. Rathbone, Mrs. Woodland Gates, Miss Florence Radcliffe, Miss Anne Taylor, Mrs. Merritt Carr, Miss Mabel Vincent, Miss Maud Scruggs and Maj. C. S. Jarvis. Miss Florence Radcliffe's poem "Lindbergh" and Miss Maud Scruggs' on "Wodrow Wilson" were among the last twelve selected from America and Canada for the "London Review Magazine" contest. The Circle Magazine, edited by Mrs. Leacy Naylor Greenleach, of New York City, offers a prize for the best sonnet. This prize is presented by the Washington branch in honor of Miss Elizabeth Toldridge, president of the District of Columbia of the American Poetry Circle, closing August 1.

The Columbia Hospital Ball at the Willard Hotel will be held Monday night, April 16. Mrs. Frank B. Freyer, chairman of the ball committee, announces the following list of patronnesses for the event, headed by Mrs. Calvin Coolidge and Mrs. Charles G. Dawes: Mrs. Louis D. Brandeis, Mrs. Dwight F. Davis, Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, Mrs. William M. Jardine, Mrs. James J. Davis, Mrs. Hiram Bingham, Mrs. Henry W. Keyes, Mrs. William H. King, Mrs. Key Pittman, Mrs. Francis E. Warren, Mrs. Henry T. Allen, Mrs. Tasker H. Bliss, Mrs. Sol Bloom, Miss Mabel Boardman, Mrs. Frank B. Cheatham, Mrs. William D. Connor, Mrs. Parker Corning, Mrs. Gordon Cumming, Mrs. John W. Davidge, Mrs. F. Trubee Davison, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, Mme. Ekengren, Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Mrs. Henry Fitzhugh, Mrs. Amos A. Fries, Mrs. Louis A. Frothingham, Mrs. William Felton Ham, Mrs. John J. Hamilton, Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Mrs. Edward A. Harriman, Mrs. Eli A. Helmick, Mrs. Andrew Hero, Mrs. Frank S. Hight, Mrs. John A. Hull, Mrs. William Chapin Huntington, Mrs. M. W. Ireland, Mrs. Paul Evarts Johnson, Mrs. Francis T. A. Junkin, Miss Louise F. King, Mrs. Wilton J. Lambert, Mrs. John B. Larner, Mrs. Frank Letts, Mrs. Demarest Lloyd, Mrs. James Alex Lyon, Mrs. Ann Dupuy McCormick, Mrs. Adolph C. Miller, Mrs. G. Brown Miller, Mrs. Ogden Mills, Mrs. Upshur Moorhead, Mrs. Francois Berger Moran, Mrs. John Wise Morse, Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. A. Chambers Oliphant, Mrs. William McClellan Ritter, Mrs. Everett Sanders, Mrs. Mary Stewart, Mrs. Charles P. Summerall, Mrs. Amy N. Talbot, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mrs. Alfred P. Thom, Mrs. Corcoran Thom, Mrs. Winslow Van Devanter, Mrs. Lutz Wahl, Mrs. Frank West, Mrs. Charles Noughton Wood, Mrs. Arthur Lee Willard, Mrs. Clarence C. Williams and Miss Elizabeth Woodward.



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Pen Women's Breakfast.

The authors' breakfast of the National League of American Pen Women, which was originated by Mrs. Grace Geldert during her term of office as national president of the league, 1922-24, will take place this year on April 14 at 12 o'clock at the Willard Hotel. Mrs. Grace Thompson Seton, national president, is chairman of the breakfast and is arranging an unusual program for the event. The breakfast this year will be attended by a large number of members of the organization from all over the country as the biennial convention and election of national officers is being held at the Willard from April 11 to 15 and the breakfast will be one of the features of the convention.

Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes, who is in charge of reservations, announces that tables are being rapidly taken, even at this early date. Each table seats ten guests and entire tables or individual seats may be reserved. Among the out-of-town subscribers are: Mrs. Margaret Scruggs Carruth, of Texas; Mrs. Nellie Molyneux, of New York State; Mrs. Katharine Chapman and Mrs. Kate Speake Penney, of Alabama; Mrs. Clyde Robertson, of Colorado; Mrs. Harriet D. Prentiss, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Eleanor Hemsley, of Baltimore, who has taken two tables for the Baltimore branch; Mrs. Clara T. H. Hatheway and Miss Annie E. Trumbull, of Connecticut, and Mrs. Lucy Noble, of Florida.

The Alumnae Association of Randolph-Macon Woman's College will have a dinner on Tuesday at the Grace Dodge Hotel. The alumnae of Baltimore will join in this event to honor the founder of the college, Dr. William Waugh Smith. Dr. Lucile Dooley, an alumna, will be present and make the principal address. Miss Alice Hersey is president of the Washington branch of the association.

Mrs. Will C. Barnes is heading a group of women of the Twentieth Century Club, who have bought up the National Theater for the evening of March 26 and will sponsor a performance for the benefit of Friendship House.

The Mizpah Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will give their annual card party and dance in the ballroom at the Wardman Park Hotel on the evening of March 16. Mrs. Mildred King is matron and Mr. Howard P. Short patron of the chapter.

There will be an exhibition of drawings, painting and sculpture by Junior League members at the Junior League clubroom, Nineteenth and Q, beginning tomorrow.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Pretlow Hunnicutt, 332 Tenth street northeast, was the scene of a wedding Tuesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Ida Maxwell Hunnicut, became the bride of Mr. Wallace Peyton Scrivener. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by the Rev. A. E. Barrons, pastor of the Eastern Presbyterian Church, the immediate families of the bride and bridegroom being present.

The bride wore a white chiffon dress made along simple lines and her only ornaments were a short strand of pearls at the neck and a rhinestone bandeau on her head. She carried a shower bouquet of white Killarney roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Edna Sechrest, from High Point, N. C., who wore a chiffon dress of anemone pink and carried a bouquet of pink radiance roses. The bridegroom's only attendant was his brother, Mr. Frank Scrivener. Before the ceremony Miss Margaret Cassels sang "Because" and a stringed orchestra played Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." The bride, escorted by her father, who gave her in marriage, walked down the stairs on to the circular window that had been made into a bower of smilax and roses. The house was decorated with palms, smilax and radiance roses. Following the reception the bride and bridegroom departed on a wedding trip North. The bride's going-away outfit was a navy georgette dress with navy coat to match trimmed with caracul fur and a close-fitting tan hat. After March 15 the couple will be at home at 506 East Capitol street. Mrs. Scrivener is a graduate of Eastern High School and the Southern Conservatory of Music. Mr. Scrivener is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Scrivener, of Durham, N. C., and a member of a real estate firm in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kirstein announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Edythe Kirstein, to Mr. Robert Mars. The wedding will take place in the early spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Cunningham have returned to their home in Chevy Chase, Md., after spending several weeks in Florida.



MRS. JACOB LEANDER LOOSE
Who is spending some time at the Mayflower Hotel and who entertained the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. William Jardine at dinner on Tuesday, when the guests included many of their mutual official friends from the Middle West.

Missouri Glee Club Patrons.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Dwight F. Davis, Gen. John J. Pershing, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Senator and Mrs. James A. Reed, Senator and Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Mrs. Selden Palmer Spencer, Representative and Mrs. Joe J. Manlove, Mrs. Bessie Baeuggeman, Mrs. Emilie Newell Blair and Dr. Louise Stanley head the list of patrons and patronesses for the University of Missouri Glee Club concert and dance, which will be held at the Washington Hotel in the hall of the nations on the night of March 13.

The University of Missouri Glee Club has again defeated all of the glee clubs from various universities in the Middle West, and is coming East to compete for national honors. In the competitive meet of all college glee clubs of the Nation held at New York last year, the University of Missouri Glee Club was awarded second prize. It, therefore, ranks very high among vocal musical organizations in the United States.

The concert here is to be given under the auspices of the University of Missouri Alumni Association. The officers of the local association are Mr. John S Hornback, '16, president, and Miss Jena d'Imhoff, '18, secretary-treasurer

Mr John B. Gordon, '09, Mr. Floyd Hanly, '09, and Mrs. James H. Van Wagenen, '07, are in charge of arrangements for the concert and dance.

Dr. Louis K. Anspacher will give a series of four lectures under the patronage of the same group that sponsored his lectures at the home of Mrs. Henry F. Dimock at the Mayflower, beginning Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. George C. Thorpe, who is again the chairman, announces that the new talks will be on the subject, "Woman, as the Philosophers Have Seen Her," the four mornings to be devoted to the pagan woman, the women of the Bible, the women of the Renaissance, and, last, the modern woman herself. The committee, under Mrs. Thorpe, is headed by Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, and consists of Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Mrs. Brewster Marwick, Mrs. Henry Wingfield Watson, Mrs. Henry Leonard, Mrs. William Fitch Kelley, Mrs. Charles Oman, and Miss Vera Bloom. Dr. Anspacher's audience will include Mrs. Taft, Mme. Marc Peter, Countess Szechenyi, the Minister of Finland, the Minister of Czechoslovakia, the Serbian Minister, Mrs. Edward Sanford, Mrs. Hiram Bingham, Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood, Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, Mrs. Copley Amory, the Counselor of the German Embassy and Mme. Kiep, Baroness Hauenschield, Miss Bell Gurnee, Dr. David Jayne Hill and Mr. C. Bascom Slemp.

Annual U. D. C. Party.

The District of Columbia division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will give its annual bridge and 500 card party at the Willard Monday evening, March 19. The committee in charge is Mrs. Walter E. Hutton, chairman; Mrs. Edward F. Wood, vice chairman; Mrs. William A. King, Mrs. Benjamin Grady, Mrs. Alma Donaldson, Mrs. Frederick Yates, Mrs. Ritchie Roberts, Mrs. Garnett Lee, Mrs. I. W. Gibson, Mrs. N. F. Rabner and Miss Katherine Blount. The division officers, Mrs. Albion W. Tuck, Mrs. A. Eugene Barr, Mrs. William A. King, Mrs. Elizabeth Leatzow, Mrs. G. H. Alexander, Mrs. E. H. Lynham, Miss C. Blanche Sinclair, Mrs. Lorena Hewett, Mrs. Maud Howell Smith, Mrs. Frank Goodman, Mrs. Edward F. Wood, Mrs. Clara O'B. McCrone and Mrs. W. H. Almand will be hostesses for the occasion.

Additional patrons for the Schubert Centennial Festival concerts March 12, 19 and 26, to be given by the Elena de Sayn String Quartet, are Nobil Donna Antonietta de Martino, Justice and Mrs. William Hitz, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Coonley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Droop, Mrs. W. F. Kelley, Mr. Lynch Luquer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merillat and Mrs. L. Groomes.

Mrs. Minnegerode Andrews, chairman of the committee on decorations for the Mi Careme dance, which is to be given for the benefit of Monticello March 15 at the Mayflower Hotel, has called a meeting of her committee for tomorrow morning. Associated with Mrs. Andrews on this committee are Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Mrs. Albert N. Baggs, Mrs. William Laird Dunlop, jr., and Mr. Lucien Powell, who will be assisted by the art students of the King-Smith School. Some charming sketches for the scheme of decoration have been made by Mr. Powell and Mrs. Andrews and will be presented at the meeting.

The lower boxes are to be treated as little country porches, doorways, summer houses, old-fashioned flower gardens and pergolas, giving the ballroom floor the appearance of a village green upon which the merrymaking will take place. Something of the atmosphere of a country fair will enter into the scheme, and plans for promoting this feature are now under way.

From the upper boxes long trailing vines intermingled with gay flowers will give added beauty to the scene, which is to be one of spring-like freshness and charm.

Mrs. Delos A. Blodgett, chairman of the dance, desires to emphasize the fact that the ball is a tribute to Thomas Jefferson as a lover of nature, and urges the participation of the general public in the event, which is being given to reduce the mortgage still remaining on Monticello, now the property of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation, which has made of it a patriotic shrine second only to Mount Vernon. Reservations may be made through Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes, the Mayflower Hotel or Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood, chairman of boxes.

Reception to Club Officers.

Mrs. J. Garfield Riley, Mrs. L. B. Swormstedt and Dr. A. Frances Foye will receive officers and directors of the Twentieth Century Club as guests of honor at the tea given by the Women's City Club this afternoon, at the clubhouse, 22 Jackson place, from 4:30 until 6 o'clock. Assisting will be Mrs. Truman Abbe, Mrs. Austin Clark, Mrs. Herman Gasch, Miss Flora Hendley, Mrs. Basil Manly, Mrs. A. W. Spanhoofd and Mrs. Caroline B. Stephen. At 5 o'clock a group of young singers will present a program of old English music under the direction of Mrs. Frank Howard. The singers will appear in period costumes. Taking part will be Miss Margaret Allison, Miss Laura Lyle, Miss Catherine Gross, Miss Iua Holtzcheiter, Miss Cecile Littlefield, Miss Isabel Flora, Miss Virginia Woodward and Miss Winifred Royle. Mrs. Virginia White Speel and Mrs. George Ricker will preside at the tea table. Officers and directors of the club will assist. Members of the club have been invited.

The Women's Home Club of North Beach reports that its annual card party and dance, held at L'Aigion on February 21, was a success, financially and socially. The financial side will represent a long stride toward the completion of the clubhouse. To encourage civic pride and thereby boost North Beach, the club is planning a membership drive, and hopes before long to have every property owner of the beach included in its roll call.

The Thursday Night Salon of the District League of American Pen Women will have as honor guest March 8 Lieut. Col. H. Edmund Bullis, F. R. G. S., who will speak on the "Romance of the Calendar," dealing with a new thirteen-month schedule for the entire world. Col. Bullis is a member of the Manila Rotary Club, Explorers and National Press Clubs, American Legion, Sons of the American Revolution, a fellow of the Royal Geographic Society of London, a member of the Societe de Geographie of Paris and has been decorated by France for his work in Cambodia. Dr. Anita Maris Boggs, assisted by Miss Patricia Poe Bennett, will receive at the informal reception following the talk.



MRS. DANIEL L. BORDEN
Wife of Dr. Borden, of 2337 Ashmead place.

The first meeting of the Germeaux Riding and Saddle Club of the University of Maryland was held on Monday, February 27. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Grace Lee; vice president, Miss Virginia Fooks; secretary, Mr. P. Franciscus Kanevski; treasurer, Mr. W. Asborne Bennett, jr., and sergeant at arms, Mr. Charles F. Branford.

Miss Janet Richards will give a benefit lecture under the auspices of the Mary Washington Chapter, D. A. R., on Tuesday evening, March 13, at 8 o'clock at the Washington Club. The proceeds of the lecture will be used to further patriotic work.

The popularity of the course of lectures on psychology and character analysis to be given by Dr. Thomas Verner Moore, professor of psychology at the Catholic University and director of the clinic for mental and nervous diseases at Providence Hospital, is exceeding the expectations of the ladies of St. Gertrude's Guild, sponsors of the course, who are receiving an unprecedented demand for tickets.

The series, which will be given in the National Press Club auditorium, March 6, 13, 20 and 27, will open Tuesday at 4:30 o'clock with Dr. Moore's lecture on "The Psychological Analysis of Character and Modern Physiognomy." The proceeds of these lectures will go toward relieving the present great congestion in St. Gertrude's School of Arts and Crafts for Backward Children and making provision for meeting the constantly increasing demands for admission to the school.

Iowa State Reception.

Mr. Claude M. Porter, interstate commerce commissioner, will be the guest of the Iowa State Society at its reception and ball at the Willard Tuesday night. In the receiving line will be: The Assistant Secretary of War, Col. Charles Burton Robbins; Senator and Mrs. Daniel F. Steck, Senator and Mrs. Smith W. Brookhart, Representative and Mrs. W. F. Kopp, Representative and Mrs. F. Dickinson Letts, Representative and Mrs. C. J. B. Robinson, Representative Cyrenus Cole, Representative and Mrs. C. W. Ramseyer, Representative G. N. Haugen, Representative and Mrs. Lloyd Thurston, Representative W. R. Green, Representative and Mrs. L. J. Dickinson, Rear Admiral Thomas J. Cowie, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John A. Hull, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. G. S. Gibbs, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles Saltzman, Mr. Leslie M. Shaw, Col. White, Dr. McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham. All former residents of Iowa and their friends are invited to be present.

Mrs. Lillian V. Rowzee, matron of Gavel Chapter, No. 29, O. E. S., announces that the annual card party and dance will be held in the garden room of the Mayflower Hotel, March 24, with the following committee in charge: Mrs. Effie Kessler, general chairman; Mrs. Florence Lippard, chairman of the cards, and Mr. George M. Rowzee, chairman of the dance.

The Pennsylvania Society of Washington will have a meeting Friday night in the Willard Hotel. This will be "Bureau of Engraving and Printing Night," and Director A. W. Hall, of Pennsylvania, and associates will be honor guests. Director Hall will deliver a short address on the working of the bureau. He will have an exhibit of masterpieces of the engraving art. The musical numbers will be furnished by employes, a number of whom have won considerable reputations as radio performers. The reception line will be formed at 8:30 and members of the society will greet the honor guest and Pennsylvanians active in the membership. Boxes have been reserved for this meeting by a number of Pennsylvanians now residents in the Capital. After the program there will be dancing until 1 o'clock, with music furnished by Horace Walker and his orchestra. Members cards have been sent out and guest cards may be secured from the secretary.

University Women Tea Hosts.

The American Association of University Women will have as their guest of honor at their tea tomorrow afternoon Miss Alice Tisdale Hobart, who will speak on China. Mrs. Hobart has lived in China fourteen years. It was to her home on Socony Hill that the refugees went during the siege of Nanking last March. Mrs. Hobart is the author of "Pioneering Where the World Is Old," "By the City of the Long Sand," "Letters From Nanking," and a new book just off the press, "Within the Walls of Nanking." Mrs. Edwin G. Nourse will introduce Mrs. Hobart. Miss Elizabeth Kittredge and Miss Blance Halbert will pour tea. Other hostesses assisting will be Miss Mary Louise Brown, Dr. Margaret Allucker, Miss Bertie Backus, Miss Jean Cole, Mrs. Katherine Cook, Miss Mary Owen Dean and Mrs. H. W. Fisher.

The Bridge Club will meet at the clubhouse Tuesday at 3 with Mrs. Nat Lacey as hostess.

Wednesday at 4:45 Gov. Farrington of Hawaii will give the fortnightly talk. His subject will be Hawaii. Gov. Farrington is in Washington at present in consultation with Secretary Work, as Hawaii is under the administration of the Department of the Interior. Gov. Farrington was a newspaper man before going to Hawaii. Saturday evening at 9 there will be a dance at the clubhouse. Mrs. Harrison Baldwin will act as hostess.

The trustees of the Southern Relief Society have instituted their campaign for funds for the society with the announcement of plans for a ball April 9 and the following are box holders: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benning Spencer, Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, Mrs. Frederick B. Abbott, Mrs. Milton Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Walsh, Mrs. William T. Baggett, Mrs. Albert Rheinstrom, Mrs. Wallace H. Witcover, Mrs. Laurence H. Quirello, of California; Mrs. Frank Odenheimer, of New York, former president of the society. The following have consented to be patronesses: Mrs. Benjamin Soule Gantz, Mrs. Gustavus Werber, Mrs. Tyler C. Kent and Mrs. Wallace Streeter. The benefit card party to be given March 19 at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, has enlisted the interest of many Southerners living here. The list of those taking tables will be announced later. Reservations may be made through Mrs. Wallace Witcover, the Roosevelt Hotel.

Mrs. A. Levy entertained at luncheon, bridge and mah jong, at the Wardman Park Hotel on Tuesday, in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Jacobson, of New York.

Mrs. Sidney Wollberg went to Philadelphia to accompany her mother, Mrs. Rosa Hammerslough, home today, after passing several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lang.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baer are passing a fortnight in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cindler, whose marriage recently took place at the latter's home in Harrisonburg, Va., have been the guests of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Jacob Ney, at the Roosevelt Hotel, en route to their home in Houston, Tex. Mrs. Cindler was Miss Pauline Ney and is well known in Washington, where she frequently visited.

Mrs. Earl Klein, soprano, composed, directed and sang the leading role in the operetta, "An Afternoon in a Gypsy Camp," presented by the Sisterhood, at their annual rally on George Washington's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Goldnatner are at home after passing ten days in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Brylawski have returned after passing a month or more in Texas and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecelia Michaelis and daughter, Miss Virginia Michaelis, are week-end guests of relatives in Baltimore.

The Menorah Society of George Washington University entertained with a dance last night at the Dupont studio. Miss Bess Littman was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kaufman have returned, to the city, after ten days in Hollywood, Fla.

Mrs. Max Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hirschfeld and Miss Fannie Rich depart today to pass several weeks in Florida.

Mr. Jack Bilro has been the guest, for several days, of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Weyl, of Wardman Park annex.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Romberg and Mrs. Edward Rhodes, who have been at the Mayflower Hotel for several days, returned yesterday to their homes in New York.

Mrs. R. Harris has returned to her home, in New York, after passing five weeks here with relatives.

There will be a Purim masquerade ball from 2 until 6 o'clock this afternoon at the Community Center for the children of the Sunday school of the Eighth Street Temple.

Purim Masquerade Ball.

At the Sisterhood's regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the vestry rooms of the Eighth Street Temple, Mrs. J. Garfield Riley, dean of the Washington College of Law, will speak on "The Goal of Woman of Today." Mrs. H. M. Hertzberg will give a series of soprano numbers. A surprise social hour will follow current topics by Dr. Simon.

The council will have a birthday luncheon March 20 at 1 o'clock at the Community Center, followed by an entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Saks have gone to Houston, Tex., to pass four weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Levi have had with them for ten days, Mrs. Elias Raff, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Samuel Ganss was hostess to the Friday Afternoon Sewing Circle at her home on Connecticut avenue Friday.

Mr. Irving Baum and Mr. William Ullman have returned to New York after a brief visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baum, of Allison street.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil West have been guests in New York of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin West.

Col. and Mrs. William W. Gibson entertained with a family dinner party at their home on Sixteenth street, Wednesday evening, in honor of Dr. Daniel M. Sherobrooks and Mrs. Sherobrooks, when covers were laid for twelve. Bridge followed.

Mrs. Robert Sosman entertained with a bridge-luncheon, February 24, at her home in Cleveland Park, in honor of Mrs. Daniel M. Sherobrooks, who has recently come from Warsaw, N. C., to make her home in the city. The guests numbered sixteen. Dr. and Mrs. Sherobrooks are located at the Tabard Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Early Patterson, of Boston, Mass., whose marriage recently took place at the latter's home in Fall River, Mass., were in town for several days en route to Texas to pass a month. They visited in Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore before coming to Washington. Mrs. Patterson was Miss Mary Powers and attended school here several years.

Mrs. Lewis Turner, jr., will entertain with a bridge-luncheon at her home, 3316 Woodley road, Thursday.



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Takoma Park

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas entertained at bridge Saturday evening in compliment to Mr. Knowles Ryerson.

Mrs. R. R. Pailthorpe was hostess Wednesday at a luncheon and an afternoon of bridge.

Mrs. Frederick L. Pratt gave a tea from 4 to 6 on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. F. T. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Sydney C. Long will entertain the Mothers' Bible Class of the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church Monday evening.

Mrs. Chester C. Waters is visiting relatives in Dodgeville, Wis.

Mrs Louis Sherman returned Wednesday from a two weeks' stay in New York City.

Miss Betty Taylor, of Farmington, Me., has returned to her home following a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Stuart.

Miss Marion Scott entertained the Davis Friendship Club at a bridge party Wednesday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Tolson and son, Bernard, jr., have returned from Rochester, N. Y., where they visited Miss Margaret Tolson, their daughter, who is a student at the Eastman School of Music, of Rochester University.

Mrs. Paul P. Pierce entertained Thursday with a luncheon followed by an afternoon of bridge.

The Monday Afternoon Card Club was entertained by Mrs. Wade W. Dyar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buchanan entertained at cards Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Jones was hostess to the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mr. Daniel Fisher and his sister, Miss Harriett Fisher, have returned from Pennsylvania where they visited their parents.

Miss Susie Briggs is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Briggs, of South Lancaster, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Davis have returned from an extended automobile trip through the South, visiting Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia and Florida.

Mrs. C. C. Lewis entertained at her home Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Alice C. Bennett, her aunt, of Michigan. Those present were Prof. and Mrs. C. A. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bracet, Mrs. Flora L. Williams, Miss Edith McClellan and Mrs. William Ostrander, all former residents of Michigan.

Miss Margaret Hutchinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hutchinson,

What is Interesting Your Neighbors

entertained a number of friends Friday evening. Among those present were Miss Anna Cavannaugh, Miss Villa Redman, Miss Mollie Bachrach, Miss Virginia Martin and Mr. Gordon McGowan, Mr. Blaine Pheobus, Mr. Motrem Berger, Mr. Robert Abel and Mr. John Davis.

Mrs. C. C. Pulver entertained the Sligo Mothers' Society Monday evening.

Mrs. J. N. Anderson left Saturday for Milton Junction, Wis., where she will pass some time visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Ingels, of Marion, Ind., arrived Wednesday for a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Miss Deena Ingels.

Mr. Walter Mead is visiting friends at Petersburg, Va.

Mr. Reynold Sharp, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is visiting friends here.

Mrs. E. W. Rihl and son, of New York City, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dickson entertained at bridge Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Homer Carroll and two sons will sail for England, Mrs. Carroll's former home, soon. They will remain until September, when they will return to this country.

Mrs. Sydney Long was hostess to a bridge luncheon Thursday afternoon. Mrs. R. Dart made the high score.

Vienna, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Oertel have returned to Vienna after a short trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandt have returned to Vienna after spending several months in New York.

Mrs. Lucy Poyneer Hendricks, of Georgetown, entertained the Fairfax County Chapter of the D. A. R. at luncheon and its regular meeting on Friday, March 2.

Mrs. Lottie Smith Wedderburn and Mrs. Laurance M. Brown were recent guests of Mrs. S. C. Stuntz.

Mrs. Joseph Berry entertained the Vienna Bridge Club on Monday. Mrs. John Ruff took the prize.

Mrs. Frank Boushea was a recent guest of Mrs. George B. King at her new home on Park street.

Mrs. Bland Tucker, of Winchester, Va., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Williams have returned from Richmond to Washington, where they will spend a month before returning to their home here.

Herndon

Mrs. Brantley D. Hayes has been a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Williams.

Willis Burton has gone to New York, where he will be the guest for the remainder of the winter of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John McKean.

Miss Virginia Castleman, of the Oakton High School faculty, chaperoned the senior class, numbering about 25, to Washington on Friday, to attend the sessions of Congress.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanes have had as their house guest Miss Katherine Groome, of Sterling, who is the sister of Mrs. Hanes.

Coast Guardsman Holdem Harrison has returned to his duties at Norfolk after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Harrison.

Mrs. Arthur Hyde Buell entertained the first of the week at a luncheon bridge, the guests being Mrs. T. Edgar Aud, Mrs. Russell A. Lynn, Mrs. E. Barbour Hutchison, Mrs. George F. Buell, Mrs. Asa Bradshaw, Mrs. Andrew Hutchison, Mrs. Allen H. Kirk, Mrs. Herbert Seamans, Mrs. Frances G. Mooney, Mrs. Julian Thompson, Miss Matilda E. Decker, Mrs. Ralph V. Chamblin, Mrs. Orland A. Chamblin, Mrs. William H. Dawson and Mrs. Daniel Detwiler.

Mrs. Arthur Robb has been spending some time in Washington, having been called there by the illness of her father, Mr. David Thomas.

Mrs. Arthur H. Buell was in Washington last week to attend a luncheon given in honor of her daughter, Miss Virginia Buell.

Mrs. Charles Parker and her daughter, Miss Margaret Parker, have gone to Phoenix, Ariz., for a visit.

Misses Anna and Katie Groh entertained the Corban Club on Tuesday, the subject being India. Those present were: Mrs. Harvey Wiley, Mrs. P. Barnum Buell, Mrs. Harry B. Mitchell, Mrs. Harrison Bready, Mrs. George Ramsey Bready, Mrs. W. N. McNair, Mrs. J. B. North, Mrs. Shull, Mrs. Maurice Yount, Miss Ida Stannard, Miss Ruth Haynes, Miss Edith Reed.

Miss Dorothy Rogers, after a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers, at Floris, has returned to her duties in New Brunswick, N. J.

Mrs. Frank W. Huddleson and daughter, Miss Amos Chilcott, of Fairfax, were guests of Miss Matilda E. Decker at a bridge luncheon last week, at which were also Mrs. Frances Norvell Larkin and Mrs. James Nuickell from Fairfax.

Mrs. W. Frank Humme and Mrs. Thelma Detwiler, after a visit to New York, are again at home.

The rectors aid met at the rectory of the Episcopal Church last Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Alexander Galt being hostess. Among those present were: Miss Matilda Decker, Mrs. Addie Lawrence, Miss Frances Cockerille, Mrs. William H. Dawson.

Mrs. Genevieve Hanes entertained the first of the week Mrs. T. Edgar Aud, Mrs. E. Barbour Hutchison, Mrs. Orland A. Chamblin, Mrs. Russell, A. Lynn, Mrs. Ruth C. Bradshaw, Mrs. William Aud, Mrs. William Myer, Mrs. Belle Dydding, Mrs. Estelle Thompson, Mrs. Ralph Chamblin, Mrs. Arthur H. Buell, Mrs. Julian Thompson, Mrs. Herbert Seamans, Mrs. George F. Buell and Mrs. Allen H. Kirk.



MRS. LAWRENCE WILDER
Of New York, whose beautiful apartment at the Carlton has been the scene this season of many social functions.

Rockville

The bi-monthly meeting of the Rockville Inquiry Club was held early in the week at the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. Roger Spates with a large attendance of members and a number of invited guests. It was featured by an address by F. Bachs Abert, town clerk and treasurer, who explained the provisions of the town's new registration and election laws and discussed the town's financial and other affairs. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Virginia R. Bartlett and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Washington, were recent guests of Mrs. H. Samuel Riggs, at Laytonsville.

"Philippa Gets There" was the title of a play presented in the high school auditorium at Gaithersburg last evening by members of the senior class of the Gaithersburg High School. Mrs Calvert Cissel, of the high school faculty, was in charge, and the cast included Misses Loraine Plummer Cecil Kanode, Hazel Jacobs, Myrtle Young and Helen Violette, and Harry Mullican, George Ward, William Stup Robert Ward, Alfred Spates, Ellis Johnson and Winfred Davis.

Miss Irma Soder, of Baltimore, was a recent guest of Mrs. G. S. Haines, near Laytonsville.

The last meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Episcopal Church, Olney, was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Howard, at Brookeville, and was conducted by the president, Mrs Josiah W. Jones. Arrangements were made for entertainment in different homes of the ministers, who will conduct services in St. John's Church every Wednesday evening during Lent.

A meeting of the executive board of Montgomery County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs was held in Rockville early in the week with Miss Blanche A. Corwin, home demonstration agent for the county, in charge. A uniform program of activities for the sixteen clubs composing the council was the principal matter considered.

The first session of the "Mission Study Class" of St. John's Episcopal Church, Olney, was held a few afternoons ago under the leadership of Miss Elise Hutton.

Every-member-present Sunday will be observed in the Rockville Christian Church today, when the pastor, the Rev. S. J. Goode, will preach a special sermon and the choir will render a program. It will mark the beginning of the annual pre-Easter campaign of the church.

Mrs. Ernest Hawkins, of the Etchison neighborhood, has been visiting Mrs. Warren Ellis, in Washington.

Dr. D. N. Shoemaker, of the Department of Agriculture, gave a demonstration of pruning trees, bushes and shrubbery, and made interesting explanatory talks at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Grubb, near Rockville, Tuesday.

At the monthly meeting Thursday evening of the Dickerson Community League, held in the community hall at Dickerson, Miss Helen Kirkland, of Montrose; Miss Jessie Fisher, of Halpine, and Mr. Peyton Mannar, of Rockville, rendered vocal music, and Miss Helen McLaughlin and Mrs. David Lehman, of Rockville, and Mr. Douglas Wade, of Buck Lodge, gave instrumental selections.

The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Rabbitt was celebrated at their home at Washington Grove last Sunday, when 50 of their relatives and friends from the county and Washington gathered there in honor of the occasion. The aged couple were presented with a purse of gold. Refreshments were served. Mr. Rabbitt is 77 years of age and Mrs. Rabbitt seven years younger.

Charles H. Jones, of Brentwood, Md., and Miss Katherine Jeanette Fury, of Berwyn, Md., were married at Forest Glen a few days ago by the Rev. Charles O. Rosensteel, pastor of St. John's Catholic Church, the ceremony taking place at the rectory.

Among couples married in Rockville recently were Harold K. Beck, of Washington, and Miss Gladys L. Bacher, of Orange, N. J.; Hughey Beall, of Bentonville, Md., and Miss Lydia Elizabeth Fraysier, of Washington, and Robert Lee McNeeley and Miss Alice Elise Randolph, both of Washington.

The inmates of the Methodist Home for the Aged at Gaithersburg were visited Monday evening by members of the first-year class of the Gaithersburg High School, who presented the comedy, "The Jolly Tars," and rendered a music program Mrs. Merle T. Jacobs, Mrs. William Griffith and Miss Hazel Ferguson were in charge of the arrangements.

The Young People's Club of the Methodist Church, at Woodfield, met a few evenings ago, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian King.

Judge Joseph Reading has returned to his home near Wheaton after visiting his son, Joseph Reading, jr., in South Carolina.

The monthly social of the Epworth League of Grace Methodist Church, Gaithersburg, was held in the church hall Tuesday evening, with Miss Eleanor Magruder in charge.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Rockville Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. George W. Cronise, with the president, Mrs. Ezra Royer, in charge. The election of officers was deferred until the next meeting.

With Miss Gladys Benson hostess, the March meeting of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Rockville Baptist Church, was held at the church last evening. The business session was conducted by the president, Miss Verdie Kingdon, following which Mrs. George G. Earp conducted a program which included home missions and other matters. Refreshments were served.



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MME. SUZANNE LAURENT

The Rev. Clarence Prentice Parker, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Bethesda, preached in Christ Episcopal Church Thursday evening.

Mrs. Henry J. Finley, of Washington, is at the home of Mrs. Cooke D. Luckett for a few weeks.

Mrs. Albert M. Bouic was hostess at a bridge party at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ulric Hutton, of the Brighton neighborhood, has been visiting her son, Mr. Sidney Hutton, in New Jersey.

Miss Rosalie West, of Seneca, has been visiting friends in Washington for a few days.

Mrs. Edward Phillips was hostess at a bridge party at her home at Barnesville a few days ago. The high scores were made by Mrs. Marshall Hersperger and Mr. Reginald J. Darby, and the consolation prize went to Mrs. Lester Horton.

The Rev. Bertram M. Osgood, of the Baptist Church, officiated at the marriage here on Thursday of Miss Hortense M. Sherlock, of Washington, and Mr. Arthur G. Mallette, of Fort Myer, Va.

Miss Margaret Walker has been visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoskinson, in Washington.

After being in Arkansas for several weeks the Rev. John R. Esaias, pastor of the Damascus Methodist Church, has returned to his home at Damascus.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fraley, of the Laytonsville neighborhood, have announced the birth of a son.

Miss Bertha Brown, of Brighton, has been visiting relatives in Baltimore.

The Misses Brand entertained at bridge at their home Monday evening. Their guests included Mrs. Lloyd Brewer, Mrs. Douglas M. Blandford, Mrs. Barrett P. Willson, Mrs. William D. Clark, Miss Elsie England and Miss Katherine Smith.

Mrs. J. Somervell Dawson entertained the Woman's Missionary Society of the Rockville Methodist Church, Thursday evening.

Miss Huldah Brust, supervisor of primary schools of the county, and Prof. L. Fletcher Schott, principal of the Rockville High School, have returned from Boston, where they attended the annual meeting of the National Education Association.

Miss Laura Jenkins, of Baltimore, was the last week-end guest of Mrs. Walter Myers, near Potomac.

Miss Grace Walker, of Baltimore, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Darby, in Gaithersburg.

In celebration of the birthday anniversary of her son, Mr. William A. Gassaway, Mrs. Bettie S. Gassaway entertained at dinner at her home near Darnestown last Sunday. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. William Millay, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Herron, of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gassaway and Mr. Norman Gassaway.

Miss Ida Kephart, of Washington, has been visiting Mrs. Lawson King, near Gaithersburg.

Miss Dorothy Bounds, of Frederick, was the last week-end guest of Miss Mary Ryan, at Hyattstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and son, Robert, jr., of Baltimore, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Woodfield, at Damascus.

Miss Dorothy A. Beavin, of Washington, spent the last week-end with Mrs. Henry Clark, of Brighton.

After a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stup, at Gaithersburg, Mrs. William Feiser returned to her home in Hanover, Pa., early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carvel Price entertained about twenty guests at a progressive card party at their home near Hyattstown a few evenings ago.

Mrs. Anson Ball, Mrs. Claiborne Manar and Mrs. Daniel Peck gave their mother, Mrs. Russell Watkins, a surprise party at her home at Potomac a few days ago in celebration of her birthday anniversary.

Battery Park

The Battery Park Clubhouse was the scene of an attractive bridge party Friday evening, February 24, when Capt. and Mrs. George F. Unmacht entertained the following: Gen. and Mrs. Amos A. Fries, Col. and Mrs. Harry L. Gilchrist, Dr. and Mrs. B. J. Lloyd, Col. and Mrs. J. I. McMullin, Col. and Mrs. Joseph L. Gilbreth, Col. and Mrs Charles A. Hedekin, Maj. and Mrs. John F. Corby, Maj. and Mrs. C. A. Selleck, Maj. and Mrs. D. F. Johns, Capt. and Mrs. Adam Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. A. B Foster, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Mitchell, Capt. and Mrs. F. O. Smith, Lieut. and Mrs. R. J. Monteith, Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Grant, Dr. and Mrs. Colman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. Faircloth, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. E. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. True, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Haig and Mr. and Mrs. F. Lee.

Maj. and Mrs. Fred W. Llewellyn gave a three table bridge at their home recently. Their guests were: Col. and Mrs. McMorris, Maj. and Mrs. Lewis F. Underhill, Maj. and Mrs. Lee Lilletson, Capt. and Mrs. Adam Richmond and Lieut. and Mrs. R. B. Langhlin.

Mrs. George A. Follett entertained last Wednesday afternoon with three tables of bridge. Her guests were: Mrs. J. I. McMullin, Mrs. C. A. Galbraith, Mrs. Adam Richmond, Mrs. J. N. Green Mrs. Bursley, Mrs. S. D. Hervy, Mrs. E. J. Griffith, Mrs. L. G. Easthan, Mrs. Pariseau, Mrs. C. A. Selleck, Mrs. Eldridge Meyers and Mrs. J. F. Barkley.

Arlington County

Representatives T. Webber Wilson, of Mississippi, and Public Printer George H. Carter were guests Thursday night of Cherrydale Lodge, No. 42, A. F. and A. M.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick O. Appleton, of Clarendon, had as dinner guests last Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. Norton Redfield, of Roanoke, Va., and Miss Ruth Angelo and Miss Virginia Waner, of Washington.

The Fairfax Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution was entertained by Mrs Lucy Hendericks, in Washington, Thursday at luncheon.

Miss Louise Rutt, of Washington, was the guest last Sunday of Miss Ruth Rich, Mr. Edger Rich and Mrs. Mildred Rich, of Fort Myer Heights.

Miss Kelly, of Vermont, has been the guest of Mrs. W. E. A. McShea, of Fort Myer Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCarthy, of Livingston Heights, were guests during the week of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. A. McShea, of Fort Myer Heights.

Mr. C. H. Greathouse, of Fort Myer Heights, had as a visitor during the week, Lieut. Blanchard Summer, of Detroit, who was here during the war as a Navy auditor.

Mrs. Arthur Elliott, of Walker's Chapel, entertained for thirty members of the Order of the Eastern Star Thursday afternoon at luncheon.

Mrs. Claude Semines, of Aurora Hills, entertained for the Nellie Custis Garden Club Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Eula Clements, of Lyon Village, entertained for her China club recently.

Potomac, Va.

Miss Georgia Brockett left Friday to pass the week-end with her parents, at Woodbridge, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Garnett entertained at luncheon Friday. Their guests were Mrs. John S. Sowers, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Crickenberger, Mrs. H. D Burke and Mrs. Henry Ziegler.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graver entertained at three tables of 500 Monday evening.

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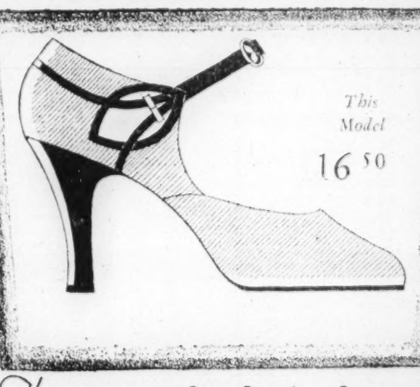


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Mrs. H. A. Petty is the guest of relatives in Culpepper, for the week-end.

Mrs. A. A. Y. Salter, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. T. B. Hitt, having accompanied Mrs. Hitt home from a visit in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. Clyde Mitchell entertained at a dinner on Sunday last in honor of Mr. Mitchell's birthday, and guests included relatives from Rappahannock County, Culpeper, Mount Ida and Potomac.

Miss Ida Bonitz, of Sacramento, Calif., was the guest the past week of her sister, Mrs. William Wood.

Mrs. B. C. Gardner and children, of Washington, were the week-end guests of Mrs. H. A. Petty.

Kensington

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ingersoll have visiting them their brother, Mr. Arthur S. Ingersoll, who motored from Seattle, Wash. He was accompanied by Mr. Leslie Miller, also of Seattle. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lovett, recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ingersoll, have returned to their home at Beverly, Mass., making the trip by motor.

Lieut. and Mrs. Leon Buford Scott and family will arrive this week from Manila, P. I., and will be guests of Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. A. Webster, at her home in Baltimore street.

Miss Jane Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rose, entertained with six tables of bridge yesterday afternoon. The out-of-town guests were Miss Eleanor Mae Johnston, Miss Janet Washburn, Miss Marjorie Mitchell, Miss Mildred Sullivan and Miss Marion Mellichampe.

Miss Evelyn Bigley and Miss Minnie Suter, of Baltimore, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Adams.

Mrs. William Gardner and children, who arrived on Tuesday from Coral Gables, Fla., have been joined by Mr. Gardner, who arrived yesterday. They are making a short visit with Mrs. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Warthen, and are leaving here tomorrow for Roanoke, Va., where they will live.

Mr. Carroll Duvall and small daughter, Jean Duvall, also arrived on Tuesday from Florida, where they were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gardner for several weeks.

Mrs. Tucker Brown is the house guest of Mrs. George Derbyshire at her home in Lexington, Va.

Mrs. Chester B. Graham is spending the week-end with her daughter, Miss Virginia Graham, at Hood College, Frederick.

Mr. Raymond Moore, son of Mr Edgar W. Moore, sailed on Wednesday for Bermuda, where he will spend a month.

The Rev. U. S. A. Heavener and Mrs. Heavener entertained with a surprise leap year luncheon on Wednesday, February 29, in compliment to Mrs. Thomas J. Wilcox, when she celebrated her birthday anniversary. Mrs. Wilcox is spending the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. Heavener. Mrs. Wilcox held an informal reception and received many flowers and gifts. Among the out-of-town guests were her daughters, Mrs. T. Emory Conn, of Towson; Mrs. William H. Cole, and son, Mr. Edgar Cole, Baltimore; Mrs. Thomas Hormes, and son, Mr. Leonard Hormes, Cantonsville; Mrs. E. P. Smith, and son, Mr. Ted Smith, Glenburnie, and Mr. Thomas Wilcox, of Richmond, and Miss Mabel Heavener.

Alexandria

The marriage of Miss Amelia Mae Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Allen Jones, formerly of Belhaven, N. C., and Mr. William Pugh Herring, of Clinton, N. C., and Washington, took place at 5:30 o'clock yesterday evening in Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, in the presence of the two families and a few intimate friends.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Jackson Morton, rector, and the nuptial music was played by the organist of the church, Mrs. Kathryn Seeley Wallace.

The bride wore an ensemble of Liberty blue, with hat to match, and carried sweetheart roses and valley lilies. Her only attendant was Miss Virginia Jackson, of Washington, wearing silver gray flat crepe, with hat to match. Her flowers wre bridemaid roses. Mr. Ethan Allen Jones, 3d, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Agnew Adams, of Paoli, Pa., were the guests the last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Shepperson.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Herring left for a motor trip through the Valley of Virginia and for the next few months will be at Woodstock, Va.

Miss Caroline Morton left Friday for New Rochelle, N. Y., to pass the week-end with Miss Dorothy Hansen, a former classmate at St. Catherine Episcopal School for Girls, Westhampton, Richmond.

Mrs. Gordon Asher entertained at a bridge luncheon on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Charles Mooney, of Ohio, and Mrs. John McSwain, of South Carolina.

Mrs. J. Fred Birrell has returned from a visit in Richmond and Norfolk.

A party was given Wednesday evening at the Cabell Studio of Dance, Wagar Building, by the Business and Professional Woman's Club in compliment to those who took part in the recent play given under auspices of the club.

Miss Catherine Pullman left Wednesday for New York to sail with friends for Panama.

Miss Irma Wolf has returned from a visit of three weeks in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ross left last week for a motor trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley P. Wilson have returned to Hollin Hall Farm after several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. McCaffrey have announced the marriage on February 25 of their daughter, Miss Isabel Cecelia McCaffrey, to Mr. Robert P. Brierton, of Clayton, Ill. The ceremony was performed in the parsonage of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

The marriage has been announced of Mrs. Anna M. Richards, of Washington to Mr. John Barton Phillips, of this city, on February 25 in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips will make their home in Jefferson Park, Alexandria.

Miss Lillian Amos, worthy matron of Martha Washington Chapter, Order of the Easter Star, has issued invitations for a reception on Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows Hall, in compliment to her fellow officers in the chapter.

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Fairfax

Three weddings took place here this week, the principals being Miss Julia Cook and Mr. Leonard Trumpower, Miss Viola Clements and Mr. Carlin O'Meara and Miss Margaret Detwiler and Mr. Willard Webb, of Mt. Rainier, Md.

Friends of Russell Haines gave him a surprise birthday party last week.

Mrs. Mary Ellis and Miss Elizabeth Ellis are the guests of Mrs. F. W. Hudgeson.

Mrs. Walter Oliver, Miss Catherine Oliver and Miss Virginia Ritchie motored to Middleburg last week to visit friends.

Falls Church

Mr. and Mrs. William Mayo Herring celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary last week.

The Guild of Old Falls Church met Tuesday with Mrs. Lee Hiett.

Mrs. John Garner entertained on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ruth McGroarty has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Williams.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the fire department met Tuesday with Mrs. R. E. Kendrick.

Mrs. Acton Groff is the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Mutersbaugh.

Mrs. John Bethune, regent of the Falls Church Chapter, D. A. R. has been elected delegate to the national congress, which meets in Washington in April. Mrs. Henry Noble has been named alternate.

Chevy Chase

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson Dingley will entertain at a reception at their home on Livingston street this afternoon from 4 to 6 in honor of Mrs. William Wolf Smith.

Mrs. James Douglas will entertain the members of the North Star Union of the W. C. T. U. at her home Tuesday at 2 p. m. The meeting will be addressed by the national president of the National Woman's Democratic Law Enforcement League.

Mrs. Eugene E. Stevens, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Josephine Stevens, at Mount Holyoke, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Robert E. Bucks will entertain at a bridge luncheon Wednesday at the Congressional Country Club.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Roland Snader, of Philadelphia, Pa., are here passing the week-end with Mrs. Snader's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Terrill Brazelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Kidder entertained at a bridge supper at their home last evening.

Mrs. John W. Hulse was hostess at luncheon followed by bridge yesterday at the Columbia Country Club.

Mrs. Carden Warner, of Philadelphia, Pa., who has been here visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Carden Warner, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell Robson, of Baltimore, Md., who were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Chace, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Charles Penn entertained at a bridge luncheon at the Congressional Country Club Thursday.

Mrs. Edward Thompson entertained at a luncheon followed by bridge Wednesday at her home.

Mrs. Clinton L. Wolcott entertained at a bridge luncheon Thursday.

Mrs. R. Harvey Sargent, of McKinley street, was hostess at a bridge luncheon Wednesday.

Mrs. Leonard G. Hoffman has sold her home on East Raymond street, and is now at her home in the city on Ashmead place.

Mrs. John Bordon, of Concord, Mass., is here passing the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. Nesbit Wright.

Mrs. Charles Pardoe will entertain members of her bridge club at luncheon Wednesday.

Mr. J. D. Thompson and Miss Dorothy Thompson have returned after visiting friends on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis B. Harrison and baby son are passing several weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Southgate.

Mr. Hugh Southgate, jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa., who was visiting his parents, has returned to his home.

Mr William Stein entertained the members of the Gamma Delta Phi Fraternity at a dance Friday evening.

Miss Isabel Southgate has returned to her home after passing the week-end at Annapolis, Md., where she attended the hop.

Miss Ellen Peelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton C. Peelle, left this week to visit relatives in North Carolina.

Mrs. Clarence C. Calhoun has gone to South Carolina with her daughter, Mrs. Peter Drury, for a visit of several weeks.

Miss Ethel Colt, of New York, who was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh, has returned to her home. Mrs. Walsh entertained at a dance at the Washington Club for Miss Colt during her short stay.

Miss Margaret Sommers entertained at a bridge supper at the Wardman Park Hotel in honor of Mrs. Ellis Snowden, of New York City.

Mrs. Newman Little entertained the members of the art section of the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Shafer entertained the music section of the Woman's Club Monday evening.

Mrs. William L. Thurber is in Baltimore, Md., visiting friends for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kane entertained at a bridge supper Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Clift R. Richards will entertain the members of the Chevy Chase Reading Class Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Feezer will arrive here Thursday after passing two months in Panama.

The Simplicity Club was entertained last night by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wetzell.

Mrs. John Turner entertained at a bridge luncheon at the Columbia Country Club yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Marsh is passing several weeks at Naples, Fla.

Miss Helen Minnigerode, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Minnigerode, left last week for Mississippi, and will visit en route at Lexington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ross, of Ohio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laudick.

Miss Marian Yancy entertained the members of the Girls Friendly of All Saints' Episcopal Church Monday evening.

Mrs. Charles Chase entertained the members of her dancing class Friday evening.

Mr. Frank R. Myers has returned home after visiting friends at Charlotte N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Bynum Hinton have returned after passing several weeks at Bermuda.

Mrs. George Funkey, of Chicago, Ill., is passing a week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Laudick.

Miss Laura Fall, who was visiting Miss Louise E. Bebb, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rossel Mitchell entertained at dinner Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Merle Thorpe have gone to Pinehurst, N. C., on a week's visit.

Mr. Benjamin Franklin Davis has returned to his home in New York City after passing six weeks in Florida and Bermuda.

Mrs. Horace G. McFarland has cards out for a dinner at the Chevy Chase Club, Saturday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Whelan, a recent bride and bridegroom, the bride being a cousin of Mrs. McFarland.

Mrs. Percy Grady was hostess at a bridge luncheon Wednesday when she had among her guests her mother, Mrs. Mary S. Parker; Mrs. Watson Coleman, Mrs. Leslie Prince, Mrs. Dallas Grady, Mrs. Morgan Grady, Mrs. H. H. Carter, Mrs. Langdon Turner and Miss Isobel Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Liston Bethea, of Philadelphia, Pa., who have been here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Florence Bethea, have returned to their home.

New York

New York, March 3 (A.P.). — Mrs. Graham Fair Vanderbilt has joined other leaders of fashion in sponsoring the edict that milady's hat must rise from her eyebrows. An inch above the eyebrow is predicted as the correct elevation for summer chapeaux. They will be much larger than heretofore, many of them of soft straw, drooping to the shoulders.

Bronze skins are now much smarter than white among some of New York's social leaders. They have adopted methods of acquiring a "synthetic tan," following the lead of the arbiters at the Lido. Much lipstick and very little rouge are used as make-up over the tan.

Mrs. William B. Leeds, the former Princess Xenia of Russia, is giving her support to plans for the Mi-Careme ball, a costume affair for the benefit of Russian refugees and orphans.

The side saddle has come back into its own among women riders on the bridle paths in Central Park. Brown is the favorite color for habits, with skirts several shades lighter than the coats. Large crepe kerchiefs ornamented with the picture of one's favorite mount are an interesting novelty.

Dolls dressed as nurses and internes in a miniature clinic were displayed in an exhibition this week of hospital work conducted by the Association of Junior Leagues. A doll house with furnishings designed and made by blind workers illustrated another feature of the activities of the debutantes' organization.

Black evening frocks of lace or net, and white gowns of satin devoid of color or ornament except silver and crystal are now much in vogue. The Princess Hohenloe-Schillingsfurst, who wears a frock of black net trimmed with silver, was among the first to introduce the fashion.

Palm Beach

Palm Beach, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—March really came in like the lion here with the costume ball at the Everglades Club opening the month's season brilliantly. In the social throng contending for prizes were noted gorgeous costumes and costly jewels such as never were displayed at this annual event.

Among the striking figures was Mrs. Kenneth Van Riper as a "question mark," with large black velvet interrogations on the back and front of a very full silver cloth skirt, edged with black and white feather ruche. Topping the ensemble was a black velvet question mark poised above a silver headdress. Mr. Van Riper was a Hindu prince in cloth of gold, embroidered with yellow and green.

Mrs. George Messervy, a Persian princess in green chiffon trousers, with short silver skirt, pearl edged, silver laced jacket over pink and lavender, wore a curious headdress of silver thread wig.

Mrs. Raymond Allen, as a Venetian princess, wore a brilliant king's blue wig matching her short blue velvet coat over a silver lace gown.

Society took to sea sleds to make the fourteen-mile journey down the picturesque canal to watch the polo matches this week. Palm Beach County charitable organizations benefited from the gate receipts. The jousts engaged Russell and Raymond Firestone, Jess Andrews and Samuel Sutphin, of Indianapolis; Stuart, Terrence, Arthur and Godfrey Preece; H. C. Phipps, Bradley Martin, jr., Westbury, L. I.; Curtis King, Memphis; Fred Collins, Detroit, and James H. Van Alen, of the Meadowbrook Club, L. I. The Phipps' took guests aboard their yacht, Iolanthe.

Boxing always provides diversion here. The Oasis was filled when A. J. Drexel Biddle, jr., president, and Jules Bach, vice president, asked 400 guests to afternoon tea, with prize fight contests. An orchestra played between bouts. Harry Rosenthal was announcer, while Mrs. George Sloan, Mrs. Walter Chrysler and Mrs. Gerhard Dahl were judges in the two bouts.

Scarcely less intriguing was the pajama party, when Mrs. Alexander McKay reserved Oasis for 150 guests, honoring her guest of the Everglades Club, Mrs. Julia Kohlsaat. Fantastic beach pajamas predominated. Preceding the supper dance, a number entertained at cottage dinner parties, where every one was pajama clad.

Celebration of the 76th birthday of Mr. Edward T. Stotesbury on February 26 brought about 400 guests to El Mirasol. Mr. Stotesbury was flooded with telegrams and cables from every part of the world. Despite his age he remains active in conduct of all Palm Beach affairs, having just been chosen president of the Bath and Tennis Club.

Annapolis

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., March 4.—Mrs. Nulton, wife of the superintendent of the Naval Academy, Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, left on Wednesday for Flint, Mich., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dean D. Francis. Admiral Nulton will join his family at Flint about March 6, and Mrs. Laurence Browning, formerly Miss Dorothy Nulton, will come up from Kentucky to see her parents while they are in Flint. This will be the first family reunion the Nultons have had since Christmas,



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when their daughters visited them here. Admiral and Mrs. Nulton will return to this city March 14.

Commander and Mrs. Clyde G. West had as their guests over the week-end Miss Marion Jardine, daughter of the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Jardine, and Miss Ruth Nebeker, of Washington.

Miss Margaret Halsey is passing her mid-year vacation from school with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. William F. Halsey, on the Reina Mercedes.

Mrs. Mahoney, wife of Lieut. Comdr. John J. Mahoney, entertained at the first of her bridge parties on Tuesday and the second on Friday afternoon.

Miss Helen Stanley, daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. A. H. Stanley, of Washington, is the house guest of Mrs. Will Hayes, at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Sinclair Gannon.

Mrs. Andrew P. de F. Allgood, of Sayville, N. Y., who was the guest of Mrs. Baldridge, wife of Capt. Harry A. Baldridge, of the Navy, in this city, is now visiting friends in Washington.

Mrs. Kelly, wife of Lieut. Marion R. Kelly, and Mrs. Isbell, wife of Lieut. Arnold J. Isbell, were joint hostesses to the 1921 Bridge Club Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Irish, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. and Mrs. H. S. Cope, left on Thursday for her home in California.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. John Wilkes are visiting Lieut. and Mrs. Merrill Comstock at their home in County road, Naval Academy.

Mrs. W. Thomas Kemp is visiting in Washington, where she is the guest for several days of Col. and Mrs. John P. Hasson.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. O. O. Kessing were hosts to the Bowling Club, composed of officers and their wives, at supper Monday evening.

Capt. A. Knotchel, Naval Attache of the British Legation in Washington, and Mrs. John F. Reynolds, of North Haven, Conn., were hosts to a number of friends at luncheon at Carvel Hall Monday.

Mrs. Penn, wife of Commander Albert M. Penn, of Philadelphia, passed this week with her mother, Mrs. Frank Roop Smith.

Commander and Mrs. C. C. Davis and family have returned from the Pacific Coast and are at their country estate on Little Aberdeen Creek, South River. Commander Davis now is assigned to duty in Washington.

Ash Wednesday ushered in the usual lull in social activities, at least events of a formal nature. A number of informal dinner and card parties will be on the programs as usual, but the most important event to look forward to with the close of the Lenten period will be the annual Easter ball, at which the regiment of midshipmen will be host.

St. Petersburg

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—The St. Petersburg colony of New England turned out virtually en masse to meet Mrs. Eugene J. Grant, Brooklyn, N. Y., their national president. Suggestions and advice for the work of the local colony were topics for informal discussions following Mrs. Grant's talk. Refreshments were served in the parlor room of a tourist hotel.

Belleair

Belleair, Fla., March 3 (A.P.).—The winter colony here lost several of its best known members this week. Following the annual Washington's birthday dinner last week and the West Coast and other golf tournaments, the annual exodus began. Glenna Collett, who came down from Pinehurst in an airplane to keep a golfing engagement, turned northward. Gov Alvin T. Fuller, of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Fuller have also departed. Hugh Halsell, Dallas, Tex., senior golf champion of the United States, and Mrs. Halsell have also left for their home.

MUSIC

By ELISABETH E. POE.

MUSIC and the home! That is the new keynote of musical endeavor and it may result in the rehabilitation of the American home, for the charm of family song is a real one. Therefore, the effort of the District Federation of Music Clubs to carry out the ideal of the national organization to stimulate music in the home by the formation of home music groups is a laudable one.

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Frank S. Westbrook, about ten family music groups have been registered and they will take part in the concert of home groups of the District Federation on March 30 in the Wilson Normal Community Auditorium.

It will be interesting to note the coordination and progress of these home music groups. Certainly home is the first place in which a love of music should be taught and the hours spent in musical activities within the home will never be wasted and be counted as precious memories in the years which are to come.

This week will be one of splendid musical treats with the Boston Symphony Orchestra opening the concerts tomorrow, followed by the New York Philharmonic Society on Tuesday with the renowned Toscanini in the conductor's stand, and on Wednesday Mme. Jeritza, with her voice, will bring us a comprehensive program.

On Friday Washington will have the opportunity to welcome one of its own musical products, petite Sylvia Lent, who has forced her way to the forefront of American violinists. She has been called a poet of the violin and no one who has heard her play can doubt the justice of this appellation. In addition to being an event musically, it will be socially outstanding, for a number of patronesses, prominent in the diplomatic and other sets, have been obtained to insure its success in that regard.

The United States Army Band, under the leadership of Capt. William J. Stannard, has returned from its first road tour. It is gratifying to the friends of this band, the leading musical organization of the Army, to learn that the tour was a marked success when viewed from every angle.

The band traveled more than 6,000 miles, visiting 42 cities, where 84 concerts were given. Everywhere the band was received most enthusiastically by local music lovers, and in many cases was met at the train by the local bands and escorted to their hotels. On a number of occasions the local musical organizations paid the visiting band a special courtesy by opening the musical program.

As music from the Latin-American republics has been featured by the Army band in its concerts during the last three seasons, numbers from the republics to the south occupied a very prominent position on the programs, and from the press notices reaching Washington the numbers originating in the other Americas made a deep impression upon the audiences and upon the music critics. The ancient melody from Incan sources, "The Condor Passes," probably the oldest composition extant, received special attention.

Capt. Curtis D. Alway, commanding officer of the Army band, provided the musicians for this tour with new uniforms and special baggage equipment.

The programs of music provided for the open air concerts this summer by the band will be made up of music from the New World. Band Leader Stannard has found that there not only exists in the American republics a great variety of compositions possessing marked merit, but that the numbers embodying folk melodies are so novel in treatment as to create a general appeal and so permit a forming of programs independent of Old World compositions.

The second Rubinstein Club concert this season will be held at the Willard Hotel, Tuesday, at 8:30 p. m. Devora Nadworney, contralto prima donna of the WEAF Grand Opera Company, will be the guest artist.

The program will be opened by the Rubinstein chorus, which will sing the Rubinstein-Spross composition, "Good Night." Miss Nadworney's first selection will be Giordano's "Air de Madelon." The third number, to be sung by the Rubinstein chorus, will be "The Fairy Thorn," opus 76 (Henry Hadley), a cantata for a three-part women's chorus. The soprano and mezzo-soprano solos will be sung by Mrs. Elmer C. Smith and Miss Katherine Poole, respectively.

Miss Nadworney will continue with a group of selections, "Ganza Drums" (Strickland), which will be sung for the first time in Washington; "Deep in My Heart" (Aylward) and "Habanera," from "Carmen" (Bizet). The centennial of Schubert's death will be observed by the club in the next group by the chorus, "Who Is Sylvia?" "Hark, Hark, the Lark," second piano to be played by Edwin Crulit, and "To Music" (Schubert-Saar), of which the barytone solo will be sung by Herman Fakler.

The program will be concluded by a group of folk songs sung by Miss Nadworney. Russia will be represented by "Sarafan," France by "Jeauneton," Germany by "Oduhebsaugeli" and Mexico by 'Estrelletta."

Much interest is being shown in the junior contest of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs, including all branches of music, to be held in May.

The contestants will be those who play on the piano, violin, viola, cello, harp, flute, cornet, clarinet and trombone. The age limit is up to and including 18 years. The other groups will include junior and senior high orchestras, junior and senior high bands, string ensemble, little symphony orchestras, horn ensemble, treble unchanged voices, choruses; grammar school age: Junior high girls' glee club, boys' glee club, senior high girls' glee club, senior high boys' glee club and senior high glee clubs mixed.

Contestants must be members of the junior federation.

The third annual junior concert of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs will be given on Friday evening, March 23, at 8 o'clock, in the Wilson Normal Community Auditorium. Half of the proceeds from this concert will be devoted to the McDowell fund.

The regular monthly board meeting of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs will be held Saturday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock in the studio of Harriet Hawley Locher, Earle Theater Building.

The Washington Composers Club will present the second of its series of formal concerts, on Thursday, in the lounge of the American Association of University Woman's Club house, 1634 I street. John Prindle Scott, American song writer, will return again to Washington in time to be the guest of honor at the concert, and he will present a group of new songs, which will be sung by Herman Fakler, barytone.

This concert will take the form of a chamber music concert, with a sonata for violin, and a sonata for cello being represented by two Washington composers, Mary Howe and LeSalle Spier. Mrs. Howe will have Bart Wirtz, cellist of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, playing her "Fantasque" for the cello. Spier will have Henri Sokolov, violinist of Washington, interpreting his violin sonata. Both composers will be at the piano.

Dr. Alexander Heinemann will present a group of songs, which will be sung by Harry Maycock, tenor. This promises to be one of the most interesting of the concerts which the Washington Composers Club has given, and admittance will be by card only, on account of the limited seating capacity of the auditorium.

Beulah Beverley Chambers, organist at the Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Thirteenth and L streets, returned on Sunday after a two weeks' absence during which Charles Ferry substituted.

The Washington College of Music will give a program this afternoon in the recital hall of the new Young Women's Christian Association at 4:30 o'clock. Those on the program will be Lillian R. Latham, soprano; Edna B. Schafer, contralto; Evelyn Scott, violinist; Edith DeCell, pianist; Seba Christie, tenor; Joseph Barbecot, barytone, and Edgar Kidwell, bass. Miss Catherine Benson and Miss Marjorie Davis will be the accompanists.

Miss Emilie Bishop, of the piano department, and Miss Ethel Hicks, of the violin department, of the Washington College of Music presented several of their pupils in a joint recital at the college Friday evening. The concert hall was well filled with parents and friends of the young musicians.

Those on the program were: Violin trio — Bradley Johnson, Richard Eldridge, Elliot Port; piano—Jean Dulin, Edward Frazier, Helen Sweeney, Virginia Hughes, Priscilla Woodley, Hannah Booth, Matilda Smith, Alice Bradburn; violin solos—Sarah Louise Robbins, Elliot Porte, Albert Kaminsky, Joseph Hammovitz, Harold Cladny, Isadore Fischer, Patrick Laughlin, Stanley Scheibe, George Fraser, Julian Rodriguez.

The following program was given Thursday evening at the Columbia Heights Community Center by the pupils of W. J. Oates, assisted by Marion

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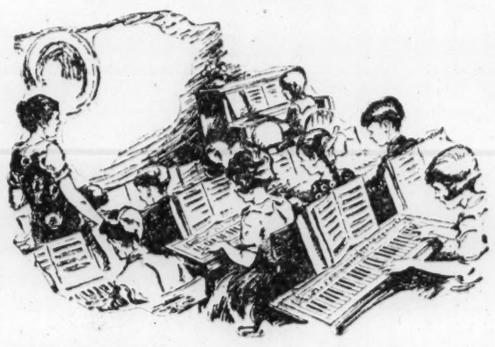
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The second Lenten organ recital of a series of five given at Epiphany Church, G street northwest, will be played by Charlotte Klein on Tuesday, at 8:15 p. m. Her program will be:

Chorale in B minor (Cesar Franck), Gavotte in F (S. Wesley), Passacaglia and Fugue, C minor (J. S. Bach), Fantasie in F sharp, M. S. (Frank L. Sealy), dedicated to Miss Klein; "Cathedral Windows," "Ave Maria" (S. Karg-Elert); choral, "Now Thank We All Our God" (S. Karg-Elert), "Song of the Chrysanthemum," (J. Bonnet), Suite Latine, Lauda Sion (C. M. Widor); "Memory," M. S. (Alec Moncrief), Grand Choeur Dialogue (Eugene Gigout).

Miss Klein is a native Washingtonian and played an organ the first time at Western Presbyterian Church when only 12 years of age, being called upon suddenly to supply the music for the church service when the regular organist was unavoidably detained. She fortunately continued with the organ, studying with Edgar Priest, organist of the Washington Cathedral, whose thorough training made it possible for her to win an organ scholarship at the Peabody Conservatory, Baltimore, for the years of 1915 to 1918.

In 1923 Miss Klein went to Paris and studied organ with Charles Marie Widor, and his assistant, Libert, and piano with Philipp and Decreus, all of whom are world-famed musicians and teachers. Miss Klein was the first woman organist to play before a convention of the American Guild of Organists, playing in Chicago in 1925 before the fourth general convention, and again in 1927 in Washington before the sixth general convention, playing a recital in the Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge Auditorium at the Library of Congress. Miss Klein has played many recitals in Washington and other large cities. Her recitals are always played from memory. Her next recital will be in Baltimore the later part of March, where she will give a recital before the Baltimore Chapter of the National Association of Organists.

A concert was given by the Imperial Male Quartet at the Metropolitan M. E. Church, Monday at 8:15 p. m. The quartet is composed of the following members: W. Arthur McCoy, first tenor; Edward G. Lippitt, second tenor; J. Benton Webb, barytone; Francis P. Heartsill, basso.

This program as given: "The Heart of You" (from "The New World Symphony," by Dvorak), arr. Parks, the quartet; barytone solo, "Rolling Down to Rio" (German), Mr. Webb; (a) "Mammy's Lullaby" (from "Humoresque") (Dvorak); (b) "Sweet and Low" (Barnby), the quartet; tenor solo, "The Want of You" (Vanderpool), Mr. McCoy; readings (selected), Miss Ostrander; bass solo, "The King's Prayer" (from "Lohengrin") (Wagner), Mr. Heartsill; (a) "Moonlight and Roses" (from "Andantino in E Flat") (Lemare); (b) "Venetian Love Song" (Nevin), the quartet; tenor solo, "Beloved It Is Morn" (Aylward), Mr. Lippitt; a group of old song favorites: (a) "Sweet Adeline;" (b) "The Old Oaken Bucket;" (c) "Star of the Summer Night," the quartet.

Mrs. S. D. Mayer's piano pupils and a group of children from the Peirce-Orme School gave a piano and song recital Wednesday at the school, 1620 Nineteenth street northwest.

Those who took part in the recital were Langley Land, Elizabeth Frankley, June Pyne, Edward Bradley, Bobbie Rands, Sarah Purnell, Elizabeth Hays, Bettie Ragsdale, Frances Brewster and Dixie Lyons.

A short evening of music was given at the University Club on Wednesday, with Miss Minnie F. Notz, pianist, and Mr. Carson P. Frailey, tenor soloist. Mr. Frailey was accompanied by Mr. E. J. Stenson.

Among her other selections Miss Notz played a series of her own compositions, including "Meditation," "Brooklet," "Romance" and "The Storm and Prayer of Thanks." As encores she played her own arrangement for the piano of Johann Sebastian Bach's "O! Blessed Head" and "Barcarolle," by Thome.

Miss Notz was for a number of years a teacher in the Wisconsin Conservatory of Music and carried the conservatory's extension work into about 50 cities and towns of Wisconsin.

The Elena de Sayn String Quartet, Sophocles T. Papas, Malton Boyce and Armand Paquay will be the first group of Washington musicians to honor the memory of Franz Schubert, by three concerts dedicated to Austrian and German composers.

Representatives of several countries, members of the Diplomatic Corps and society will add by their presence to the brilliancy of the occasion.

The concerts will take place March 12, 19 and 26 at the Du Barry Room of the Draper Building, at 1705 K street northwest.

The festival will open with a Schubert program on March 12, at which two novelties will be presented: The "Guitar Quartet," with Mr. Papas as the fourth link of the organization, and Schubert's "Last Quartet," known as Opus 161, published after his death.

The three numbers to be performed are very different in character. The "Guitar Quartet" is rich in exquisite melodies. The first part of it reminding Mozart in style, yet more romantic, the second, "Tema con Variazioni," delicate and poetic, built on a well-known German folk song, "Maedchen Schlummere Doch Nicht." Menuetto, in which the guitar is especially prominent a lento patetico, giving opportunities for the first violin and cello to be heard above other instruments and a fantastic "Zingara," a gypsy Hungarian dance with its variety of moods and time.

The string quartet as a contrast is dramatic and somewhat somberer in mood, while its last movement, a tarantelle sparkles with good humor.

The "Nocturne for Violin, Cello and Piano," assisted by Malton Boyce, pianist, has been heard in Washington before. Upon one occasion it was performed at the Washington Chamber Music Society concerts by members of the Lenox String Quartet, with Harold Baurer at the piano.

A feature of the solemn mass at 10 o'clock last Sunday in St. Patrick's Church was the singing of the Credo by the congregation. This feature will continue Sundays during Lent, the plain chant tones from the Vatican graduale being used. While this is frequently heard in Europe, apparently this is the first time it has been done in Washington.

Sunday evenings at 7:30 o'clock the service of devotion, known as the holy hour, will be observed during Lent. Special music suitable for the service is presented each Sunday.

Bazarova, dramatic soprano, will be presented in a costume recital on Tuesday evening at the Northminster Presbyterian Church, assisted by Miss Minnie Hoxsey, concert pianist, and Robert Ferguson, tenor.

Bazarova will sing selections from Bizet's "Carmen" and Verdi's "Il Trovatore," and art songs and standard ballads.

Ferguson will be heard in duets with Bazarova and will sing a group of songs. Miss Hoxsey will play three numbers, including the "Naila" waltz, by Delibes-Dohnanyi, and will accompany Bazarova and Ferguson.

Church Music

St. Margaret's.

There will be a special musical service at 4:30, with the following program: Anthem for soprano and chorus, "O Lord, We Beseech Thee," Marks; anthem for tenor and chorus, "Out of the Deep," Marks; anthem for contralto and chorus, "By the Waters of Babylon," Howell; duet for tenor and barytone, from the St. Cecilia Gloria, Gounod; at the offertory, quartet, "God So Loved the World," Stainer; vesper hymn, "Peace," Bottomley.

All Souls' Unitarian.

A spring series of half-hour programs of organ and vocal music, is announced for Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited. Lewis Atwater, organist, will present the following programs:

French program, assisted by Mrs. Walter K. Wilson, soprano; March 11, English program, assisted by G. H. Whitaker, tenor; March 18, Massenet program, assisted by Mrs. Florence Sindell, soprano; March 25, German program, assisted by John H. Marville, bass; April 1, Schubert program, assisted by Miss Mabel Flehr, contralto.

Mount Pleasant Congregational.

This morning at 11 o'clock the music will be given by the Mount Pleasant Chorus and solo quartet. The program follows: Organ prelude, "Melodie" (Lesbure-Wely); soprano solo, "Some Sweet Day" (Edwards); offertory chorus, "Spirit Immortal" (Attila) (Verdi); organ postlude, "March" (Smart).

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SECOND LESSON

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Did you join the procession of Music Makers last week on the Song Road to Music along the Melody Way? I trust you found it interesting, easy and pleasant!

Let us review the steps you have taken up to this point.

1. You have learned to feel time.
   (a) By speaking the words of two pieces.
   (b) By marching and tapping with the foot.
   (c) By drumming the rhythm of the Melody on the table as you count one, two; one, two.
2. You know the tone-names of the Melody.
3. You know the letter names of the Key-Board.
4. You know the names of your fingers.
5. You know how to use your fingers using
   (a) Arm-weight touch.
   (b) Forward rocking thrust.
   (c) Sidewise rotating motion.
6. You can play the Melody on the Key-Board and at the piano
   (a) With the Right Hand.
   (b) With the Left Hand.

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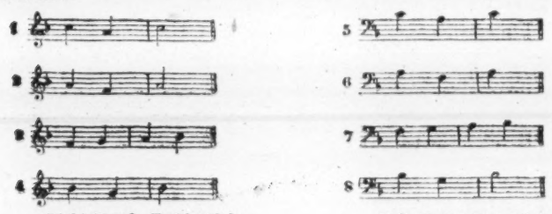
If you have succeeded in playing "Magic Music" in the Left Hand Melody, as well as the Right Hand, smoothly and evenly, you may now try it with each hand separately while your eyes follow the notes.

The notes for the Right Hand Melody are on the **five-line staff** above the words. Over each **note** is the number of the finger you must use. Under each **word** is the **tone-name** of the **musical scale** which is sung to it. Remember that, in these first pieces, each finger always plays the same Melody tone. Therefore, when you speak or sing the tone-name of a note it will help you to use the right finger for it.

Quarter and Half Notes

Notice that some of the note-heads are black while others are white. The black-head note is called a **quarter note** and gets one tap or count. The white-head note is called a **half note** and gets two taps or counts.

It will help you to learn "To A River," your new piece for today, if you will first practice the following motifs from "Magic Music." Memorize them by repeating the tone-names and the letter names. Also play them on the table and at the Key-Board. Ask some one to point to the motifs, skipping about, while you name and play them instantly without a break.



Right Hand—Treble Clef **Left Hand—Bass Clef**

When you read and play these music-motifs you will know tone-words just as you know the English words that you are reading in this lesson. You will enjoy finding these motifs in many other pieces, although they may appear in a different order. Knowing them by hand, by sound and by sight will help you to learn many new pieces. You will be pleased to find some of them in your next piece, "To A River."

"To A River"

There are four short phrases in this piece for the Right Hand and then the same four phrases are played by the Left Hand. The new thing you must learn to do is to play the four **eighth notes** which are played two to each tap or count, like this:

Feel the Time

Tap—		Heel	Toe	Heel	Toe
Count—		1	2	1	2
	(1)	River	ever	flow	ing
		Do Re	Mi Fa	So	Mi
	(2)	Flow	ing	flow	ing
		So	Mi	So	Mi
	(3)	River	ever	grow	ing
		Do Re	Mi Fa	So	Mi
	(4)	From a	tiny	rill	—
		So Fa	Mi Re	Do	—

You may now try to play each phrase, without stopping, first playing the Right Hand, then the Left Hand. Then you may try playing the Melody with both hands together. R. H. means Right Hand; L. H. means Left Hand.

First—On the Table.
Second—On the paper Key-Board.
Third—At the Piano.

FIRST PHRASE

Words—	(1)	Riv	er	ev	er	flow	ing
Tones—		Do	Re	Mi	Fa	So	Mi
R. H.—		1	2	3	4	5	5

SECOND PHRASE

Words—	(2)	Flow	ing	flow	ing
Tones—		So	Mi	So	Mi
R. H.		6	3	5	3

THIRD PHRASE

Words—	(3)	Riv	er	ev	er	grow	ing
Tones—		Do	Re	Mi	Fa	So	Mi
R. H.—		1	2	3	4	5	5

FOURTH PHRASE

Words—	(4)	From	a	ti	ny	rill	—
Tones—		So	Fa	Mi	Re	Do	—
R. H.—		5	4	3	2	1	—

The figure, So Mi, may be played with the rotating hand touch.

You should practice the three different groups separately until each is played perfectly, without a break.

The Left Hand Melody

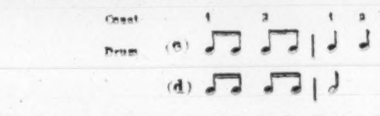
The phrases for the Left Hand Melody go like this:

Tap—		Heel	Toe	Heel	Toe
Count—		1	2	1	2
	(5)	Are you	nev er	qui	et
	(6)	Qui	et	qui	et
	(7)	Are you	nev er	qui	et
	(8)	Are you	nev er	still?	—

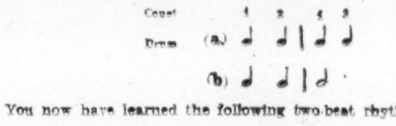
Since the Melody for the Left Hand is exactly like the Right Hand Melody you should now be able to play this by following the words and tone names as found in the printed piece. Notice that the music page shows the words, the tones, the fingers and the notes.

Drum the Rhythm

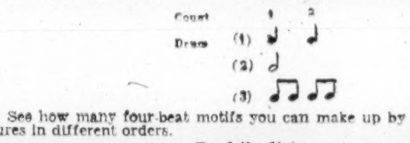
You should practice drumming the new rhythms in "To A River." The groups of two notes, with a horizontal bar joining the stems, are called **eighth notes**, played two to one count.



Also practice drumming the two "Magic Music" rhythms!



You now have learned the following two-beat rhythmic figures!



See how many four-beat motifs you can make up by arranging these figures in different orders.
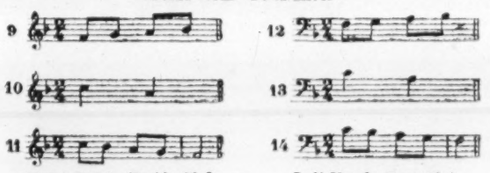
Read the Notes

After you have played the Melody, "To A River" with each hand the following three ways:

1. On the Table.
2. On the Key-Board.
3. At the Piano.

you should repeat this while your eyes follow the notes. Learn to know, at a single glance, the three melodic groups called **motifs**, which make up the whole piece.

Motifs from "To A River"



Right Hand—Treble Clef **Left Hand—Bass Clef**

Now, find each of these motifs, every time it appears in "To A River." Set each motif apart from the rest of the music in the complete piece by framing it between the index fingers of your two hands. This will train your eyes to see at once all the notes of the group, which may be a **motif** or a **figure**. As your eyes "catch" each motif at a glance (like a printed word) repeat aloud:

1. The tone names
2. The letter names
3. The finger numbers.

Review

Let us review a few things we have learned, so far.

The **rhythm** is the "go" or movement which you can speak, drum, clap or play.

A **phrase** is a bit of melody set to one line of the poem.

A **motif** is part of a phrase but enough of the tune to remind you of the piece to which it belongs.

A **figure** usually has only two, three or four tones that make musical sense but may occur in many pieces, like: **So, Mi; Mi, Do.**

A **measure** is a group of two, three, four or more taps, counts or beats, indicated by bars.

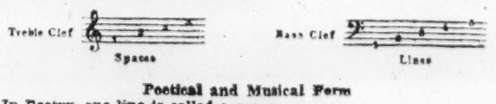
The **measure sign** at the beginning describes the kind of measure used. The upper number tells how many beats in each measure. The lower number tells which kind of note gets one count.

A **quarter note** usually gets one count.

A **half note** usually gets two counts.

The **treble clef** is used on the staff for the higher notes, generally for those above (to the right of) **Middle C.**

The **bass clef** is used on the staff for the lower notes, generally for those below (to the left of) **Middle C.**



Poetical and Musical Form

In Poetry, one line is called a **verse.**
In Music, the **tune** to one line is a **phrase.**
In Poetry, two lines are called a **couplet.**
In Music, two **phrases** are called a **section.**
In Poetry, four lines are called a **stanza.**
In Music, four **phrases** are called a **period.**

It will be a great help to you to learn the form of a piece of music. Surely, you have observed that in Poetry, certain lines rhyme. Sometimes the first and second, also the third and fourth lines rhyme. We might call these lines A-A, B-B.

A— Twinkle, twinkle, lit-tle star, —
A— How I won-der what you are —
B— Up a-bove the world so high —
B— Like a dia-mond in the sky —

Compare this with "Magic Music" and you will see that, in this piece the first and third, also the second and fourth lines rhyme. These lines then, might be called A-B-A-B. Rhymes make poetry easier to remember than prose.

For this reason, it will be easy for you to memorize music pieces if you think of them as arranged in forms made up of phrases, sections and periods. You think the music in phrases, instead of as separate notes.

Also, it will be much easier to read and learn to play new pieces if you first analyze or study the form. You will usually find that some phrases are repeated. Knowing this, you can recognize a repeated phrase at one single glance.

In your third lesson, next week, you will learn how to play the **chords** that go with the Melodies of "Magic Music" and "To A River." You may begin to study these now as they appear at the bottom of the printed music of the first two lessons. The **Melody Chord Finder** will make it very easy to find these two chords. Maybe you will be clever enough to find out for yourself how to play them! Anyway, it's worth trying.

Also, next week, you will learn to play the prettiest piece of all, so far. It is a French Melody called "Little Wooden Shoes." In France, millions of boys and girls know and love this tune. Gradually it has spread to nearly all other countries.

Next week, too, you will begin to play your pieces in different **keys**, that is, with **Do** starting on G or on C, or, in fact, on any key. The Melody Key-Finder makes it easy to play in **all keys**. You simply slide the Key-Finder to the right or left so that **Do** falls on the key in which you want to play.

Major Scale

You will observe that the bottom row of squares on your Melody Key-Finder shows all of the tones of the **Major Scale**. From left to right these are:

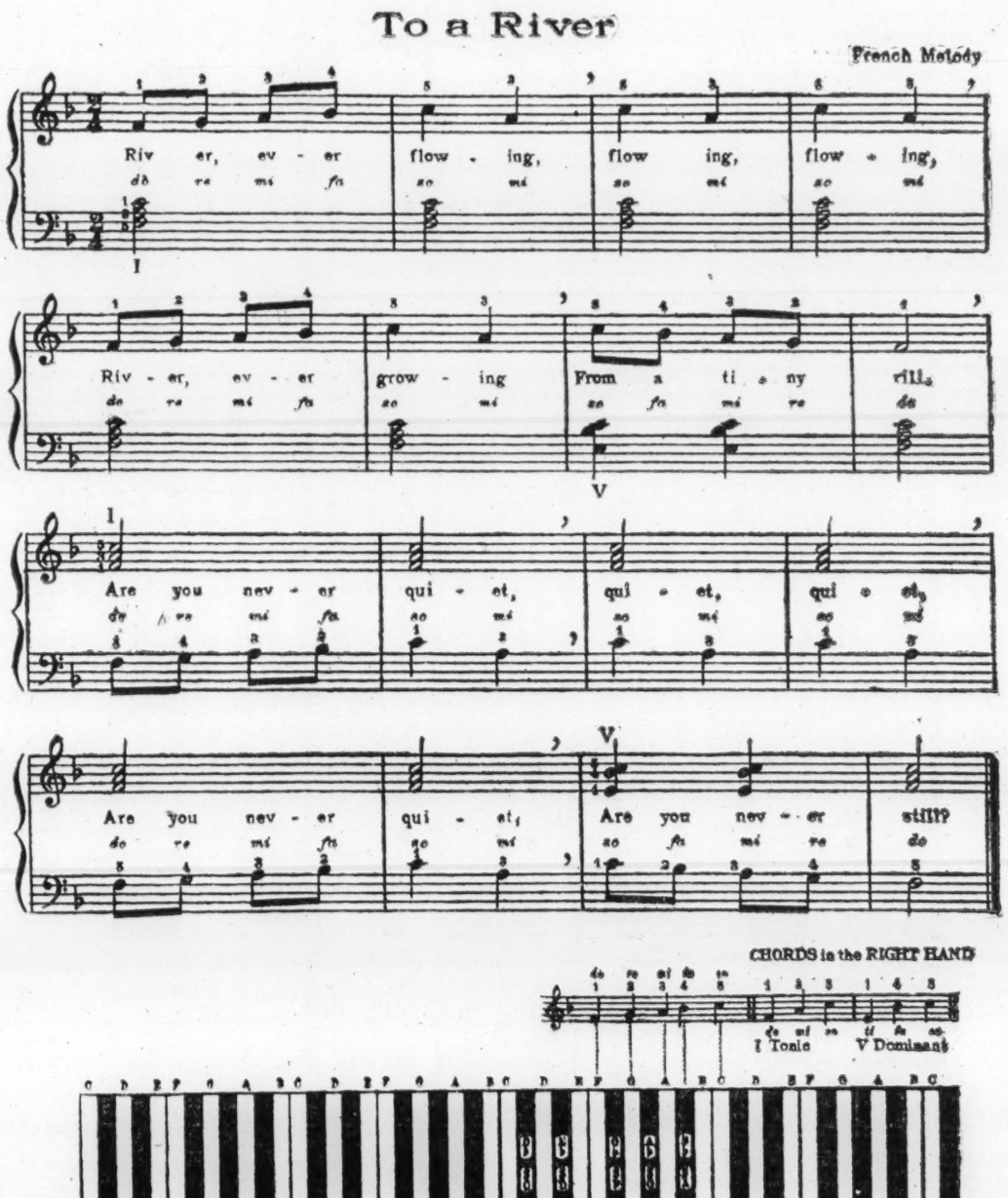
Do Re Mi Fa So La Ti Do

With the Key-Finder you will quickly learn all the major scales, simply by moving the Key-Finder so that **Do** lies over the key in which the piece is written. It is the **key-note, Do**, or **one**, of the major scale, that names the major key. For example, if **Do**, or one, begins on **A**, then the piece or song is said to be in the key of **A Major.**

Maybe you will be curious enough to try this out, too, beforehand! You may be sure of this! There are good times ahead for the boys and girls of The Melody Way Club!

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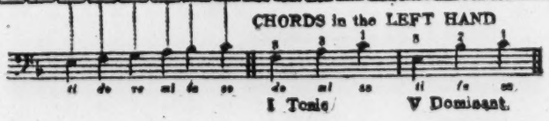
French Melody



CHORDS in the RIGHT HAND



CHORDS in the LEFT HAND



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V7																V7
I																I
IV																IV

PLAY THE CHORDS IN THE FOLLOWING CADENCE FORMS: I, V, (V7) I—I, IV, I—I, IV, V, (V7) I. PLAY IN THREE CHORD POSITIONS. TRANSPOSE TO ALL KEYS.

Fashions of Capital Women

By VYLLA POE WILSON.

THE fashion fiat has gone forth from Paris. Skirts are coming down. Not to ankle length, of course. But it is safe to venture no smart Easter frock will expose the knees, and the manufacturers of materials will have cause to rejoice because more goods will be used in the fashioning of skirts, and everybody will be happy.

The trend downward of the season's skirt is most noticeable in the evening gown, the models of this type frequently have skirts several inches longer in the back than in the front. Lucky the woman who had good, deep hems put into her short skirts. Now she can let them down a few inches and be right in the vogue of the moment. And should the pendulum swing again to shorter skirts, a few stitches and the garments may be shortened again.

In true twentieth-century fashion, after stunning Parisian models had been brought to New York, they were sent to different cities by airplane so foresighted shops could beat their competitors in exhibiting the newest clothes hints from Paris.

Another interesting hint from the French capital was that, despite the return of long hair as the fashionable coiffure in America, the hats remain small and the cloche is holding its own. Whether this fact will stop the onward advance of the bobbed-hair fashion is still to be seen. In France the bobbed-hair fad is still raging, and some noted experts in hairdressing claim that it will continue for at least 50 years more.

In the United States there is no doubt of the waning of the fad with the young, at least. But one more season of the cloche is here, and the large hats, while they will be seen, will be few and far between.

Curves to Be in Vogue.

With the return of long hair and long skirts comes the mode of the "curves." Centuries ago it was discovered that the curve is the secret of feminine beauty but in recent years the straight silhouette has been the popular one.

Now, by the use of drapes and sashes, the overslender maid may simulate the curves the vogue demands. Ralph Moni, president of the Art League of America, recently speaking in Chicago on this topic, remarked:

"Drapes, ruffles, jabots and sashes must be confined in graceful lines directly over the hip this season to lure back an appearance of curves.

"Hips are back because without them the body is not artistically curved and curves are the last word in the style world. Women can not put on weight overnight any more than they could reduce overnight. They can, however, give the appearance of curves with the ordering of one new dress, because an expert can make a curved dress.

The quaint pantalettes of our grandmothers and the trousers of Oriental and Turkish women are making a distinct bid for their place in the fashion sun but without any real impression save on beaches and winter playgrounds. Few of the fashion centers are really excited over the trouser theme.

But in masculine circles where clothes fads come up for eager discussion there is much conversation over the spirited revolt led by H. R. M. the Prince of Wales on the "tyranny of the boiled shirt."

The prince has started something again. The end is not yet, but if he is serious in his attitude the reign of the boiled shirt may be over. The Prince claimed that starched shirts grew out of wearing shirt studs. England is waiting breathlessly for the moment when the popular prince will appear wearing a soft shirt with his dress clothes. When that time arrives Englishmen will follow his lead with joy.

Another fad the prince has set in motion is that of the large white dress tie. He appeared at a dinner in London in correct evening dress and with a white tie bigger than anything ever seen in the West End for generations. It was three inches deep at the extremities and submerged his collar and was at least twice the size of any cravat worn by any one else. So important an item of masculine fashion was this considered that the news of that white tie was cabled all over the world and in some places it shared honors with Lindbergh's latest aerial exploit on the front pages of enterprising journals.

Royalty Sets the Pace.

It is not the first time that royalty has set the pace for fashion. King Edward VII was a great pacemaker in this respect and now this distinction has descended to his grandson, who is said to resemble him greatly anyway.

One thing is certain, whatever the prince decides upon the Washington shops will have the vogue here as quickly as anywhere else in this country. Our merchants are very alert in the matter of keeping step with the prevailing winds of fashion. Fashion, indeed, being the conceded outcome of a more general smart selection, is made more available by clever work on the part of the purveyors of clothes. Despite the general opinion of husbands and fathers who must pay the bills, to be in the fashion does not always require a heavy purse in which to dip. Very good taste is what is necessary, not untold wealth. A woman with good taste will instinctively choose what is most suitable in color and design and will, therefore, appear to be always well dressed.

These things are essential for the woman who displays genuine style. A keen sense of proportion, a real feeling for line, color and composition, and a thorough knowledge of what is appropriate in costume. The knowledge may be either inborn or acquired. It may be something which naturally expresses itself in this manner, or something which she may have studied to attain. But she must have, at least, a natural love for clothes and understanding of the human figure, or she will study to little advantage. She must take an interest in accessories, too.

Straight Line Observed.

The latest slant on fashion is that a straight line is not the shortest distance to a style point at all no matter what it may be in the world of mathematics.

In fact those who draw the modes of the moment art apt to use a slanting line of criss-cross zig-zag one, whether it is to apply embroidery or for the effective and very useful pastime of cutting portions of the materials into odd shapes and sewing them together again.

With the popularity of the surplice, the slanting line becomes more and more in use and is duly emphasized by the enormous bows with which this surplice effect so often ties on the left hip.

On the capes—and no matter whether they happen to strike her fancy or not, the smart woman is going to wear capes, and many of them, this spring and summer—the bottom is apt to be cut on a slantwise line or the garment made of pieces of slantwise materials.

In this season of the slanting line it is a surprise that so many of the new coats and the jackets to suits should button on a straight line in the exact front as they all do, except, of course, when they are chic to the extreme, and have no fastenings of any kind.

The suit, composed of the short jacket and short skirt, is to be popular this spring as it is at the present writing in fact. Since all things are not equal in the fashion realm, and have taken on new proportions, it is not surprising that in the prints one sees a deliberate but effective inequality of design and color which becomes very smart when the garment is properly designed and made.

Chances for Embellishment.

In this day when a blouse often has one side plain and the other side embellished in some way, it is not surprising that the new silks are being presented with great open spaces between the designs, giving a chance for this effect and saving, in fact, many hours of shopping in an endeavor to find materials with and without designs that match or harmonize.

Costumes for March winds quite naturally have many floating ends such as scarfs and capes as a welcome to the breeziness of spring, and a concession to the pranks of the month, the connecting link between the chill of February and the smiles and tears and sunshine of April.

Stripes on the popular slantwise design in all widths and colors are displayed in many of the new spring coats and suits and even the sport dresses most charmingly, if one has a figure to wear them. It has been discovered, however, that the slantwise stripe is better for the average figure than the straight up and down one. No one really likes to wear straight across one so suggestive of the prison bars and convict suits.



MRS. HOWARD F. RIPLEY
Who was Miss Evelyn M. Girton before her recent marriage.

Mrs. Coolidge in Black.

When Mrs. Coolidge went for her first ride, after nearly three weeks of illness in the White House, she wore an ensemble costume of black cloth and satin, with small close-fitting hat, and a heavy gray fur coat for extra warmth.

Countess Cornelia Szechenyi, the attractive debutante daughter of the Hungarian Minister and Countess Szechenyi, had on at a tea a costume of beige composed of a beige georgette dress, made with a wide scarf collar and a plain overblouse, and narrow pleated skirt. With this she wore a close-fitting beige felt hat and a beige fur coat.

Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke is wearing a very smart costume of black satin made with an overblouse with long sleeves worn with a flared skirt. The dress is effectively trimmed with cut steep beads as is the close-fitting black satin hat.

Mrs. George Barnett is wearing an evening gown of creamy satin brocade, made with a huge bow at one hip, falling into a slight train. The bodice has a deep "V" neckline back and front.

Mrs. Porter Dale chose for one of the receptions at the Congressional Club a gown of deep American beauty velvet, made on plain lines with a slight drape at the left hip.

Mrs. Charles C. McChord is wearing a becoming gown of black chiffon embroidered in floral design over a gold cloth slip.

Senora de Bedoya, the lovely blonde haired wife of the secretary of the Peruvian Embassy, had on at a tea a dress of brown velvet made with a high scarf collar. With this she wore a gros grained ribbon hat of the same shade.

Geranium Red Favored.

Mme. de La Barra wore at a tea a gown of geranium red chiffon, made with a surplice bodice and tiered skirt. With this she wore a small, black velvet hat.

Mrs. Fred Britten has a two-piece dress of black crepe satin, made with a deep "V" neckline outlined with three folds of chiffon shading from flesh to rose. With this she wears a small black satin hat with a tiny veil with one polka dot to look like a "beauty spot" on her cheek.

Mrs. Harry Norment chose for a recent luncheon a costume of wine red chiffon with which she wore a wine red velvet hat and a brown fur coat.

Mrs. George Mesta, who came to Washington last week, had on at a luncheon a gown of heavy black grained silk, made on simple lines under a coat of the same materials, with a huge silver fox collar. With this she wore a small black velvet hat.

Mrs. Royal S. Copeland, wife of Senator Copeland, wore at a dinner party a becoming costume of black silver beaded material in robe effect over cloth of silver.

Mrs. R. B. Hills, of Northampton, Mass., had on at the Congressional Club reception a picture gown of white taffeta, with a fitted bodice and full-on skirt, beaded in pearls.

Mme. Medina, wife of the Bolivian Minister, is wearing a gown of black crepe satin made with bandings of the dull side of the material put in slantwise. With this she wears a small black satin hat and a large silver fox fur.

Mrs. Clyde Kelly wore at a recent dinner a gown of white transparent velvet beaded in crystals and rhinestones.

Mrs. Gerry in Gold.

Mrs. Peter Goelet Gerry wore at the reception for the Vice President and Mrs. Dawes at the Congressional Club a gown of gold, with deep fringes of tiny gold beads.

Mme. Lipa, wife of the Counselor of the Czechoslovakian Legation, is wearing an evening ensemble of powder blue and silver. The gown is of silver embroidered in blue beads, and with it she wears a long cape of blue velvet lined with silver, with a handsome fur collar.

Mrs. Sidney Cloman had on at a luncheon a gown of gray crepe satin made with a coat effect. With this she wore a gray velvet coat trimmed with gray fur and a small black satin hat.

Mme. Slavo Grouitch, wife of the former Minister of the Serbs, Croates and Slovens, wore at a dinner party recently a gown of black velvet heavily embroidered in rhinestones with rhinestone shoulder straps and a narrow girdle of rhinestones.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson is wearing a costume of the soft silvery gray which she liked so much when she was first lady of the land. This gown is of chiffon, with a finely pleated skirt and plain upper part, with cape back effect. She wore this at a tea, with a picture hat of black velvet, untrimmed.

Mrs. Henry Allen Cooper, wife of Representative Cooper, is wearing an evening dress of black velvet trimmed with rhinestones, and with the drapery at one side caught with a large rhinestone motif holding it at the left.

Mrs. Frederick Frelinghuysen in Paris wore at a recent function there a simply cut gown of white satin, with her only ornament an emerald, worn at the side.

Mrs. Julian Street, jr., another American woman in Paris, who is well-known in Washington, wore at the same party a gown of pastel blue taffeta embroidered in pink roses.

Mrs. Wesley L. Jones, wife of Senator Jones, of Washington, is wearing an evening gown of black transparent velvet with outlining in rhinestones, and made on draped lines.

Miss Mary Randolph, the secretary to Mrs. Coolidge, has a coat of black baby caracul, with a collar and cuffs of mink. With this she wears a small black velvet hat with a piece of the crown formed in a chou at the side.

Mrs. Ogden Mills is wearing a gown of white chiffon velvet made with the tight, drawn-back effect, with a deep V neckline back and front. There is an extremely wide bow of the material at the back falling into streamer ends forming two slight trains.

Mrs. Dwight F. Davis, wife of the Secretary of War, who with Mrs. Nicholas Longworth was among the first to wear butterfly-like costumes with huge bows at the back or side, is wearing one of black transparent velvet, studded in rhinestones with a huge bow at the side back lined with silver and held by a rhinestone buckle. Somehow, this type of gown has a more slenderizing effect than the simplest of the straight ones.

Mrs. Peyton Gordon, wife of the newly appointed Justice of the District of Columbia Supreme Court, wore at a recent tea a gown of brown velvet made on modish lines. She wore a small brown hat and a brown fur coat.

Miss Frances McKee, daughter of Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke, wore at one of the festivities incident to the announcement of her engagement to Charles Stone, of Washington, a gown of sapphire blue chiffon velvet embroidered in silver and made with a molded bodice and full skirt. Her wrap was of white ermine made in wrap-over style with a shirred-on collar of the same fur.

Mme. Prochnik, wife of the Minister from Austria, wore a picture gown of gold lace at one of the recent dinners. This was made with a fitted bodice and fulled tiered skirt of the lace, and the bertha was arranged in a dropped-from-the-shoulder effect.

Some one was asking the other day what is the chief clothes crime of the age? The answer is inappropriateness.

The chic woman never transgresses in this manner but, alas, all of us can not claim to that proud title, and the growing tendency of wearing afternoon gowns in the morning and evening gowns for the afternoon brings this feature of dressing to the fore.

Morning dress has a distinction of its own if adhered to strictly, but the habit of rushing from committee meeting to luncheon, then on to bridge and perhaps afternoon tea sends some of our social celebrities out of their houses at 10 o'clock in the morning in afternoon frocks which look a trifle out of place at that hour.

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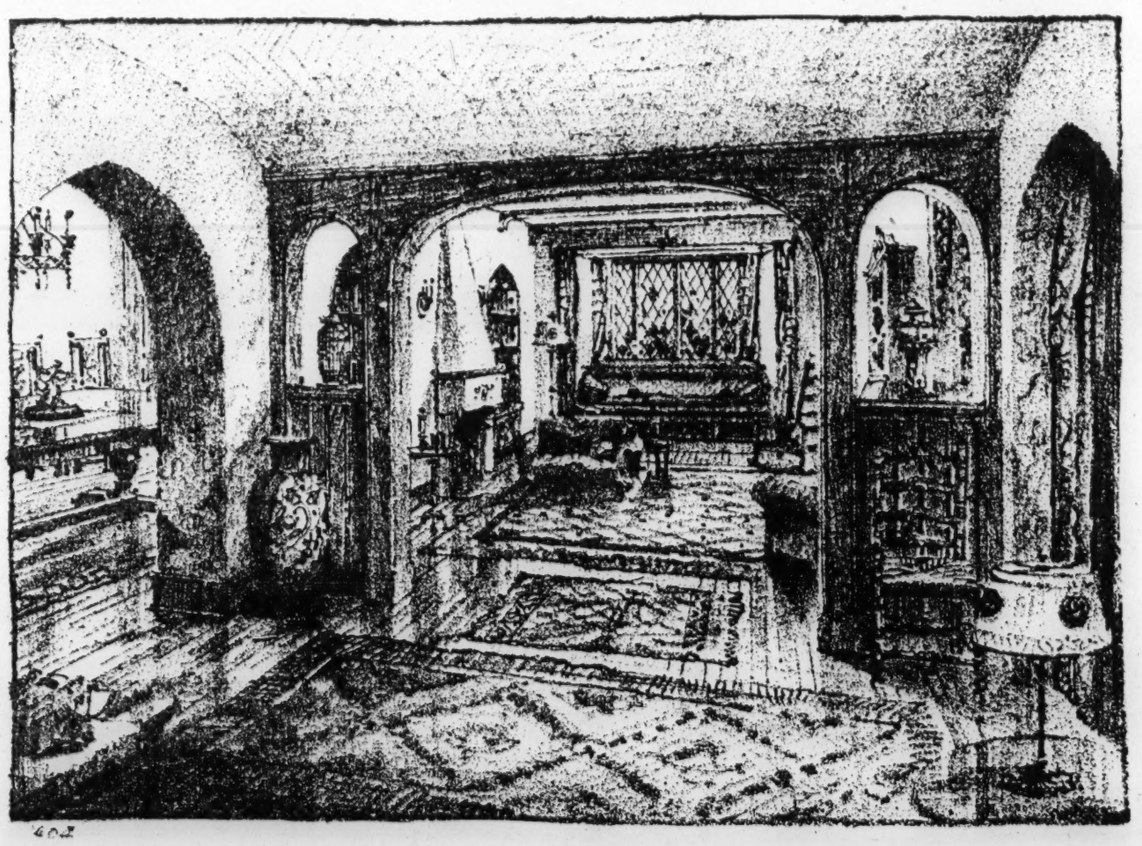
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Activities of the Women's Clubs



By VYLLA POE WILSON.

THE systematic appointment of the activities of the women organizations along lines of women and child welfare and national conservation has made these activities more effective during the past few years.

Arbor Day, April 20, and National Forest Week, April 22 to April 28, will be especially observed by the local clubs as the beginning of their spring programs for tree planting and conservation and the campaign against destruction of the shrubbery and wild flowers in and about Washington.

On Arbor Day, a city wide observation is being planned by the women's organizations, led by Mrs. Eva C. Chase, chairman of the memorial tree committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. There will be a luncheon at the Woman's City Club, when pictures of the trees of Washington will be shown and afterwards the members and guests wil drive out to Bladenburg road to inspect the trees planted by the clubs, on which markers have now been placed.

In accordance with the request of President Coolidge to set aside National Forest Week for public discussion of what must be done to safeguard our forests and restore them, most of the clubs are including on their programs for this week speakers from the Government and from conservation organizations who will tell how the women can help in this great work. President Coolidge has emphasized particularly the need for suppressing the forest fire evil and has pointed out the benefits that will accrue from making the forest lands of the United States fully productive of continuous timber crops. So many local club women have their interest in the well being of other States and communities that the tree conservation and forest problem becomes a personal and civic one.

All the women's organizations have been very active since the war in the spaces reserved in the city for this purpose.

May Day is "Children's Day" to the women of Washington and, in addition to the pleasant custom of having a May basket hung on the front door of the White House for Mrs. Coolidge by the children under the auspices of the American Child Health Association, the women are planning to spend the week in which this day occurs in an intensive study of child health problems and formulate plans for the year's work.

Health for the women in the home, office, shops and professions is also a tenet of the clubwomen of Washington. They set the example by having as part of their yearly club schedule classes in health activities, sports and out-of-door recreation. One of the most enjoyable features of the local club life are the hikes, nature study walks and picnics which take place when the weather permits.

One of the most interesting groups of local and national women met on Wednesday at the Woman's National Democratic Club for their annual meeting, election and annual banquet, to which Democratic leaders among the men were invited.

We have heard so much about ladies' rooms in men's clubs, but the Woman's National Democratic Club has reserved the old order of things and has established a men's room in the clubhouse for the men who are associate members of the club.

A contributor to the activities of the District Chapter of the Red Cross provided a player piano for the recreation room of the U. S. Naval Hospital the other day in response to an appeal from the veterans there for such an instrument. On Thursday the instrument was installed and a tea was given with Maj. Gen. George Barnett, chairman of the District Chapter Red Cross; Miss Alice Clapp, Mrs. Harry C. Barnes and Mrs. W. S. Spencer, chairman of hospitals, as guests of honor. Mrs. George Barnett presided over the tea table.

The monthly meeting of the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs was held at the Hotel Roosevelt Monday. The president, Mrs. Virginia White Speel, presided.

Following the salute to the flag and prayer, the meeting was opened with the singing of "America, the Beautiful," by the club members, led by Mrs Arthur J. Seaton.

Officers reports were given by Mrs. Wallace Streater, recording secretary; Mrs. E. C. Criswell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Tamar F. Rorke, treasurer, and Mrs. Eugene Pitcher, director to the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. May D. Lightfoot gave a report on the work of her department, American citizenship.

Mrs. Ellis Logan, chairman of the department of fine arts, told of visits to the art galleries and invited the members to visit the Phillips Gallery tomorrow and March 17 at the Corcoran Art Gallery.

Mrs. William J. LaVarre, chairman of the department of public welfare, gave the present status of the police woman's bill.

Mrs. Charles P. Keyser told of the work accomplished by her committee with the former service men at Walter Reed Hospital.

Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, a member of the committee on playgrounds, spoke of her appreciation of the help of the federation in playground work, of which she is director.

The chairman of the committee on Bible study, Mrs. H. Moffatt Bradley announced that through the cooperation of Mrs. Harriet Hawley Locher chairman of the division of moving pictures, and prominent clergymen, a series of Lenten Bible stories will be given for the benefit of the school children and club members. The program will be tendered March 15 at the York Theater, Georgia avenue and Quebec streets northwest, with the Rev. F. C. Reynolds, pastor of the Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church as speaker, and on March 22 at the Savoy Theater, 3030 Fourteenth street, with Dr. Earle Wilfey, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, as speaker. March 29 the program will be given in the Chevy Chase Theater, 5612 Connecticut avenue, when Dr. James Shera Montgomery will speak. These services will begin promptly at 3:15 and conclude at 5 p. m.

Mrs. Edith Sears, chairman of the committee on drama, spoke on the community plays recently shown in this city.

Mrs. J. Frank Wilson, chairman of the committee on poetry, reported on a recent meeting of her members.

Mrs. Jason Waterman, chairman of the revision committee, read the changes in the constitution and by-laws as suggested by her committee and which will be acted upon at the annual meeting.

Mrs. Eva C. E. Chase, chairman of the memorial tree committee, announced that her committee is holding a luncheon on Arbor Day, April 20, at the Woman's City Club, and invited the club members to participate. Pictures of the trees of Washington will be shown and afterward the members will drive out to Biadensburg road and inspect the trees planted by the clubs on which markers have now been placed.

At the afternoon session Miss Frances Hays, field secretary of the National Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations, gave a talk on home education

Under the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Bischoff, chairman of the committee on social hygiene, a program was presented Mrs. W. P. Roop, chairman of the committee on social hygiene of the Parent-Teacher Association of the District of Columbia, told of the work accomplished along this line among the sechools, and Dr. Moses Lovell, pastor of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, spoke of the churches' part in this educational work.

Mrs. Arthur J. Seaton, chairman of the division of music, gave several piano selections.

The following were elected as delegates to attend the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held in San Antonio, Tex., May 29 to June 6: Mrs. H. Moffat Bradley, chairman; Mrs. Ellis Logan, Miss Pearl McCall and Mrs. Harriet Hawley Locher, with Mrs. John A. Steele, Mrs. J. Frank Wilson, Mrs. William M. Collins and Mrs. Marie Brindley as alternates.

The federation will hold a meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Hotel Roosevelt. The chairman of the committee on drama, Mrs. Edith Sears, will present several one-act plays. A musical program will be given between the plays, under the direction of Mrs. Arthur J. Seaton.

The Washington Chapter of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish will hold its regular March meeting at 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, in room 29, Corcoran Hall, George Washington University.

After a very brief business meeting, Dr. William Manger, chief of the division of fine arts at the Pan-American Union, will give an address on "The Recent Pan-American Conference at Havana."

Senor Angel Cabrillo Vazquez, of Catholic University, will discuss certain aspects of "La Obra de Vicente Blasco Ibanez."

The Woman's Club of Chevy Chase, Md., music section, Mrs. William Lyles Offutt, leader, and Herndon Morsell, director, gave their February musicale Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. Rea Shafer, on Meadow Lane. A program of old love songs was given under the direction of Mrs. Robert Le Fevre, the notes of the composers being given by Mrs. George Gravatt. Mrs. Marshall C. Guthrie, soprano, sang the "Aria" from "Samson and Delila," by Saint-Saens; Shubert's "Serenade" and "Habanera," from Carmen, by Bizet, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. James Shera Montgomery.

Mrs. Dawson Olmstead played the piano solo "Serenade." Mrs. M. Rea Shafer, alto, accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery, sang Cadman's "At Dawning" and MacDowell's "Long Ago." Mrs. Le Fevre sang "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming," by Steven Foster, accompanied by Mrs. James V. Bennett at the piano.

The hostess was assisted in serving tea by the following ladies: Mrs. Robert Le Fevre, Mrs. George Gravatt, Mrs. Emmert Germann, Mrs. Horace W. Gillett, Mrs. Hoppe, Miss Mattie Gibson, Mrs. Archer Haycock, Mrs. Charles V. Imlay, Mrs. James V. Bennett, Mrs. Theodore G. Joslin, Mrs. Walter C. Henderson, Mrs. Samuel L. Jodidi and Mrs. Clifford M. Huddleson.

Mrs. Offutt announces that commencing Wednesday rehearsals will be held each Wednesday at 10 a. m. in the Chevy Chase, Md., library, under the direction of Mr. Morsell, instead of twice a month as formerly. The section is preparing for the annual concert to be held in May.

The French section, Mrs. William Y. Brady, leader, met on Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Leifur Magnusson, on Northampton street, when the members played cards, using only French while playing A special study has been made for the afternoon and the experience was very much enjoyed. Mrs. W. I. Holt, who has just returned from Havre, France, was a guest and added to the pleasure of the afternoon with her practical knowledge of the language. This section has three classes studying the language weekly, under the direction of Mrs. Winslow Herschel. Mrs. Magnusson served tea, Mrs. Brady, presiding at the tea table.

Tuesday, the nature section, Mrs Truman Abbe, leader, will walk, leaving Chevy Chase Circle at 10 a. m.; the social section, Mrs. George Wagner, leader, will have an executive board meeting at 10:30 at Mrs. Wagner's on Hesketh street and at the same hour the March luncheon committee will meet with its chairman, Mrs. Frank W Evans, on Maple avenue. The membership committee, Mrs. Karl C. Corley, chairman, will not meet Tuesday but on March 13, at the home of the chairman.

Wednesday at 7:30, the music section will give its annual dinner to the husbands, at the Village Inn, Connecticut avenue. At 8:30 p. m. the social section will give its monthly dance at the Chevy Chase library. The string ensemble will rehearse at the home of the director, Mrs. Frank Spring Westbrook, 3626 McKinley street, at 8 o'clock.

The international outlook section of the Twentieth Century Club will meet tomorrow, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. B. Bryan, 1330 Eighteenth street. Mrs. Ernest P. Bicknell, vice chairman, will preside. Wilmott Lewis will speak on South Africa. Short talks on current events in various countries will be given by Miss Grace Willis, Mrs W. W. Husband and others. Mrs. Grosvenor Jones will give a review of features of the Pan-American Congress Tea will be served by Mrs. Washburn, Miss Jane Young, Mrs. Austin Clark Mrs Merle Thorpe, Mrs. Francis Goodwin and Mrs. Newton Collamer.

The parliamentary law section will meet at the Woman's City Club, 22 Jackson place, at 11 a. m. Tuesday.

The advanced French section will meet Wednesday at 1 o'clock for lunch at 1228 M street. Mrs. Frederic Farrington will preside.

The civic section will meet on Thursday at 12 o'clock at the Woman's City Club, 22 Jackson place, for a forum luncheon. Miss Milliken, assistant to Mrs. Mina Van Winkle, will speak on the value of jury service by woman Mrs. Robert P. Howard will preside.

The Mount Pleasant W. C. T. U met Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Seymour Lowman, Miss Rebecca Rhoads Mrs. N. M. Pollock and Mrs. George A. Ross were among the guests. Miss Laura Young, soprano; Mrs. Helen Edgar Lancaster, contralto; Miss Ruth Alberty, violinist, and Mrs. Inez Jennings accompanist, gave the musical program, and Miss Helen Colhoun read selections. Miss Helen Harmon and Mrs. Edmund C. Stanton assisted at the tea table.

Mrs. Lyman F. Kebler and the president, Mrs. James M. Doran, wife of Dr. J. M. Doran, United States prohibition commissioner, were hostesses.

Lloyd Harter was guest of honor and speaker at the regular weekly luncheon of the Soroptimist Club held at the Lafayette Wednesday. Mr. Harter said the age of colorful masonry is here and cited a building now about to be erected in Chicago which will range from green to salmon color on the exterior. The president, Caroline Stephen, presided. Mrs. Fletcher, a member of the Quota Club, was a guest.

Percy Foster, of the Washington Convention Bureau, will be the guest and speaker at the luncheon Wednesday. Mr. Foster will give information for the International Soroptimist convention to be held in Washington June 4 to 8.

Miss Alice Hutchins Drake, Miss Willard Howe, Mrs. Ernest R. Grant, Mrs. C. W. Allen, Miss Patricia Poe Bennett, Mrs. Victoria Faber Stevenson, Miss Irene Juno, Mrs. E. W. Davidson, Mrs. Marie O. Sprinkle, Mrs. Thomas N. Nichols, Miss Agnes Winn, Mrs. Nellie Feally, Miss Katherine Wooten, Mrs. Agnes Newman have been appointed by Dr. Anita Boggs,



Left—Mrs. Antoinette D. Hechmer, leader in the legislative work of the local clubs. Center—Miss Ivy Wentworth, member of the swimming section of the Woman's City Club. Right—Miss Frieda Kenyon, of the Quota Club.

president of the District of Columbia League of American Pen Women, to appoint delegates for the biennial convention of the national league.

Miss Elizabeth Mallott Barnes, second vice president of the District League, has been appointed by the national board as a member of the national nominating committee. Members of the District escort committee and the national commitee on convention arrangements will be announced later.

The drama group will meet at the home of Mrs. Estelle Moses, on Sixteenth street, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock. Dr. Bernard Facteau will make an address.

James Lewis Moneyway will speak on the "Revision of the Short Story" before the short-story section at the clubrooms Tuesday at 8 p. m. Mrs. E. W. Davidson is chairman of this group.

The Thursday Night Salon, Miss Patricia Poe Bennett, chairman, will have Lieut. Col. H. Edmund Bullis speak on "The Romance of the Calender."

Miss Bertha Frances Wolfe, chairman of the parliamentary-law section, will meet with her group Friday at 8 o'clock. Miss Wolfe has been appointed as permanent parliamentarian.

The Night Review, Miss Agnes Winn, chairman, will meet Saturday night. Mrs. Ernest Thompson Seton, national president, will review "The Heritage of Women;" Mrs. Olivia Moreland Lloyd her own book, "Around the World on an Army Transport," and Miss Bertha Frances Wolfe, "The Lonesome Road."

Miss Irene Juno, chairman of the music group, will present her March Sunday musical next Sunday at 4:40 p. m.

The poetry group has issued an invitation to all members of the league and their friends to attend a lecture by Dr. P. J. Lennox, professor of English and dean of the Catholic University of America. Dr. Lennox will speak on "The Poetry of Sir Walter Scott" at the regular meeting of the poetry group, March 12.

Mrs. William Wolfe Smith spoke on "My Pilgrimage to Stratford-on-Avon and Oxford" last evenins at the clubrooms.

Miss Laura Thornborough and Miss Anne Darlington read original short stories at the last meeting of the round table, under the direction of Miss Alice Heaven. The next meeting will be held Tuesday March 13, at 11 o'clock

"Bible Stories" was the subject of the meeting of the juvenile literary section, Miss Ruth Forney, chairman. Plans were discussed for the coming convention and Isabel Anderson contest. The subject for the next meeting will be "Stories of Travel and History."

The luncheon of the American Association of University Women took place yesterday Mrs. E. Eybers, of Bloomfontin, South Africa, was the guest of honor and speaker. Mrs. Eybers told stories of her eight years' residence in South Africa. Prof. Eybers, her husband, is professor of psychology at Gray University, of Bloomfontin Mrs. Eybers is a Barnard College graduate and was introduced by Miss Frieda Kenyon.

The guests at the speaker's table were Mrs. George F. Bowerman, Miss Elizabeth Carhart, Mrs. Edward P. Costigan, Mrs. Alice T. Hobardt, Mrs. Richard Hogue, Mrs. Charles S. Lobingier, Mrs. Basil M. Manly, Miss Rhoda Mullikin, Mrs. Albert C. Muhse, Mrs. Edwin G. Nourse, Mrs. John Jay O'Connor and Miss Janet Richards.

Mrs. Virginia Peters-Parkhurst, chairman of the yellow rose fund of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Inc. announces that the bronze tablet, containing the names of some of the most prominent women of the world, who have contributed to the memorial, will be placed on exhibition through the month of March in the reception rooms at the headquarters of the National League of Women Voters, 532 Seventeenth street northwest, through the courtesy of Miss Gladys Harrison, executive secretary of the National League of Women Voters.

The tablet inclues the names of Lady Nancy Astor, member of Parliament, London, England; Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, honorary president, National League of Women Voters; Miss Belle Sherwin, national president, and Mrs George A. Ricker, past district president; Mrs. John D. Sherman, president General Federation of Womens' Clubs; Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, Mrs. Ida Husted Harper, biographer of Susan B. Anthony; Mrs. Hester M. Poole, oldest club woman living today and one of the founders of the first incorporated women's clubs of America; the late Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, Mrs. Emma Sanford Shelton, Mrs. Wayne B. Wheeler and Mrs. Helen R. Tindall.

The American Association of University of Women's advanced preschool study group will meet at the clubhouse tomorrow at 7:45 p. m. The beginners' group will study at 2:30 p. m. on Tuesday.

Dr. Winifred Richmond will continue her course for the adolescent study group with a lecture Tuesday at 7:45 p m.

Wallace Farrington, Governor of Hawaii, will give the fortnightly talk on Hawaii Wednesday at 4:45 p. m.

Wednesday at 8:15 Senora Isabel de Palencia will address the club on "Old Spanish Legends and Folk Lore," illustrated with slides of Spain. Mrs. Henry G. Doyle will introduce the speaker.

Thursday at 4:45 p. m. Mrs. Norman Titus will lead the round table discussion on international affairs.

The arbitration course will meet at dinner Friday at 6:45 p. m. to hear Dr. William C. Dennis, international lawyer, speak on arbitration and Pan-Americanism.

The Audubon Society of the District of Columbia will open its spring bird class tomorrow in the assembly hall of the Thomson School, Twelfth and L streets northwest. The meetings will continue through the Mondays in March and the first one in April. There will be no charges.

The children's classes will be held from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock and those for adults from 4:45 to 5:45. The president of the society, Dr. Theodore S. Palmer, will give the introductory talk on "How to Identify the Birds," at 4:45 tomorrow.

Mrs. Florence Merriam Bailey is the chairman of the bird class committee and those associated with her are Miss Emma T. Strider, Mrs. James H. Alburtis, Miss Katherine B. Baird, Miss Mary Brickenstein, Miss Helen P. Childs, Miss May T. Cooke, Mrs. Robert M. Reese, Miss Esther W. Scott and Miss Mary D. Suter.

The Women's Alliance of All Souls' Church, Unitarian, will meet Friday at 11 a. m. in Pierce Hall, Fifteenth and Harvard streets. Miss Dorothy Detzer will speak on "The Youth Movement." Miss Mary K. Porter will be the luncheon hostess.

The Sixteenth Street Heights Club held the semimonthly meeting Tuesday Mrs. S. Jaines Dennis, 715 Van Buren street, was hostess. Miss Edith L. Allen, of the division of agricultural instruction of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was the guest speaker.

Other guests were Mrs A. B. Hayes, Mrs Frederick Rand, Mrs. Lon Hawkins and Mrs. George E. Farrell. Mrs. Edwin C Powell, newly elected member, was received by the club. The next meeting, March 13, which will be the annual guest day, is to be with Mrs. Selbie D. Grove, 9 Sycamore avenue, Takoma Park, Md., when the assisting hostess will be Mrs. E. M. Stowell.

The Columbia Floral Circle will meet tomorrow at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Eppelsheimer, 3227 Hiatt place northwest. Mrs Lillian Stewart and Mrs. Wilcox will be hostesses.

The Takoma Park Civic Study Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Takoma Park Theater on Tuesday, 2 p. m. Mrs. J. Frank Rice, chairman of the music committee, will be in charge of the program. The executive board will meet at 12:30 o'clock.

Thursday the Crittenton Wheel Club met at the home of Mrs. Christine Herfurth, 3417 Thirteenth street northwest. Fourteen members and three guests were present. Luncheon was served. Reports of the treasurer and secretary were read.

Mrs. Story read incidents of the youth and courtship of George Washington; Mrs. Alvord a poem, "Lincoln's Last Dream," by Hezekiah Butterworth.

The next meeting of the Wheel Club will be held at Mrs. Story's, 3115 Mount Pleasant street, Friday.

The Wheel of Progress met Monday evening. Senor Vicente G. Bunuan, of the Philippine Commission, gave an address on Philippine Independence

The lesson on the Constitution of the United States was conducted by Mrs. Hallencreutz.

There will be a special meeting Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Washington Hotel. A musical program will be given under the direction of Mrs. Mary Parker.

The Woman's Club of Bethesda held its February committee day meeting at the Battery Park Community House Tuesday. Three departments of work presented speakers.

Mrs. W. E. Perry, chairman of public welfare, introduced Edwin W. Broome, county superintendent of education, who discussed the subject of "Social Service."

Luncheon was served under the direction of the hospitality chairman, Mrs. Stewart D. Nervey, assisted by members of her committee. Mrs. F. E. Middleton, of the department of international relations, presented Dr. Clarence P. Parker, rector of St. John's Parish Bethesda, who gave a survey of the war debt adjustments between the United States and her former allies. Maj. E. Brooke Lee discussed the suburban county government under which the Bethesda area is functioning.

An announcement was made by the department of education that beginning tomorrow a county nurse and a nutrition expert from the Red Cross would be at the Bethesda school on Mondays between 2:30 and 3:00 for a period of ten weeks to meet parents and discuss the health needs of the children. This is a part of the health center project fostered by the Montgomery County Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. George E. Pariseau, of the motion picture committee, announced that under the joint sponsorship of the department of education and the motion picture committee a series of three lectures on child welfare will be given at the Chevy Chase Theater on the afternoons of March 20 and 27 and April 3 These lectures will cover the subject from the prenatal period to adolescence.

Mrs. W. J. Peters, of the fine arts department, announced that members of the club and others interested were invited to accompany Mrs. W. B. N. Brookes to the studio of Eben F. Comins, the Washington artist, on Sunday afternoon, March 4, from 4 to 6. This courtesy is extended by Mrs. Brookes as former fine arts chairman of the club. The vacancy in this chairmanship, caused by the resignation of Mrs. Charles Walton, has been filled, Mrs. T. W. Pyle having accepted the appointment. The subchairman of literature is Mrs. John B Bennet. A number of women from the Newcomb Club and the Woman's Club of Somerset accepted the invitation of the Bethesda Club to join them in this committee day meeting.

The third joint meeting in a series being given by the Montgomery County and Prince Georges County, branches of the Maryland League of Women Voters, will be held at the University Women's Club, 1634 I street, Tuesday at 11 o'clock.

The first speaker will be J. Bond Smith, of the Maryland Park and Planning Commission, on "The Maryland Park and Planning Commission and Zoning." Col. U. S. Grant, chairman of the National Park and Planning Commission, will explain the cooperation of the two commissions and also speak on "Recent Plans for the Environs of the National Capital," illustrating his lecture with lantern slides. The public is invited by the two league chairmen, Mrs. B. Ashby Leavell and Mrs. Benjamin F. Wade.

The Woman's Community Club, of Kensington, met Monday in the school auditorium. Mrs. E. W. Moore, president, presided. Miss Mabel Heavener sang. The dramatic department under the direction of the chairman, Mrs. J. A. Kaiser, gave a play, "So They Say," presented by Mrs. C. A. Houghton, Mrs. F. J. Rusk, Mrs. T. S. Rabbitt, Mrs. C. W. Sherman and Mrs. F. B. Kitterman. Refreshments were served by the hostess committee.

Mrs. J. Garfield Riley, president; Dr A. Frances Foye, chairman of hospitality, and Mrs. Lyman B. Swormstedt, will be hostesses at the tea at the Woman's City Club this afternoon from 4:30 until 6 o'clock. Officers and directors of the Twentieth Century Cub will be guests of honor. Mrs. Frank Howard has arranged a special program of music to be given at 5 o'clock by a group of young singers in period costume.

At the Monday bridge section's meeting last week Mrs. George W. Eastment presided at the tea table assisted by Mrs. Laura A. Bradley. Miss May Eleanor Smith was hostess.

Miss Helen Wilbar, chairman of the junior section, has sent cards of announcement and invitation to listed members of this group to attend an informal dinner in the Chinese room at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow evening.

At the Tuesday free and easy auction meeting last week Miss Meda A. Martin was hostess. The guests were Mrs. C. R. Garvin, Lancaster, Pa.; Miss Edith Swift, New York City; Mrs. C. J. Beckman, Charlotte Jones, Mrs. W. L. Howlett, Miss Ruth Moncrieff and Miss Dorothy Manning. Players at seventeen tables were registered.

The club members' business meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Members of the club are busy arranging a list of names for presentation to the nominating committee before March 20. Offices to be filled this year are president, first vice president, corresponding and recording secretary, seven directors, three delegates and three alternates to the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs. The nominating committee members are Mrs. Virgil C. Miller, Miss Fay Bentley, Mrs. Albert H. Putney, Miss Margaret Patch, Miss Helen Brown, Mrs. Wymond Bradbury, Miss Lou Ballenger, Mrs. Edgar T. Brown and Miss Helen Oriani.

Miss Alice Heaven will be hostess at a meeting of the book review section Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Miss Anna Darlington and Miss Helen Calhoun will be guests of honor. "Yelenka the Wise," folk drama, will be reviewed by the author, Miss Darlington. Miss Calhoun will give one of her character recitations. Other author guests will be Mrs. Charles Joyce, Mrs. Edith Ogden Heidel and Mrs. Richard Gasch. Miss Susan Baker, club member, will review "Sorrell and Son." All members of the club are invited to attend the reviews

Dr. William Lee Corbin, librarian of the Smithsonian Institution, will lecture on Sir James M. Barrie and Stephen Phillips, dramatists, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Lyman B Swormstedt is chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Sze, wife of the Chinese Minister sent an embroidered wall hanging to the "county fair" committee for disposal. Jeannie Winston presented a linen Indian bedspread, now on display at the clubhouse.

Dr. E. Blanch Sterling, chairman of the child welfare committee, reported at the February meeting of the Washington Council of Social Agencies. The care of the mentally handicapped children was discussed by Dr. Edwin B Jordan, of the department of education of the Catholic University. Miss Jessie LaSalle, assistant superintendent of schools, spoke, as did also Dr. Jones, Dr. Herring, Dr. Devine and Dr. Hickling of the work being accomplished for subnormal children.

Mrs. Anna H. B. Kinney, chairman of the French section, announces the two-act French play, "La Poudre aux Yeux," by Labiche et Martin, will be presented by members of the French section March 15 at 8:15 p. m. The play will be in French and the characters will appear in costumes of the period. There will be a prologue in English, written by a member of the French section. The cast is composed of Mme. Marie Boulay-Anderson, Mrs. Esther Dodge, Miss Roberta F. Tull. Miss Susan Baker, Mrs Amy A. Harradon, Miss Hannah M. Blandford, Mrs. Anna H. B. Kinney, Miss Delia H. Browne, Mrs. Mary L. Golden and Mrs. Sylvia Wentworth. Mrs. Edith Sears is director and Mrs. E. B. Fristoe stage manager. Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, chairman of music, will sing a group of French songs.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCracken, Jr., will be guests of honor at the dinner given by the business and professional section March 14. Dr. Helen M. Strong will be hostess and will preside. Members are invited to make reservations.

Mrs. Bernice Randall Angelico, director of the Wilnor Choral Club, with 35 of the members of the club presented a program of music at the tea given by the club last week. Appearing in costume of the period, the minuet was danced by Helen Bryan, Helen Andrews, Sue Yancey, Charlotte Taylor, Helen Macoughtry, Betty Berke, Marvel Douglas and Marie Stanley, Ruth Schafer at the piano, directed by Vera Lacy. Dorothy Skinner sang a group of songs. Mrs. Sumner C. Perkins and Miss Anna C. Kelliher presided at the tea tables.

The bowling group will meet tomorrow and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A Building, Seventeenth and K streets. Additional members of this section are Miss Florence Brook, Miss Louise Webster, Mrs. Mabel Whitmarsh, Miss Grace Osgood, Mrs. C. C. Cable, Miss Lyman, Miss L. McCrone, Mme. Marie Boulay-Anderson, Miss Packett, Miss Margaret Norton, Miss Warren, Miss Pearl I. Ferrin, Miss Elizabeth Stephan, Miss Ethel Peck, Miss Julia Bannigan, Mrs. E. J. Bourke, Miss Bertie C. Dale and Miss Bess Rutherford.

The March meeting of the Columbian Women will be held Tuesday at 8 p. m., in the assembly room of Corcoran Hall, George Washington University. Representative Fred A. Britten, of Chicago, ranking member of the naval affairs committee of the House of Representatives will speak on "The American Navy and Its Relation to World Peace."

Mrs. Harvey Wiley, president of the Columbian Women, will preside.

The District of Columbia Chapter of American War Mothers held a business meeting, at the Hamilton Hotel, Friday. Mrs. Susan Salterlee and Mrs. Bessie H. Williamson were admitted as members. Mrs. G. H. Hibbs, assisted by Mrs. Lemmon, Mrs. Gross, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Loveless and Mrs Dorsch, gave a party at Mount Alto Hospital Monday. The mothers played cards with the veterans and served refreshments of candy, cake and ice cream. The next meeting of the chapter will be at the Hamilton Hotel Friday. Mrs. William H. Marshall, of Philadelphia, will exhibit pictures of the War Mothers' little wooden house at the Sesquicentennial.

On Wednesday the Zonta Club at its regular luncheon held a closed meeting.

A nominating committee, consisting of Hattie Anderson, Alice Buchanan, Elizabeth Beresford, Emma T. Hahm, and Karoline Klager, was elected. This committee will present the names of candidates for the various club offices at the annual election next month.

Dorsey Hyde will be the guest speaker at the luncheon Wednesday at the Raleigh Hotel.

Sailor Adds "Emden' As Part of His Name

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—To have been a member of the crew of the famous South Sea raider, the cruiser Emden, is considered an honor in Germany How strongly this is felt by the crew itself was recently illustrated in the case of Hans Junk, a machinist.

Junk, who now lives in Saarbruecken, requested President von Hindenburg to permit his family name to be changed to Junk-Emden. The president assented. Future generations will know from their hyphenated name that their forebear had a share in what was perhaps the most picturesque war venture on the German side.

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In the Realm of Art and Books

EXHIBITION TO BE BEGUN BY SIR ESME

By ADA RAINEY.

THE exhibition of contemporary British paintings, which will open tomorrow, is of special importance as it is definitely of the nature of the spirit for better understanding between nations through the works of the artists. The exhibition will be opened by Sir Esme Howard, the British Ambassador, and Lady Isabella, and will be attended by the officials of the Smithsonian Institution. The paintings will be shown at the National Gallery, beginning tomorrow afternoon.

The paintings were collected by Miss Charlotte Pearson, of London, collaborating with Julius Olsson, R. A., who is also the president of the Royal Institute of Oil Painters of England. The idea originated with Miss Pearson of bringing a collection representing the best of the British painters to Washington to promote mutual understanding. Contemporary British art is not well known in America, where we have little opportunity of seeing present-day English art.

There are 91 paintings in the collection which range from the most conservative to the advanced type of post-impressionistic paintings. Miss Pearson says the paintings represent the best known of British artists painting today. Not many of the artists have been seen here before, with the exception of Augustus John, Frank Brangwyn, Sir George Clausen, Harold Knight and Julius Olsson.

We are glad to know the others, as there is tenderness of mood, strength of construction and a placid sweetness which have been characteristic of English painting at certain periods.

The work of Augustus John always calls attention to itself by its fine construction. The "Child in the Green Dress" and "Magnolia" are well constructed and outstanding. The portrait of the child is one of the most satisfactory paintings in the exhibition.

The large canvas, "The Saxophone Player," by Laura Knight, wife of Harold Knight, is one of much strength, vital in color and excellent in construction. Mrs. Knight is an associate member of the Royal Academy and is the second woman since the time of Angelica Kaufman to hold that distinction.

There is a charming head of a young girl, "The Nut Brown Maid," by Sir George Clausen, which is very satisfactory in quality and painted with authority. There are other paintings which are also good to look at by this artist, who is well known here.

"Dawn," illustrated on this page, has a very tender feeling for color and line, which is exquisite and is in the manner of the Italian primitives. It is by Cecile Walton. It is one of the most attractive figure paintings in the exhibition.

There are three figure paintings by Ether Walker, who is one of the outstanding women painters in England. "The Bather" is a nude seated figure in which the drawing is not so good as in the two other figures, called "The Sculptor" and "The Artist," respectively. The two latter are very interestingly constructed. "Flora" and "Youth," by Miss D. W. Hawkesley, are both excellent, especially the former, which has beauty and tenderness of a very special sort.

"The Wringer," by Charlotte Lawrenson, is strong and vital, and the "Girl From the Village," of F. M. Asher, has the primitive simplicity of the sort of things that Maurice Sterne does so tremendously well. The "Yellow Awning," by the same artist, is not so successful as the former, but it has excellent qualities. Betty Fagan's "George and Nana," contrasts with the former method of painting figures. It is in the more conservative manner, but excellent of its type.

"A Puff of Smoke," by John D. Ferguson, is a charming bit of decoration imaginatively conceived. It has much originality and is one of the delightful paintings in the exhibition. "Christening in the South of France," by the same artist, is decidedly cubistic in expression.

Of decidedly different tendency is "Morning Moon," by Julius Olsson, "Loch Lomond" and "Moonlight." These are painted in with feeling for harmonious color and related values.

Robert A. Bell is another of the outstanding figures today in London. He has a decorative sense which is shown in the large "Ecce Ancilla Domine" and a delightful landscape "Pont Valentre Cahers, France." Robert Bell and Collin Gill, who is represented by "Leda," a small painting of Leda and the swan, and Sir George Clausen have been commissioned to paint the decorations of St. Stephen's Hall in the House of Parliament, London. This is now partly finished, if not entirely completed.

"Lady at Piano," is meticulously painted. The composition is small, but is done with the technique of a Terborch. In contrast with this the work of Stephen Pepioe, for instance, his cubistic still life, and we have the gamut in the scale of painting.

The important painter, Frank Brangwyn, is represented by a small sketch for a painting in Skinners Hall, London, which does not convey much idea of his work; nevertheless it has elements of interest which will be appreciated by the discerning.

"Villa Nuera del Seguera," by L. Campbell Taylor, shows good construction, while among the many others which should be mentioned are "The House Covered With Snow," by William Nicholson; "The Loire Near St. Jaques," "St. Paul du Nar," "The Balcony," by Constance Rae; "Flowers," by Malcolm Milne; "The Artist's Mother," by Margaret Clausen; "A Blue Day," by Terrick Williams; "Sallow Willows," by Doris B. Hatt; "Chatres," by Charles Cundall; "The Themes," by Amboise McEvoy, and "Two," by W. O Huldenson.

Special mention, however, should be made of the exquisitely illumined "Station of the Cross," by Jessie Bayse. The present painting is of Veronica holding the napkin that received the imprint of the face of Christ on the way to Calvary. The artist has a reputation for religious painting. She has a triptich in Westminster which is a memorial to the men who fell in the World War. The "Chalk Pit," by Edward Laurens, is also especially original and effective.

A foreword in the catalogue has been written by the director of the British Museum, Sir Frederick Kenyon. The exhibition will be on view through the month at the National Gallery.

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Arts Club Exhibition.

Something really significant is on view at the Arts Club. The paintings by May Ashton show a breadth, a vitality and a power most unusual. There are eleven large canvases painted with a heavy impasto, but which have a vibratory quality that gives a remarkably luminous tone to the flesh.

As has been stated before, Mrs. Ashton teaches in the Business High School every day until 3 o'clock. She has, therefore, little daylight during the year to devote to painting. That she has been able to detach herself from the pressure of teaching to accomplish something significant is the more remarkable. She has had little if any real instruction, but she has had the criticism and the encouragement of



"Najceba," by May Ashton. Now on view at the Arts Club.

Catharine Critcher, which she insists has been of great inspiration. The quality of her work is, however, entirely her own and is direct self-expression. She has painted her students at the high school and a few others whom she has been able to induce to pose for her.

The paintings, with the exception of one canvas, are all single figures, but the artist has been able to express them in a brilliant rhythm of lines which makes for expressive composition which is wholly satisfactory. Her work is expressive of her own way of seeing and is not reminiscent of another artist. This makes them effective. She has never painted a nude before the present "Three Figures." The blending of the lines of the figures in rhythmic form is tremendously significant. This is no academic work; it is universal, with an element of pure classic form which is a delight to meet.

"Mary" is an effective study of white against white, that problem so difficult to carry out successfully. "Mr. Barnes" is a realistic portrait, while "Newspapers and a Boy" is emotionally expressed with color and conviction. "Najceba," the portrait of a Syrian girl, one of her students, is perhaps the most vital in the group. Its background of pattern suggests the Asiatic influence which has been the heritage of the sitter and which is pervading and impressive. "Fantasy" is another remarkable portrait, while "Research" has the undoubted note of reality. It is the real thing.

In short, Mrs. Ashton has accomplished that which only the favored of the gods do accomplish. She is an artist who will have to be reckoned with in the future, for when she has time to really devote to her art there is no telling what she may not accomplish. It is refreshing to meet with so spontaneous an artist, one who has not been hampered by false ideals or overinstruction; so her limitations have really become her strength, as is the way of limitations if behind them there is a determined individuality.

There was great interest shown in the opening view held last Sunday, when more than 200 people attended. The paintings will be on view until March 11.

In the lower room are landscapes and some flower paintings by Mrs. Thomas Wood Hastings. Here are smoothly painted landscapes of Bermuda and Maine. The color is pleasant at times, at others it is rather artificial. The flowers are soft with pastel-like shades which are attractive.

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Eben F. Comins will have an exhibition of his paintings in his studio this week at 1611 Connecticut avenue. The exhibition features "We," the life-size painting of Col Charles A. Lindbergh, which was painted at the time of his initial visit last year. It was dwelt upon at length at that time. The other portraits which have been recently completed are those of Judge Henry Wade Rogers, of the New York Appellate Court, and Miss Theodora Catalani. The former has been on exhibition at the Society of Washington Artists. The latter is a portrait of a charming girl in a yellow gown, which is skillfully painted to bring out the black hair and eyes of the girl. The values of yellow in the portrait are especially well done.

Among other portraits recently completed is that of Sidney Farnsworth, of Memphis, Tenn., which is one of the best in the group. It has excellent flesh tones and is very convincing. Then there is the likeness of young Anson Phelps Stokes, a fine type of American youth, and another of Wilbur Hubbard.

"Gloria" is painted without light and shade. It is all done in color, which is brilliant in the picture. The prize for figure work, which has been awarded at the Society of Washington Artists to Mr. Comins' painting of two young girls done in a simple manner in sepia tones harmonized with ochres, is also in the exhibition. There are a number of other paintings, portraits and water colors in the modern manner, which are included in the little show which is open to the public every day this week from 11 until 5 at the new studio, which has been decorated in a very attractive manner and is an excellent background for the paintings. On Wednesday and Friday afternoons the students of the art schools are invited to be guests of the artist from 3 until 5 o'clock, when he will talk about the paintings. There is a very professional atmosphere in the exhibition and the charming studio. This afternoon and next Sunday there will be tea and an at-home to the friends of the artist.

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Show of Independents.

The entries for the catalogue of the coming exhibition of the Washington Independent Artists, which will be held at the Club St. Marks, must be in the hands of the secretary by March 17. The secretary is Mrs. George A. Weaver, 2433 Wisconsin avenue. This means that the application blanks must be filled out and the initiation fee of $5 sent to the secretary if the names of artist and paintings are to be in the catalogue.

public from March 27 to April 7. Paintings will be received at the Club St. Marks on March 23 and 24 from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. at the entrance, 1705 K street. There is to be no jury and no prizes at this exhibition, and every artist making an entry of either a painting or sculpture is entitled to as many paintings as he wishes. The cost is $5 for each two, provided none is more than 32 inches, either in width or height, including frame. One picture only may be exhibited if its width or height is over 32. Sculptors may show four pieces, it being understood that the exhibitors will attend to the details of installation whenever necessary. Any further details will be answered by the secretary, Mrs. George A. Weaver.

Paintings have been promised from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, and it is expected that the show will be in every way superior to that held last year at the Carlton, which was the initial showing of the Washington Independent Artists.

On the morning of March 26 there will be a private view at which the patrons and their friends will be present.

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Water Color Show.

The Washington Water Color Club exhibition will be held at the National Gallery of Art from April 7 to May 6, inclusive.

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Mrs. Rand to Exhibit.

Mrs. Ellen Emmet Rand's portraits will be shown at the Yorke Gallery from tomorrow to March 17. This will give the public an opportunity to see how one of the leading American portrait painters compares with those of other countries.

Portraits of Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad; Dr. Lewellys Barker, Johns Hopkins University; Robert De Forest, president of the Metropolitan Museum of Art; Donald T. Warner, judge of the Superior Court of Connecticut; the Rev. Endicott Peabody, head master of the Groton School, and William H. Foster, vice rector of St. Paul's School, are in the exhibition.

Mrs. Rand has long been considered in the first rank of women portrait painters in America. Her position is attested by the fact that she has been the recipient of the following medals: "In the Studio," took gold medal at the Panama Pacific Exposition.

Portrait of Mrs. Susan Metcalf, a silver medal, at the St. Louis Exposition.

Portrait of Donald T. Warner, Carroll Beck gold medal, at Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, 1922.

In 1927 Mrs. Rand received Edith Kingdon Gould prize at exhibition of women painters and sculptors with her portraits of Sophie Borie. In that year she also took first prize at the Stockbridge Exhibition.

"In the Studio" also received first prize in 1926 at the Women Painters and Sculptors' Exhibition.

While some of her most successful work has been in the portraiture of women and children, Mrs. Rand has probably painted more portraits of distinguished American men than almost any other native artist. One of her best-known portraits is that of Augustus Saint Gaudens, which hangs in the Metropolitan Museum.

At her Washington exhibition Mrs. Rand shows for the first time the recently completed portrait of Robert W. De Forest, president of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The Washington exhibition, as a matter of fact, will be very comprehensive in character, and will include many of the works which Mrs. Rand, as well as prominent art critics, consider to be the best work which she has accomplished within the last few years.

Mrs. Rand was born in San Francisco, was a pupil of MacMonnies, and has devoted herself to portraiture ever since completing her studies in Paris. She has had many notable exhibitions, but this is her first single showing of her work in Washington.

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Art Book Published.

"Art and Artists of the Capitol" is the title of a book by Charles E. Fairman, curator of art at the Capitol. The book is a careful description and explanation of the paintings and sculpture of the Capitol. It tells who the artists are, incidents of their lives and works, and lends great interest and color to the works which are often lightly glanced at by the casual visitor. Mr. Fairman has spent years on his subject, of which he is thoroughly conversant. It is a book that is very valuable by reason of its subject matter and the scholarly manner in which it has been handled.

EBEN COMINS WILL EXHIBIT WORK IN ART

NEED OF MAN FOR RELIGION IS STRESSED

DOES CIVILIZATION NEED RELIGION? By Reinhold Niebuhr. (The MacMillan Co., New York.)

A question that has reached the proportions of a problem. Does our author find a solution? Does he even approach a conclusion? These questions will be answered in different ways, as the sentiment of the readers vary. The author is the pastor of a church in Detroit. He has evidently given much thought to the bearing of religion of today toward the needs of society.

He speaks of the teachings of the various denominations into which the church is divided, treating them in a fair and impartial manner. This is the age when the world seems to be mad for excitement of some kind. This craving for excitement fills moving picture halls, the seats at baseball or football games, and causes thousands to pay large sums to see two men bruise each other. It also impels men and women to tempt death in airplane flights. This craving for excitement has driven religion from the thought of the masses. In this condition of society it is well to ask "Does Civilization Need Religion?" Dr. Neigubr opens his discussion with the following pertinent statement:

"If religion contains indispensable resources for the life of man, its revival waits only upon the elimination of those maladjustments which have hindered it from making its resources available for the citizen of the modern era. Whatever may be said of specific religions and religious forms, it is difficult to imagine man without religion; for religion is the champion of personality in a seemingly impersonal world. It prompts man to organize his various impulses, inherited and acquired, into a moral unity; it persuages him, when his vitality is unimpaired, to regard his fellows with an appreciation commensurate with his own self-respect; and it finally discovers and creates a universe in which the human spirit is guaranteed security against the forces of nature."

With this statement of what religion can do he opens a learned discussion of how and why religion has not accomplished all it ought to have done. A little further along we find him saying that "religion teaches men to find God by loving their brothers, because they have found God." As to modern churches he says: "If modern churches continue to prefer their intellectual to their ethical problems, they will merely succeed in maintaining a vestige of religion in those classes which are not sensitive enough to feel and not unfortunate enough to suffer from the moral limitations of modern society."

Take another pregnant sentence: "Religion can be healthy and vital only if a certain tension is maintained between it and the civilization in which it functions." What has the church accomplished? In speaking of this Dr. Niebuhr says of the Roman church: "It had an uncompromizing attitude toward the various social institutions which Protantism has never equaled. It insisted on the sacramental nature of the family union with such intransigeance that it may fairly be accused of failing to make necessary accommodations of its spiritual ideal to the imperfections of human nature."

Monasticism has been one of subjects of frequent attacks by Protestants. Dr. Niebuhr takes a different view. Of this he says: "The religious fervor of Catholic ascetics has been matched by Protestant mystics, but their ethical insights have never been excelled. Their superior moral shrewdness was revealed in their ability to detect the perils to the ethical ideal, which are covert in the natural, and, from any obvious perspective, virtuous social relationships."

In the chapter on "Transcending and Transforming the World" is much that preachers and bishops may study with much good to themselves and to their parishioners. Take the opening paragraph:

"The tendency of modern religion to make itself at home in the world and to enter intimate relations with civilization is not due solely to the puritan confidence of victory over life. It is partly due to the influences of a sentimental and optimistic evaluation of human nature which came to the modern church through Rousseau and romanticism. * * * The modern church prides itself on its bright and happy worldliness. It is more interested in transforming the natural and social environment of personality than in persuading the soul to transcend all circumstances and find its happiness in inner peace. The modern church regards this mundane interest as its social passion. * * * Religion in its unspoiled form is always other-worldly and disenchanted."

He classes modern religion as not being sufficiently modern. Without reaching any definite conclusion as to whether civilization needs religion he says: "Religion is dying in modern civilization not only because it has not yet been able to restate its affirmations so that they will be consistent with scientific facts, but also because it has not been able to make its ethical and social resources available for the solution of the moral problems of modern civilization."

The contest between fundamentalists and modernists makes this book very timely, and he who reads and studies it will find enlightenment.



The jacket design by Richard H. Rodgers for "Is Venture All for Thee," the new historical romance of J. S. Fletcher, which has just been published.

BIG EVENTS AND BIG MEN OF 1927 ARE REFLECTED IN "MIRRORS OF THE YEAR"

In "Mirrors of the Year," edited by Horace Winston Stokes (Frederick A. Stokes Co., New York), we catch many illuminating glimpses of 1927. A notable collection of contributors have been assembled to make this book a success from a literary as well as a news point of view. They include three Pulitzer prize winners: Louis Bromfield, F. Lauriston Bullard and Louis Seibold. Extreme care has been taken in the various fields of achievement to have experts write of their progress during the past twelve months.

For instance, Commander Richard E. Byrd, U. S. N., has written the thrilling chapter on Aviation; Prof. William Lyon Phelps has told of "Some Books of 1927;" Dorothy Dunbar Bromley discussed "Feminist—New Style," and Carmel Snow, fashion editor of Vogue, tells us of "Today and Tomorrow in Clothes," while the "Science Mirrors of 1927" have been well polished by a Washington man, Edwin E. Slosson, director of science service.

Big Parade in Air.

Commander Byrd has termed his chapter "That 'Big Parade' in the Air." It most assuredly was, for there is no doubt that from the days of Daedulus and Icarus there has been no more spectacular or fruitful period in aviation history. It was a "Flying Year" in every sense of the word and its genius was a tall lad of 25, pioneer of the skies with the look of a world conqueror in his blue eyes and the personal magnetism to charm a whole world to his feet.

Byrd says: "More important than technical advance was the advance aviation made in public psychology." This "aviation consciousness" extended to all classes of society from the little boys who dreamed of being Lindberghs instead of Presidents to adult men and women. Within the year 1,000 airports had been established. Thus the airplane has become implanted in daily life. Commander Byrd gives full credit to the "single personality that molded this consciousness." If for nothing else, the year will be remembered for the flight to Paris of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. Perhaps no single and individual achievement in all history caught the world's interest so completely.

State of Nation.

Elmer Davis has ably handled the chapter entitled "The State of the Nation." He concludes that "for the present prosperity still sheds its benignant glow upon us." What will happen after the quadrennial political upset is in full swing he does not venture to forecast. Wise man! Prohibition, he thinks, is here to stay and that the only real issue in the 1928 elections will be personalities.

A sane, unimpassioned and what appears to be an earnest attempt to be impartial characterizes the chapter on "Sacco-Vanzetti," by F. Lauriston Bullard, chief editorial writer of the Boston Herald, who received the Pulitzer prize for his editorial on that famous case. He thinks that the "case will be a theme of discussion for many years to come."

That as a people we hunger for humor is brought out in "The Year in Humour," by Robert Emmet Sherwood, editor of Life. A decided trend is discovered by this expert toward the brutal in humor and he states baldly that in his opinion "good-natured fun" has never, at any period in the history of the world, been really funny. A good joke can never be in perfectly good taste. "The American people want to laugh, and to laugh loud," he continues further in the chapter, and here's a tip for writers: "All magazines are going in more and more for humor in fiction and in articles."

About Big Bill.

An incident which gave rise to genuine humor, according to this expert, was found in the "memorable banishment of King George V. from Cook County by Mayor William Hale Thompson." In the comic strip the trend is, so Mr. Sherwood says, toward morality and uplift, while the movies have gone wild "on the subject of comedy."

Grooming of candidates was the chief political occupation of 1927, as Mr. Louis Seibold surveyed that fertile filed of national activity, with tax reduction the side show. The most notable political statement, of course, was found in those sententious words of President Coolidge: "I do not choose to be a candidate for President in 1928." Then the scramble to be the first to cast one's hat into the arena was loud enough to wake the dead.

That women are casting off the mantle of feminism is the astonishing news brought by Dorothy Dunbar Bromley, who wrote the chapter "Feminist New Style." She says: "Feminism has become a term of opprobrium to the modern young woman." Miss Bromley, however, indicates several fields in which women are the peers, or very nearly so, of men. One of these is that of creative literature. In politics she has found out that women are seldom accorded high position of real authority. In business, strange to say, more women have obtained high rewards than in any field. On the other hand, "women in America are progressing much faster in their mental evolution than men."

Television; the corn borer campaign; fast growing hybrid poupiar trees; the 1927 eclipse of the sun; the appearance of the Pons-Winnecke comet; the Mississippi flood and the use of liver diets in the treatment of pernicious anemia are cited by Dr. Edwin Slosson, editor of Science Service, as the most outstanding developments of the year in science, medicine and natural history.

E. E. P.

Sir Philip Gibbs, whose stories of the Great War remain among the most vivid and moving interpretations of the catastrophe in the terms of the individual, writes about the aftermath in his new book, "Out of the Ruins," which Doubleday, Doran have just published. The volume contains nine little novels.

SON OF INDIA DENIES MAYO BOOK CLAIMS

In "A Son of Mother India Answers," by Dhan Gopal Mukerji (E. P. Dutton & Co., New York), a well-known interpreter of his country's life and customs gives check to the impressions made by Katherine Mayo's "Mother India," one of the most widely discussed books of the period.

The distinguished Indian author and critic has made out a good case in rebuttal of Miss Mayo's astounding charges of social conditions in the ancient land of which she writes.

Dhan Mukerji makes the unique request of Miss Mayo that she rewrite her book, eliminating certain of what he considers objectionable features and thus publish a new edition which he naively declares "should be reduced to the desirable limit as the strict facts of her observation would permit." "If she does so," he continues, "then she will be read all over India, which will help the numerous Hindu social reformers in their arduous task of altering their society to square with the teachings of their scriptures."

One of the principal indictments the Indian author makes against Miss Mayo's ability to judge accurately the conditions in his country is that she did not remain long enough in India to really understand the situation. He quotes from a letter sent by prominent Indians to the London Times in which it was stated: "We concede that like all other cold weather tourists, Miss Mayo is entitled to form and express her own opinions. But when a foreigner, who spends no more than a few months in our country, uses the material gleaned from hospital cases, culled from criminal trial reports and deduced from her own observations and seeks to fortify herself with quotations divorced from their context and then proceeds on such slender basis to formulate a general indictment against the character and culture of a great country like India, it is time to enter an emphatic protest against the broadcast dissemination of these scandalous libels."

The Indian author claims that in most cases the child marriages Miss Mayo denounces are nothing more than betrothals and that actual marriage does not occur until after the lapse of an indefinite period, "generally of not less than one and not more than five years."

Mr. Mukerji wishes it also understood that India's climate is such that a girl of 12 there is as old as a girl of 15 in America, and as a parallel one sees marriages at an early age in the Mediterranean countries.

Mr. Mukerji also expresses keen disappointment in the references to and photographs of "holy men" in "Mother India." "Miss Mayo gives us pictures," he says, "of wanderers and fakirs, then informs us that they are really holy men. Outside of Gandhi, who is a holy man, there is no mention of a Hindu, whom his compatriots would call '100 per cent' holy. Nowhere do I find references to such men and women as Rama Tirtha, Shraddhananda, Turyananda, Omkar, Saradananda and Sarada Devi."

He also quotes denials by missionary groups of the Mayo-described conditions in India.

BOOKS TELL HOW TO RID SELF OF FAT

Watching your weight has become a great national game. The scales figure now in importance beside the radio, the piano and the powder puff and lipstick in the eyes of feminity. However, women are not alone in the pursuit of slenderness. A new book "Get Rid of That Fat" by Samuel G. Blythe (J. H. Sears & Co., Inc., New York), genial political globe trotter and magazine writer, is a straw which shows which way the avoirdupois wind is blowing.

Mr. Blythe admits that he weighed 247 pounds and gaining more ounces daily when he decided that something must be done about it. How he took off 73 pounds and retained his health at one and the same time in the space of 18 months is the theme of his story and it contains many useful hints for the hefty in the vital matters of diet and exercise.

Quite in the same line is another book dealing with diet, "Wyman's Health Menus," by Arthur Leslie Wyman (Wyman Food Service, Los Angeles, Calif.). In this it is brought out that the intelligent balance of food is the safeguard to good health. This side of the issue is handed with splendec arguments by Dr. D. C. Ragland while tables of acid-producing foods and alkali-producing foods are included through the courtesy of Dr. W. D. Sansum and Dr. N. R. Blatherwick.

The health menus are worked out for every day in the year and recipes for each dish are included, making this an extremely valuable book for the homemaker to possess.

It will come as a matter of surprise to many that the modern reducing diet, contrary to popular belief, contains ample starches and sugars. In "The Wyman's Health Menus" the reason for this is set forth: "In general, fats can not burn properly in the body except in the fire of burning sugar. If an obese person starves, or eliminates the starches and sugars from the diet, the chief source of heat and energy is his own body fat. Since sugars are not eaten, this body fat is improperly burned and the patient will inevitably suffer from the dangerous diabetic type of acidosis. Experiments show conclusively that this acidosis results unless the reducing diet contains at least one part of starch and sugar for each part of fat in the diet and for each part of fat lost as reduced body weight. For each pound of weight lost, the patient must eat at least one pound of starch and sugar.

The recent death of Thomas Hardy, "father of literature," brings special interest to the place assigned him by contemporary writers, both English and American. Patrick Braybrooke, P. R. S. L., author of the forthcoming volume, "Thomas Hardy and His Philosophy," places him among the philosophers of his age as well as among the great novelists, and predicts immortality for at least three of his prose works: "Tess of the D'Urbervilles," "The Mayor of Casterbridge" and "Jude the Obscure." He says: "England gave to the larger world a writer who has made the world cry and a world think." "Thomas Hardy and His Philosophy" will be published this spring by J. B. Lippincott Co.

Current Exhibitions

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART—Paintings of contemporary British artists, March 5-31

SMITHSONIAN BUILDING—Etchings and dry points by Charles Dahlgreen, of Illinois, until March 25.

THE FREER GALLERY — American paintings, Whistler etchings and Far Eastern art.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART—Permanent collection of paintings and sculpture.

THE ARTS CLUB, 2017 I street—Paintings by May Ashton and Mrs. Thomas Hastings, until March 11.

THE PHILLIPS MEMORIAL GALLERY, 1608 Twenty-first street—Triumit exhibition of American and French paintings, until May 1.

DUNTHORNE GALLERY, 1205 Connecticut avenue—Etchings by C. Jac Young and Harry Wickey, until March 10.

YORKE GALLERY, 2000 S street—Portraits by Ellen Emmet Rand, etchings by Emile Zoir, March 5-17.



"The Dawn," by Mrs. Cecile Walton, in the exhibit of British contemporary art at the National Gallery.

Terse Reviews of Latest Books on Our Shelves

WE HAVE CHANGED ALL THAT. By Herbert Quick and Elena Stepanoff MacMahon. (The Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis.)

Desolation, disillusionment, dissolution and the supreme trial of souls, the fate of the people of Russia who have been caught in the whirlpool of the revolution and its aftermath is the lesson this book by a former American Red Cross worker in collaboration with a Russian woman.

Mrs. Krassin and her family are great in the ancient city of Kazan, the center of culture of Eastern Europe. She had wealth and a vast establishment as her forebears had before her and she saw no reason for a change. But she and her family like every one else of Russia were thrown into the chaos of the revolution. The effect of the tremendous upheaval and reversal is depicted by its effect on a few characters in this book which fiction certainly yet has the ring of truth. That Mrs Krassin belonged to another school of thought is seen in her desire to protect her idolized son and yet sacrifice her daughter, however unwillingly in a crisis.

BIRDS OF THE OCEAN. By W. B. Alexander. (G. P. Putman's Sons, New York and London.)

This is a handbook for voyagers for dwellers at the seaside, containing descriptions of all the seabirds and of the world with notes on their habits and guides to their identification. For those who travel far or near this book will be of inestimable value in becoming familiar with the feathery inhabitants of the air and the water.

Many of the species are illustrated by photographs taken by naturalists in all parts of the world.

WHY DIE. By Eugene Christina. (Eugene Christina, New York.)

The American people spend $8,000,000,000 every year for food, about one-third of the entire family earnings. About one-half of the things they eat is the wrong kind of food. A great deal of this wrong kind of food instead of building up strength and vitality, destroys strength and vitality because it must be cast out of the body at the expense of energy. In this book, Dr. Christina has outlined a course of food and life lessons designed to teach the fundamental laws of governing the relation between food and life, which are now contributing and promise to contribute toward the good of man.

He calls attention to the fact that man has managed to live and triumph over all forms of life and manages to live and average 55 years while violating nearly every law of his organization.

He ends his introduction with the startling statement that the future man will live not only his 200 years, but science will give him a formula by which he will live on and on, perhaps many times 200 years.

STRANGERS AND LOVERS. By Edwin Granberry. (The Macauley Co., New York.)

This is still another book of the same type with which the shops abound. It might be useful in idling away an hour or two, but means absolutely nothing in the world of literature, even that of the modern novel. It can not be said that it is not well written and that the writer has not seen something of the side of life of the people of whom he writes, but when that is said all is said. It is not a strong book or particularly weak.

TARKA THE OTTER. By Henry Williamson. (E. P. Dutton & Co., New York.)

This is more than a mere naturalist story of the creatures in the two river country. It is a tale full of excitement and romance and a kind of interest which seems human, written with the patience of a man who could wait for hours in the dark to get his data and with the facile pen of a well read literary man.

In his story of Tarka the Otter of the wild habitat, where few men venture, the writer has not only essayed to tell the characteristics and reactions of his chief character, but of the enviorment and other creatures who have had effect on his life.

CONSTRUCTIVE CITIZENSHIP. By L. P. Jacks. (Doubleday, Doran & Co., New York.)

A careful study of what constructive citizenship means to society and to government. A series of lectures to the students of Manchester College, Oxford. Of constructive citizenship the publisher says: "Constructive citizenship has no panacea for the ills of society * * * It has little use for oratory as a means of reforming the world, but much for skill, science, high character and silent heroism. Its efforts are not spectacular, nor its hopes extravagant." In telling of what is designed by his lectures, the author says: "I use the word 'constructive' not for the purpose of introducing a program, but for the humbler one of indicating a spirit—the spirit of constructiveness." He says constructiveness has a threefold aim. His chapters on labor are exceedingly pertinent to the present time, when labor is occupying so much of the attention of all classes. The volume is instructive and informing. No one can read these lectures without having a clearer and better idea of what citizenship ought to be.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF TRUST COMPANIES IN THE UNITED STATES. By James G. Smith. (Henry Holt & Co., New York.)

A book of great interest at this time owing to the fact that much of the financial business of the country is transacted through trust companies. He does not deal with the trusts which have come under the ban of the law, designated by the late President Roosevelt as "good and bad trusts." His subject is trust companies doing a financial business, their fiduciary functions, and the problems they encounter. It is not alone a book for bankers and financial people, but for the general public as well, for the general public have an interest in how such companies transact their business, how their funds are invested and how they meet the requirements of business. Trust companies now are largely used as trustee, executor, or administrator of estates; they supply funds for the establishment and conduct of large business enterprises, in all of which their stockholders are interested and the general public has a like interest. The book is an exhaustive study of the whole range of trust activities, and the average business man will find it as interesting to study as will the banker or the man proposing to invest his capital.

IN TUNE WITH THE FINITE. By Thomas L. Mason. (The Century Co., New York.)

An excellent book in every way; excellent for what it contains, and most excellent in the style of its telling. It is a book that every one can read with profit—fathers and mothers, boys and girls, the business and professional man, pastor and layman. One reading will not suffice, but it will be read and reread, each time with pleasure and profit. Some of its sentences are epigramatic in terseness and intensity of thought. Others amount to maxims. Take the following as samples:

"If you have never been taught the way of love at home, you can not then select one individual to practice upon. You must begin early to practice on many."

"Lonesomeness, if rightly managed, is the greatest gift of the gods. It depends upon what you do with yourself inside."

"Woman's intensity is her barrier to peace."

"My duty ends when I make the best attempt I can to show people that nothing on earth can replace religion as an occupation."

"For the sons of wealthy Americans, I know of no more pernicious influence than Europe."

"You may be certain of this truth: That if a man has faith in himself he has faith in God."

"Anything pays big returns which give us release from deadly monotony."

"In reading, where to park your mind is the great trick."

It is a misfortune to the world that more such books are not written and printed.

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PARENT-TEACHER ACTIVITIES



Representative Frederick M. Davenport, of New York, will be the speaker at the fourth of a series of lectures on "Greater Washington" parental education, under the auspices of the District of Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations.

Davenport will speak on "The Need of Better Political Education in America" tomorrow at 8 p. m. at the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest.

Nearly the whole of the career of Davenport has been in the field of education. For more than twenty years he has occupied a chair in political science at Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y. During his membership in the New York State Senate he carried on his teaching at Hamilton. He is the advisory council for a specially endowed scientific laboratory of political education at Syracuse University to which he gives much attention.

Davenport had preliminary legislative and political experience. For eight years he was a member of the Senate of the State of New York. He is a nationally known orator, and there is no one in the country better qualified to lecture on this subject.

The lectures are free and the public is invited.

Central High School cadets will be ushers.

Mrs. Andrew Stewart is chairman.

Tribute of Appreciation.

One of the features of the double birthday celebration of the District and National Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations held last week in the Burlington Hotel was the presentation of a hand-illumined parchment testimonial to the president of the District Congress.

This gift represents the love and appreciation of the State executive board and of every school association in the District. Around the edge there is a border of gold oak leaves, the symbol of the Parent-Teacher organization, each of which represents a school association whose name is engraved on it. Inside the border are sprays of smaller gold oak leaves on each of which is engraved the name of a member of the executive board.

In the center, in hand-illumined text, is the presentation inscription, "To Mrs Giles Scott Rafter in loving appreciation for her untiring and devoted service as president of the District o. Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations since April, 1914."

A more personal tribute is embodied in a short poem to "Everybodies' Mother," which is engraved below the inscription.

This gift was made to one who has given years of service to the Parent-Teacher movement by those who are associated with her in the work.

The committee under whose direction the gift was developed were Mrs. S. W. Rauscher, Mrs. E. R. Kalmbach and Mrs. James Byler. The tribute is on exhibition at 726 Thirteenth street northwest.

Smallwood-Bowen.

The February meeting of the Smallwood-Bowen Parent-Teacher Association was held Monday at 3 p. m., in the Smallwood School. Miss Lucy Knox, domestic science teacher, read the State president's message. In the absence of Mrs. E. Paine, Mrs. J. Newton acted as secretary. Reports were made by the secretary, treasurer and the chairmen of the various committees. Mrs. Twiford told briefly what took place at the February meeting of the District of Columbia congress, which was a celebration of the thirty-first anniversary of the national congress and the twenty-third anniversary of the District of Columbia congress.

The president urged that more delegates attend the meetings of the District of Columbia congress, also the other committees, clothes conservation, Juvenile Court, etc. She also called attention to the lectures being given on "Educational Development."

The count of members present resulted in Miss Lusby's room, third grade, winning the prize.

Mrs. Newton gave a talk on parent-teacher work. A play was presented to celebrate the thirty-first anniversary of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, under the direction of Miss Paine, sixth grade teacher, explaining the Parent-Teacher movement from its infancy 31 years ago to the present date and still growing larger and stronger. The children who took part represented the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Frieda Brooks, Sylvia Rassin, Doris Berry, Margaret Wells, Nellie Mullen, Laura Chamberlain, Ruth Hyatt, Grace Nathanson, Esther Baritz, Dorothy Dorsey, Wesley Henley, Carroll Hall, So. Oshinsky, Paul Stefenal, John St. Clair and John Dickerson. The usual social hour followed, during which refreshments were served by a committee of teachers: The Missess Gibbons, Lusby and Sawyer.

Cook.

"Child Health" was the subject of an addres by Dr. Edith Coale medical inspector of public schools, at the February meeting of the Henry D. Cooke Home and School Association. Miss Priscilla Lane gave a group of cello solos, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Robert E. Adams.

The general secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, Miss Hettie Anderson, and the general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, William Knowles Cooper, will speak on "The Child After School" at the meeting to be held in the school auditorium Tuesday at 8 p. m.

Blair-Hayes.

The Blair-Hayes P.-T. A. will hold its meeting Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the Hayes School. Mrs. B. H. Melton will be the speaker and her subject will be, "Religion in the Home, School and Church."

Langley Junior High.

The thirty-first anniversary of the National Parent-Teacher Association movement was celebrated by the Langley Parent-Teacher Association at its meeting February 21. G. A. Bonnet presiding. The meeting was opened by singing of "America" and repeating of the Lord's Prayer.

Reports of the secretary, Miss J. A. Tennyson, and treasurer, Paul Proffe also reports from Mrs. McKenzie, health chairman; Mrs. Young, membership; Mrs. Pitman, ways and means; Mrs. Camalier, social, and Mrs. Stant, District Parent-Teacher Association, were given.

The association voted $35 to G. Derwood Baker, the principal, to pay his railroad fare to the N. E. A. Convention.

Piano solos were given by pupils of 7-A and 7-B grades. The Langley Sextette sang. Mr. Reynolds, member of the Metropolitan Theater Orchestra, gave two solos on the obo, accompanied by Paul Berket. Mrs. Rafter gave a talk on the "Aims of Parent-Teacher Association Work."

At the close of the meeting the reception committee invited the people to the new lunch room where refreshments of ice cream, wafers, and a large birthday cake were served.

The teachers then went to their rooms, where parents might go and learn about their children.

Letter by Ballou.

Dr. Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools, sent the following letter to the officers and teachers of divisions 1-9:

"Your attention is called to a comprehensive course of evening lectures to be given weekly during the next two months at the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest, under the auspices of the District of Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations, lecturers of national reputation will discuss a number of vitally important educational topics.

"Principals of buildings have programs announcing the dates and the topics to be discussed in these lectures. Admission is free. Tickets may be obtained from principals of buildings by those who desire reserved seats. The superintendent feels that these lectures should arouse general interest among our teachers and officers and hopes that they may be well attended."

Grant.

On Friday evening, February 24, the Grant Parent-Teacher Association held its first birthday party in the assembly hall of the school. Mrs. Tillinghast read the president's message. After a brief speech of welcome by Miss Alexandra Galeski, administrative principal, Mrs. Parrish turned the meeting over to Mrs. Dan Mathewson, program chairman.

One of the first numbers was a lovely dance, "The Minuet," in costume, given by nine girls of the Wilson Normal School under the training of Mrs. Bernice Randall Angelico, of the normal faculty musical department.

The costumes were of a quaint, long-ago period, when dignity, charm and grace combined to make the dance of our great-grandmothers' day a thing of beauty and joy forever. Mrs. Angelico next presented a section of the "Wil-Nor Glee Club," which sang a group of songs arranged by Miss Vera Lacey, then a group of children's songs. Their voices were clear and ringing like the carol singers in the Mount Holyoke Carol Choir.

Miss Fowler, one of the P.-T. A. members, next sang a group of songs. Mrs. Grimes gave a talk on the "Melody Method" of piano instruction and had two of her pupils demonstrate with piano selections. Many parents present were glad to have the opportunity to learn more of this music method being taught in the schools.

Last on the musical program was a selection of songs by Harry Angelico. In response to the encores, Angelico gave his famous group of Italian songs.

The new slide lantern, a recent purchase of the P. T. A., was then demonstrated by the eighth grade teacher, Miss M. M. Lockwood. While the lecture accompanying the geographical scenes was given by Miss Lockwood, Miss Carle, in charge of visualization work assisted with the lantern. This brought the program to a close and refreshments were served by the grade mothers.

Many new people enrolled as members and the association entered its second year with much enthusiasm.

Social Hygiene Class.

The Social Hygiene Class of the District of Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations is being held at the Burlington Hotel every Wednesday morning from 10 to 11. Mrs. H. B. Armes is the leader.

Maury.

The February meeting of the Maury Parent-Teacher Association was held at the school. Mrs. Giles Scott Rafter was the speaker. Mrs. Rafter gave a talk on the benefits of gardens as character builders.

Mrs. Card, garden instructor, also gave a talk on school gardens and showed many lantern slides of the garden of Maury School.

Miss Blackistone read the article on Founders' day from the Child Welfare Magazine, and Miss McKeever read the State president's New Year message.

Reports from the chairmen of committees were read. Mrs. Priddy reported that the Edmonds-Maury Gazette had had a most prosperous season to date, and showed a balance on hand after all expenses had been paid.

Mrs. Flournoy's report showed that the health committee had looked after the school children who had received the Schick test, 45 in all, having taken the treatment this year. Mrs. Crossfield, membership chairman, reported that a canvass was to be made of all parents to obtain new members. Mrs. Griest, publicity chairman, reported the various meetings and attended the congress. Mrs. Nelson urged all mothers to subscribe to the Child Welfare Magazine. Mrs. La Place, chairman of the Reading Circle, told of the splendid work of the circle, and announced that March 7, 1928, would be the first birthday anniversary of our circle, and urged all mothers to attend the meeting at the school at 1:15 p. m., on the date mentioned.

The school went on record as favoring the child labor bill, and the secretary was directed to write to Senator Capper and Representative Zihlman, informing them of the action of the association.

The school was the scene of a successful card party on the evening of February 17, given by the association under the direction of Mrs. Biddle for the benefit of the school, and the budget of the District of Columbia Congress and the shoe and rubber fund.

A moving picture benefit was arranged by Mrs. Priddy, and was most successful.

The association voted to purchase educational material necessary for the school to be used by the pupils.

The school count showed the eighth grade in the lead for the month in attendance.

Two new chairmen were appointed by the president, Mrs. Cecile P. Clark, Mrs. A. S. Cochran was appointed philanthropic chairman and Mrs. M. M. Balduf, legislative chairman.

The next meeting of the association will be held at the school on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Linn C. Drake, Boy Scout executive, will be the guest of honor, and all parents are urged to be present.

Child Welfare Day.

Until the last few years very few local parent-teacher associations observed the founding of the national and State organizations at their February meetings. In reading of the activities of the various school associations in this column the writer has observed that this year there are very few clubs that do not observe this anniversary in some way. "Founder's Day" or "Child Welfare Day" has become an annual feature with most of the local associations, who set aside the February meeting for its observance.

The National Congress of Parents and Teachers was organized in February, 1897, and the District of Columbia State branch in February, 1905, and these dates are being increasingly important to the local groups, as their work expands, and the value of the movement becomes more apparent.

This year some of the local associations observed Founder's Day with elaborate programs or pageants. Others introduced some original features in their celebrations.

"The Candle Lighting Ceremony," "The Gift Bearers," and "A Pageant for Founder's Day," are some of the published pageants offered by the national organization for use at local meetings.

The John Eaton Parent-Teacher Association took "The Pageant for Founder's Day" and made it into an interesting little play. As an introduction children of various ages depicted the styles of 1897 and 1928, and then a group of older pupils enacted a parent-teacher meeting of the present day.

The Joseph R. Keene School Association had a particularly beautiful and original ceremony arranged for the birthplay celebration, which introduced a touch of patriotism.

At the Peabody-Hilton meeting the national pageant was used, with the addition of a brief history of the State branch, which was arranged by the State historian, who is a member of this association. Two birthday cakes were provided, one with 31 candles for the national, and the other with 23 for the State branch.

Langdon Parent-Teacher Association featured a "Jack Horner Pie" instead of the usual birthday cake. The grade mothers drew the yellow and blue cords from the pie and then each read the bit of history of the State and national organization which she found at the end of her cord.

At the February meeting of the State organization an original pageant, "The Building of The Tree," was to have been enacted by the presidents of the local groups, but owing to lack of time the main part of the ceremony was deferred until the next meeting. This pageant is built around the beautiful oak tree, the emblem of the parent-teacher organization.

Tenley-Janney.

The Tenley-Janney Parent-Teacher Association gave a school luncheon last week at which they cleared over $100. The next meeting, tomorrow, is the annual meeting for election of officers. The report of the nominating committee, rendered at the last meeting, placed the following names before the association: For president, Mrs. Richard Fletcher; Mrs. Louis Kyhl; Mrs. J. R. Cox; for vice president, Mrs. Vernon Parker; Mrs. Johnson; for recording secretary, Mrs. Frank Earhardt; Mrs. Roy C. Bowker; for corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joseph Baldwin; Mrs. James Burns; for treasurer, Mrs. Michael Roche; Mrs. John C. Burrows.

Parkview.

A benefit movie will be given by the Parkview Platoon School P.-T. A. at the York Theater on Wednesday at 3:15 p. m.

Eighteen Parkview P.-T. A. members had lunch at the Burlington Hotel on March 21, after which they attended the District of Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations' meeting. This number included the president, Mrs. Kroff; first and second vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, principal, and practically all of the committee chairmen.

Pierce-Webb.

The Pierce-Webb Parent-Teacher Association met on Tuesday afternoon February 14, at the Webb School.

After business transactions, election of officers was held. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Theodore Reier, president; Miss L. Moyer, vice president; Mrs. Florence Rabbitt, secretary, and Miss Grace Bush, treasurer.

Miss Bush's fifth grade entertained with a play entitled "Well Babies," which was very educational. Miss Bush's fifth grade also won the attendance reward.

Mrs. Grubb, membership chairman, is having a membership drive and the room in each school that has the most members is to receive a reward. The contest drive will close March 9.

Brookland.

Mrs. J. N. Saunders, first vice president of the D. C. Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations, addressed the members of the Brookland association at its meeting on February 24. She gave short histories of the national and District of Columbia parent-teacher movements.

Mrs. Koons, of John Burroughs, told of the plans for the formation of a community center composed of the residents of Brookland, Michigan Park, Dahlgren Terrace, Langdon and Woodridge, with headquarters at the new John Burroughs School.

The association appropriated the money to purchase a second set of Compton's Encyclopedia for the use of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

John Eaton.

"Is the Mother an Optimist?" will be the subject of an address by the Rev. George L. Farnham to the John Eaton Parent-Teacher Association tomorrow afternoon.

This association has recently organized a pre-school study circle, under the direction of Miss M. C. Alden, one of the kindergarten teachers in the building.

The meeting tomorrow will be held in the school at 2 o'clock.

An Invitation.

Following is a letter received in the office from the president of the District of Columbia Home Economics Association:

"Dr. Mandel Sherman, director of the Washington Child Research Center, to be opened March 1, at 1925 Columbia road northwest, will give his first public address in this city at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening, March 13, in the auditorium of the Department of the Interior, F street northwest, under the auspices of the District of Columbia Home Economics Association.

"The District of Columbia Home Economics Association cordially invites you and all those associated with you in the Parent-Teacher Association to be present on this occasion to welcome Dr. Sherman and assure him of our interest and cooperation in his effort to establish and make permanent the Washington Child Center.

"Trusting a large representation of your organization will be present.

"EDITH C. SALISBURY."

Bancroft.

The executive board of the Bancroft Parent-Teacher Association met at the school Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Announcement was made of the monthly meeting which will be held Friday at 8 o'clock. Dr. Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools, and the Rev. Homer J. Councilor will be speakers.

An unusual opportunity to enjoy the first of Walter Damrosch's recitals, broadcast for the purpose of teaching music to children, was given to the fifth and sixth grade pupils of Bancroft School by Mrs. Stuart, president of the association. Mrs. Stuart invited Miss Lind, principal, the teachers and the children to her home to hear the recital over her radio.

Bryan.

The Bryan Parent-Teacher Association met in the assembly hall of the school on February 23. Mrs. Hamaker, president, read the State president's message from the D. C. Congress Parent-Teacher bulletin. Mrs. O'Brien, chairman of the scrapbook committee, gave a report on her work. A bundle day was appointed. A report on the birthday celebration of the D. C. Congress was given by the president.

The proceeds from the entertainment held on February 17 netted $26, which was sent to the State association for the shoe and rubber fund, making a total of $51 donated this year to that fund.

An announcement was made of the four illustrated lectures to be held in Hine Junior High School by the Community Center each Wednesday in March. A motion was carried to purchase a set of Compton's Illustrated Encyclopedias for the school and to furnish the 2A-B grade, Mrs. Herndon's room, with a set of library books. Two dollars was contributed for sheet music to Miss Ward's orchestra. The 1A-B grade, Mrs. Lehnert's room, is to be furnished with compartment cabinets by the association.

Mrs. Kettler, chairman of entertainment, introduced Mr. Oscar Kuldell who rendered several solos, accompanied by Mrs. Elsie Harvey Weaver. Mr. Miller, accompanied by Miss Nellie Dalrymple, entertained the association with eccentric music by using two silver spoons. He also played several numbers on the harmonica, giving a perfect imitation of the violin.

The association was very sorry to hear of the death of one of the kindergarten pupils, Louise Prendable.

A report was made by the chairman of the spring play. It will be held in the latter part of April, and the tickets will be 25 cents. The association was honored by having the president of the Lincoln Park Citizens Association present at this meeting. He made an address, urging all of the people present to become members of the citizen's association. Miss Hummer, supervising principal of the seventh division, was the speaker of the evening, giving an interesting talk on "Manners." The attendance was taken and the room winning the highest percentage of parents will keep the silk flag for the month.

Mothers' Club.

The Mothers' Club of the Bryan Association will meet Wednesday in the Bryan auditorium at 1:30 p. m. A very interesting paper has been prepared by Mrs. O'Brien, and all mothers are urged to attend.

Publicity Chairmen.

The State chairman of exhibits and scrapbooks will call a meeting of the publicity chairmen soon to plan the making of the local publicity scrapbooks for the State convention in April. One question to be decided upon is whether the books shall be provided in uniform shape by the State chairman, or whether each local chairman will undertake the making of the book for that association.

The State chairman will welcome suggestions and new ideas for making the books. The meeting will be soon and publicity chairmen will be notified.

Langdon.

The February meeting of the Langdon Parent-Teacher Association was devoted to celebrating the thirty-first anniversary of the National, and also the twenty-third anniversary of the State Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations. The birthday idea was carried out by a large "Jack Horner Pie." The grade mothers, who had just recently been appointed, made their bow to the association by coming forward and each pulling one of the gold and blue cords which extended from the pie. On the end of each cord was found a bit of history of the State or National Congress, which each grade mother read in turn.

Miss Gertrude Young, principal of Carbery, Peabody and Hilton Schools was introduced as the speaker of the afternoon, and she told of the organization of one of the first parent-teacher groups in Washington. Miss Young explained her conception of what Parent-Teacher Associations should stand for, and said she could not teach in or be principal of, a school where there was no parent-teacher group actively at work. It is significant to note here that the three schools of which Miss Young is now administrative principal all have Parent-Teacher Associations which are among the most active in the District of Columbia.

Study Circle.

The Pierce-Webb Study Circle on Parental Guidance met Thursday, February 23, at the Webb School, with an attendance of fourteen. This is the second meeting of the Study Circle and the members are intensely interested in discussing the problems of their little children, under the leadership of Miss M. Graff, kindergarten teacher of the Webb School.

The topic for this meeting was "Obedience." The subject for the next meeting will be "Punishment."

Oyster.

The James F. Oyster P.-T. A. met Friday evening, February 24. There was a large attendance of mothers, of fathers and teachers and friends. Miss Darnielle, the new principal, was presented with a basket of flowers.

Mr. Draper, supervisor of this division, spoke a few words of introduction to Miss Darnielle. Mr. Robert Haycock, assistant superintendent of schools, spoke of the cooperation of the Parent-Teacher Associations.

The children gave a vaudeville show with dances, flag drills, songs and games.

Stanton.

The next meeting of the Stanton School P.-T. A. will be held on Tuesday. The banner for attendance will be awarded for the first time and a full attendance is expected.

Several matters of importance are due for discussion, the question of holding a spring entertainment being one of them.

It is hoped that among the many new members gained recently there will be some willing to accept some of the chairmenships, which so far the association has been unable to fill because the small membership of the association, 43 in all, makes it difficult to fill all positions.

Jail Closed, Homes Are Opened to Poor

Camden, Me., March 3 (A.P.).—Human unfortunates, lacking funds and expecting to stay overnight in the Camden jail, have been surprised by the hospitality offered them recently. They have been lodged in private homes.

The village lockup has been undergoing repairs and during the interval citizens have entertained the guests. Herbert A. Thomas, town manager, says that fortunately the number of such overnight guests has been steadily decreasing from year to year.

As an afterthought he thought it might be a good idea not to tell too many persons about the arrangements.

Mississippi Leads In Colored Pupils.

Of 21,141,203 colored children attending schools during the school year 1925-26, as reported to the United States Bureau of Education by school officials in 16 States, the largest number, 282,841, were enrolled in Mississippi, where colored children comprise 56.2 per cent of the total school population of the State. North Carolina came next, with an enrollment of 254,62 colored pupils.—School Life.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, nawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Relief is sure.

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DISTINCTION IS DRAWN BETWEEN BRIBE, TIP

Reichstag Committee Drafting New Penal Code Is Heavily Taxed.

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—A discussion on the subtle difference between a state official accepting a nice open-handed tip and his succumbing to an attempted bribery, taxed the acumen of the members of the Reichstag committee drafting a new German penal code.

In section VII, paragraph 123, dealing with the violation, usurpation and corruption of official duties, the committee had the greatest difficulty in agreeing on the momentous question as to just where bribery began. It was finally decided that passing a tip to an official was not to be considered reprehensible for either party if the act was merely inspired by the giver's kindness of heart or a spirit of good fellowship and accepted in that sense, but that it became bribery if given and accepted for the performance of an official duty.

Likewise agreed upon was paragraph 124, dealing inversely with the omission of an official duty in exchange for a remuneration of any kind, for which a maximum penalty of five years penitentiary for the receiver of the tip was provided and varying jail sentences for the giver.

Grain Is Currency, French Courts Rule

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—As in ancient days, farm produce still is recognized as legal tender.

Farmers' contracts to pay bills in wheat and other food-stuffs have been held valid by the French courts, although contracts for payment in stable currencies have been voided repeatedly.

Farming "on shares" is a custom here as in other countries, and French farmers were astounded to have their usual practice questioned as an apparent violation of the law requiring the execution of all contracts in paper francs. The wording of the law apparently ignored "payment in kind," but the courts held that food as a basic material, is relatively one of the most stable mediums of exchange.

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A beautifully finished, seamless aluminum percolator with black non-heating wood handle. A full 8-cup capacity which makes delicious coffee quickly. Panel design as illustrated. This sale affords the thrifty an opportunity to effect a substantial saving.



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Now for two big days of extra savings on quality rubber goods, medicines, and sundries that are used daily in every home. Stocks are plentiful . . . and prices have been cut without thought of profit.

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$1.49 Household Thermometer $1.19
60c Shopping Bags 43c
79c Shaving Brush 59c
59c Benko Absorbent Cotton, lb. roll 47c
75c Shaving Mirror 49c
50c Peoples Pride Comb 33c
50c Peoples Choice Tooth Brushes 33c
98c Sterno 3 in 1 Percolator Outfit 69c
$1 Co-Ed Hair Clippers 000 size 79c
75c Household Shears 7½ in. size 49c
10c Wax Paper, 8c, 2 rolls 15c
39c Sunkist Reamers 33c
98c Sterno Vaporizer Outfit 89c

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Aromatic Spirits of Ammonia	3 oz. 17c	Imported Bay Rum	8 oz. 29c
Tincture of Iodine and Applicator	1 oz. 15c	Essence of Peppermint	2 oz. 25c
Castor Oil	4 oz. 13c	Spirits of Camphor, 4-oz.	35c
Creo-Terpin	3 oz. 25c	Graham's Sulphur Salve	89c
F. E. Aromatic Cascara	3 oz. 25c	Boric Acid	¼ lb. 10c
Sweet Spirits of Nitre	2 oz. 25c	Flowers of Sulphur	¼ lb. 10c
Camphorated Oil Solution	3 oz. 25c	Epsom Salts	1 lb. 8c
Mercurochrome	.21c	Cream Tartar	¼ lb. 19c
Olive Oil	4 oz. 20c	Rochelle Salts	¼ lb. 19c
Chloroform Liniment	3 oz. 25c	Senna Leaves	1 oz. 10c
Graham's Larkspur Lotion	25c	Senna & Menna	1 oz. 10c
Spirits of Turpentine	3 oz., 10c	Alum and Potassium Powder	½ lb. 10c
Glycerin	4 oz. 17c	Senna Pods	1 oz. 10c
Flavoring Extract Vanilla	3 oz. 25c	Fennel Seed	1 oz. 10c
		Cadox	4 oz. 25c
		Sodium Bicarbonate	1 lb. 15c

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Splendid Quality 39c Whisk Brooms

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Made of specially selected broom straw with metal cap and ring attachment, as illustrated. A special value at 27c.



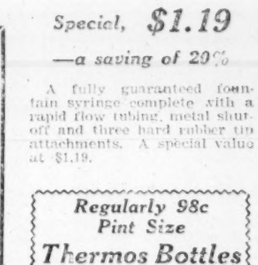
50c Household Rubberized Aprons

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Splendid quality aprons in an assortment of designs.

Home Remedies—priced low!

75c Naturalax	59c	60c Pertussin	37c
65c Mike Martin's Liniment	43c	35c Vick's Salve	25c
25c Bencoline Mouth Wash	19c	50c Graham's Milk of Magnesia	35c
50c Cinchotone Cold Treatment	33c	50c Phillip's Milk of Magnesia	32c
Peoples Aspirin Tablets, 5 gr. Bottle of 100	39c	$1 Pinoleum Liquid	79c
Peoples Cascara Tablets, Bottle of 100	25c	30c New Skin	25c
Peoples Soda Mint Tablets, Bottle of 100	17c	60c Vem	49c
Peoples Brown Mixture	19c	35c Antiphlogistine	23c
Peoples Solution Mercurochrome	21c	75c Baume Analgesique	47c
25c Vi-Co-Sol Medi-Throat Discs	17c	50c Iodex	45c
35c Mulford's B. F. I.	19c	50c Mentholatum	35c
50c Unguentine	39c	50c Mead's Cod Liver Oil	42c
35c Piso's Cough Syrup	23c	75c Mead's Cod Liver Oil	56c
		Phenacetine and Salol Tablets	45c
		Chlorate of Potash Tablets	15c
		Camphor Ice, tubes	10c



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$1.49 Dobell's Atomizer, No. 13	$1.19
50c Ear and Ulcer Syringe	39c
35c Sanitary Belts	29c
60c Sanitary Aprons	49c
J. & J. Adhesive Tape	8c to 90c
J. & J. Absorbent Cotton	10c to 39c
J. & J. Gauze, 1 yard, 18c; 5 yards	75c
Graham's Gauze, 25 yards	$1.98
15c Peoples Dental Floss, 2 for	25c
English Ice Caps	89c & 98c
Home's Best Ice Cap	$1.49
Home's Best Throat Ice Bags	$1.49
Invalid Cushions	$2.59 to $3.98
2-Quart Irrigators, complete	$1.59
Ace Bandages	70c to $1.30
J. & J. Auto Kit	$3.00
98c Special Vaginal Douche Syringe	69c

Baby Needs

8-oz. Nursers	5c
4-oz. Nursers	5c
Lenox Bottle Brush	15c
Anti-Colic Nipples	5c & 7c
10c Adbee Nipples, 6 for	29c
Pacifiers	10c
Baby Rattles	19c
Teething Rings	15c
Rubber Sheeting	69c & 98c

NOTES OF DEPARTMENTAL PERSONNEL

CIVIL SERVICE

A birthday luncheon was given Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Thelma De Arroya, of the examining division, Civil Service Commission. Those present included Mrs. Xenia Williams, Mrs. Vivian Shorb, Miss Mabel Dowell, Miss Rosamond Johnson, Miss Ethel Hixson and Miss Lucile Hixson.

Matthew F. Halloran, contact representative has resumed his duties after several weeks' illness.

Miss Isabel Dawes, of the certification section, is back after a week spent at her home in Annapolis.

Miss Ethel I. Walter is passing the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John C. Murray in Baltimore.

David S. Davison, assistant chief of the certification section, is away from the office on account of the illness of his wife.

Catherine D. McKaig, of the appointment division, has been transferred to the commission's office in New York City.

Miss Mabel Dowell was hostess to a number of friends Thursday evening. The guests included Miss Marcella Lamb, Miss Margaret Richmond, Miss Ranghild C Johnson, Miss Mary E. Motherwell, Miss Florence Johnson, Miss Eleanor Dill, Miss Letitia Wagstaff, Miss Rosemond Johnson, Miss Lucile Hixson, Miss Ethel Hixson and Miss Marly L Beers.

DISTRICT BUILDING

P. A. Tobin, assistant inspector of gas and meters, Public Utilities Commission, retired on account of age recently, and the vacancy caused has been filled by the appointment of H. L. Browning.

Elmo J. Milligan, chief clerk, Public Utilities Commission, and family, have moved from Washington to their country home near Clinton, Md.

Privates Horace W. Lineburg, H. G. Callahan, and Emile Desch, of the Police Department, have been promoted to be sergeants and assigned to the First Precinct, Fifth Precinct, and Eleventh Precinct, respectively.

Precinct Detective H. W. Smith, colored, has been appointed detective sergeant at the Detective Bureau, filling the vacancy caused by the retirement of Detective Sergeant T. J. Jackson.

Lieut. John W. McCormack has been transferred to the Second Precinct from the Eleventh Precinct, Police Department.

Arthur G. Sinclair, clerk in the office of the Department of Asphalts and Cements, was on leave part of the past week.

James M. Brown, Building Department, has applied for and been granted 30 days' annual leave of absence, from February 24 to March 29, made necessary by the breaking of both his legs in an automobile accident some time ago. Having taken all of his sick leave he found it necessary to ask for annual leave.

Maude N. Parker has been appointed director of girls' activities in the Department of Playgrounds.

Richard S. Tennyson has been appointed director of boys' activities in the Department of Playgrounds

The following employes of the Board of Public Welfare have been granted increases in pay retroactive to January 1: Mary E. Jeffries, R. B. Miller, L. M. Holmes, Benjamin Moss, Alma O. Turner, Maud Deans, V. K. Harrison, M. J. Hansen, E. K. Harper, D. J. Goheen, Joseph Walker, Mary P. Allen, A. Madofah Donahue, Ellen M. Rugg, Mary B. Wright, Adaline Rochefort, E. L Johnston, W. G. Opey, Grace Trotter, Mary Crawford, Mildred Helfer, R. F. Tobin J. T. Watson, Mary V. Holman, Adele Henritze, I. D. Henderson, E. C. Price, Julia D. Smoot, Lorraine P. Smoot, Mary Dixon, K. V. Timmons, Ruth Christopher, Isabel Myers, H. C. Sweeney, E. M. Morris and Solomon Williams.

The tentative promotion of J. H. Dick, chief clerk of the Sewer Department, has been confirmed by the Commissioners

D. A. Hipkins and W. B. Bushby, City Refuse Department, have received increases in pay retroactive to January 1.

G. C. Hastings has been appointed foreman in the Highway Department, vice Herlihy.

Singleton Anderson, messenger in the Health Department, has been restored to duty.

Guy L. Carder has been appointed a private of class 1 in the Police Department, vice F. R. Reh, removed, subject to a probationary period of one year.

C. Vaughn Darby, whose term as a member of the Board of Accountancy of the District of Columbia expired on February 23, has been reappointed to succeed himself for a term of three years.

The resignation of Jewell Hollingsworth, female attendant at the Home for Aged and Infirm, resigned, and the tentative appointment of Lola M. McAvoy as attendant has been confirmed by the Commissioners.

Charles F. Thompson has been appointed blacksmith and woodworker in the Home for Aged and Infirm.

The tentative promotion of Stuart Gibson, stenographer-clerk to the District of Columbia allenist, has been confirmed by the Commissioners

Ernest Bishop, superintendent of the crematorium, has received a promotion as far as salary is concerned.

Edith B. Aldridge, chief nurse, child hygiene service, health department, has been granted an increase in pay retroactive to January 1.

The resignation of Alice N. Bailey, under clerk at the Gallinger Municipal Hospital, has been accepted.

Clara Wise, attendant at the Gallinger Municipal Hospital, has resigned.

The tentative appointment of Malvina R. Finotti as receiving clerk at the Gallinger Municipal Hospital, vice Julia Parrott, has been confirmed by the Commissioners.

S. L. Lewis, now serving as a director on school playgrounds, has been appointed on municipal playgrounds, effective March 1, vice Martha Gordon, resigned.

Mrs. Mary M. Robinson, widow of Thomas M. Robinson, a pensioner of the Fire Department, has been granted relief from the policemen and firemen's retiring and relief fund. Similar relief has been granted Mrs. Anna F. Carroll, widow of Private Louis M. Carroll, of the Fire Department, and Mrs. Florence E. Brown, widow of Private Grover Cleveland Brown, of the Fire Department.

J. H. Calk, private in the Police Department, has been restored to duty.

The following privates of class 2 in the Police Department have been promoted to be privates of class 3: George R. Asay, John F. Boxwell, Hjalmar H. Carper, Theo Crow, Charles S. Dwyer, Herman G. Freeman, Maurice J. Hall Frank H. Hoffman, William L. C. Nees, Sigurd Ostenso, Hoyle D. Secrest, Virgil C. Rautsaw, John Q. A. Lewis, Chauncey A. Waterman and Violet A. Haison

Charles H. Miller has been appointed a private of class 1 in the Police Department, vice John T. Jackson, retired

Mrs. Lillian L. Helm, widow of James C. Helm, private of the Police Department, has been granted relief, as have her children, from the police and firemen's relief fund.

The following employes in the office of the director of traffic have received promotions retroactive to January 1: W. H. Harland, director of traffic; Alfred G. Seiler, office engineer; Ethel M Jaeschke, junior clerk stenographer, and Mary V. Aiello, junior clerk stenographer.

The resignation of George A. Kelser junior clerk in the Central Garage, has been accepted.

David E. Utz has been appointed junior clerk in the Central Garage for three months, effective March 1.

M. M. Lynch, telephone operator in the Electrical Department, was on leave of absence Monday and Tuesday of the past week.

James T Hamilton, inspector in the Electrical Department, has been on leave of absence.

John E. Lyons, Highway Department, is on leave of absence of five days expiring on Thursday.

John J. Curtin, engineer in the Highway Department, returned to work on Wednesday after leave of absence of several days due to death in his family.

W. A. Sparrow, inspector in the Plumbing Department, was on leave of absence last week.

D. J. Gainey, foreman in the Sewer Department, returned to work on Tuesday last after leave of absence of several days.

R. J. Sanderson, City Refuse Department, is on leave of absence until Wednesday next.

George B. Reade, Water Department, was on leave of absence two days during the past week

Edward Sutphin, Water Department, was absent on leave on Tuesday and Wednesday.

NAVY

Capt. C. M. Oman, Medical Corps, U. S. N., addressed a meeting of the League of Nursing Education at the Naval Hospital. A social hour was held later in the nurses' quarters

Miss Sarah Cox, of the Navy Nurse Corps, on duty at the Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Washington, has been ordered to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery for temporary duty.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, private secretary to Assistant Secretary Warner, has resigned, and Mrs. Bessie Burrows has been appointed to succeed her.

Miss Agnes Horan has been assigned to duty in the office of the Judge Advocate general.

Caleb B. Motz has been appointed to the engineering division of Yards and Docks.

Joel Reznek has been appointed to the chart construction division, Hydrographic Office.

Harry A. Cox, of the Assistant Secretary's Office, navy yard division, has been transferred to the specification section of yards and docks.

Edmund B. W. Ormby has been transferred to the Bureau of Yards and Docks from the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, and assigned to duty in the design division.

Bureau of Navigation.

Miss Anna Koon, of the naval reserve division, who was injured by a fall during the snowstorm in January, is still confined to her home.

Miss Madeline Honkla, of the recruiting division, was called to her home in Michigan by the serious illness of her father.

Miss Ethel M. Wilson, of the officer personnel record division, who has been absent on account of illness for several weeks, has returned to duty.

Miss Louella Lowe, of the mail and file division, sailed yesterday for Cuba where she will visit her brother for two weeks.

Emil F. W. Piassman, of Taylorville, Ill., has been appointed to the Bureau of Navigation and assigned to the office of the naval reserve personnel.

Miss Mathilda B. Carlet, of the enlisted personnel division, and Mrs. Mable F. Bowdin, of the naval reserve division, have returned to duty after several weeks' illness.

W. D. Hall, chief of the enlisted personnel division has been absent on account of the death of her sister.

Bureau of Supplies and Accounts.

Mrs. Edna M. McQuade, of the administrative division, resigned February 29 and will make her home in Pensacola, Fla.

Mrs. Laura V. Green has been reinstated in the allotment division

Miss Lilla M. Emory, of the office of chief of engineers, War Department, has been transferred to the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts.

Mrs. Lillian M. Skelly, Mrs. Gertrude Ludwig and Miss Catherine Pullman, of the property accounting office, sailed on March 1 for a visit to the Canal Zone.

Miss Helen Pine and Miss Helen Hammer, of the appropriation section, accounting division, sailed on March 1 for a visit to the Canal Zone.

Marine Corps.

Private First Class Arthur W. Harding, of the Navy Building guard, was promoted to the rank on February 28.

Private First Class Charles A. Burton of the A and I. department, died February 28 at Garfield Hospital and was buried at the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va., Friday with military and Masonic honors.

Private First Class Tom M. Atkinson, jr., has joined the A. and I. department from San Diego, Calif.

Staff Sergt. Julian B. Bird, paymaster's department, was discharged on February 23 and reenlisted the next day.

Private First Class James C. Craft of the quartermaster department, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant

Sergt. Ersal D. Davey, quartermaster department, was promoted to the rank of staff sergeant.

Staff Sergt. Ernesto R. Beavers, quartermaster department, has been promoted to the rank of supply sergeant

Corpl Kenneth A. Sutherland joined the quartermaster department on Tuesday for duty at the garage.

Paymaster Sergt. Ernest M. Jones was transferred to the depot quartermaster at Philadelphia, Pa., for duty

Majs. D. M. Randall, John Potts Samuel Bogan, Capt. Charles T. Brooks, Chief Pay Clerk John S. McGuigan and Quartermaster Clerk Burns D. Goodwin were detached from headquarters and assigned to duty with the Asiatic station.

Lieut. Col. R. B. Creecy is on leave of absence.

NAVY YARD

W. A. Brannon, of the metallurgical and testing division, navy yard, is terminating his thirtieth year of service with ten days' leave of absence,

Ernest Lohr, former member of the erecting shop, has been reemployed in that department after an absence of about six years.

News of the death of Walter T. Richardson, for many years an employe of the breech mechanism shop, was regretfully received here last week.

William Hartgen has returned to his duties in the chemical laboratory after a brief illness.

Alexander Carnahan has been transferred from the miscellaneous shop to the planning division as planner and estimator.

Fred Doe has been assigned to new duties in the miscellaneous shop office

Harry Ragsdale, quarterman, has returned to work after an extensive stay at New Orleans.

Philip Roache reports favorable progress with the Glee Club recently organized by members of Shop M.

Joseph Herbert has returned to work after an extensive trip through Southern Maryland, accompanied by Jeremiah Cather.

POSTOFFICE

Grant B. Miller, chief inspector, has returned after a brief visit to his home in Willard, Ohio.

Louis Grehm has resumed his duties after a trip to Chicago and St. Louis on official business.

Miss Alice Goodwin has returned after a vacation passed in Philadelphia.

George F. Breen passed the last week-end on a motor trip with Mrs. Breen through southern Maryland.

W. L. Rhoads and Mrs. Rhoads passed last week-end on a motor trip through Virginia.

R. B. Manherz and Mrs. Manherz have returned after a motor trip to their home in Waynesboro, Pa.

J. Errington Lloyd has been entertaining for Ferdinand Zumbusch from Buffalo, N. Y.

John H. Bartlett, First Assistant Postmaster General, returned Monday after a trip to Muncie, Ind., where he attended the Indiana State convention of city letter carriers.

Miss Ella B. McCord is expected back tomorrow after an absence of two weeks at Camden, Ohio, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her brother.

Eugene W. Satterwhite has returned after a trip to Philadelphia on official business.

M. H. Bunn was in Minnesota during the week on official business.

A. E Barr and Mrs. Barr have returned after a visit to his mother, Mrs. A. D. Barr, at her home in Charles Town, W. Va.

C. F. Stuhler, who has been absent for several weeks due to personal injuries, and the death of his father in Iowa, is expected to return tomorrow.

Robert S. Regar Third Assistant Postmaster General, will leave Thursday for Indianapolis, Ind., where he will deliver an address at the Republican Editorial Association convention Friday.

Michael L. Eidsness, jr., and P. W. Gibbon returned Thursday after an absence in Columbus and Dayton, Ohio, on official business.

Mrs E. V. Hamlett is passing the week-end on a motor trip to Fredericksburg, Va.

H. S. Burns is passing the week-end on a motor trip to Baltimore.

Winfield W. Snyder is away for a vacation of two weeks to be passed in Wilkes-Barre, Reading and Lebanon, Pa.

Mrs. Grace H. Leeper has returned after a brief vacation passed with her mother, Mrs. Sara C. Holland, on a visit to their home in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Miriam A. Sonneman has been reinstated in the division of registered mails.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wagner passed last week-end on a motor trip to Richmond.

Miss Pauline Fox was hostess to a number of friends and entertained with a bridge party at her home on Tuesday evening. Guests included Mrs. John A. Graham, Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner, Mrs. Lottie W. Horne, Mrs. Elizabeth France, Miss Mayris Pagett, Miss Esther Chaney and Miss Nan Wilmer.

Col. Arthur Roberts, superintendent division of topography, has resumed his duties after a vacation passed on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Ellington, at her home in Asheville, N. C.

George Landick, jr., returned after a trip to Atlanta on official business

L. A. Lyles is passing the week-end on a visit to his family, who are guests of Mrs. J. W. Lyons at her home in Manassas, Va.

M. O. Dennison and B. P. Lee have returned to duty after being absent on account of illness.

Warren G. Dent, who was retired on February 29 after 40 years of continuous service in the division of equipment and supplies, was the recipient of numerous presents from the personnel of that division. The Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, H. H. Billany, extended felicitations in behalf of the department, and Dent was presented with an armchair, reading lamp smoking stand, foot stool and a box of cigars.

The condition of Mrs. Anna Wentich, who has been confined in Garfield Hospital for several weeks is reported as improving.

H. L. Hout, jr., has resumed his duties after a vacation passed in Philadelphia and at Reading, Pa.

O. H. Scott, has resumed his duties after an extended absence due to illness.

J. D. Yocum, division of rural mails, and Mrs. Yocum, have been entertaining for his brother, B. T. Yocum and wife, and for his son-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duhn, from Baltimore.

AGRICULTURE

Dr. R. W. Balcom, food, drug and insecticide administration, has been confined to his home for several days on account of illness.

Russell Smith, division of crop and live-stock estimates, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, has resigned to accept a position with the American Cotton Growers Exchange at Memphis, Tenn.

W. H. Black, animal husbandry division, is on an extended trip through the West and Southwest.

Charles Medlin has been appointed relief watchman at Center Market.

Dr. Kebler, food, drug and insecticide administration, has returned from a trip to Tulsa, Okla., where he went to testify in a court case for the Government.

Thomas Austin has been appointed as messenger in the section of mails and files.

John Ogilvie has been ertnsferred to the section of accounts.

J. G. Williams, Burgau of Animal Industry, is on a trip through the East, including the Morgan Horse Farm in Connecticut.

Harry Panzar has been transferred from the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Mrs. Iva Daley has been appointed to the division of cotton marketing.

James Berry, messenger in the division of mails and files, has resigned to accept a position in the Treasury.

E. W. McComas, Bureau of Animal Industry, is on a trip through the Middle West.

Miss Anna Brodsky has been transferred from the clerical roll to the division of dairy and poultry products.

Lewis M. Smallwood has been appointed as messenger in the section of accounts.

H. L. Schrader, Bureau of Animal Industry, will leave tomorrow on the B. & O. extension train, "Poultry Special," which is being sponsored by the University of Maryland, in collaboration with the Department of Agriculture.

John Taylor, messenger, has been transferred from the section of mails and files to the division of dairy and poultry products.

W. A. Sherman, who has completed his work in California, expects to start back to Washington about March 15, stopping at field offices in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and other States en route.

H. A. Harris, an employe in the division of fruits and vegetables since August, 1916, has resigned to become manager of a newly organized trade association in Los Angeles.

Robert Bier, division of fruits and vegetables, is on two weeks' trip through the South.

Lloyd Tenny attended the meeting of the Philadelphia branch of the National League of Commission Merchants in Philadelphia on March 1

Mrs. Susan H. Walker entertained the ladies of the Press Service at her apartment last week, in the nature of a shower for Mrs. Conklin, who has just gone housekeeping.

Mrs. Bird, radio service, office of information, has been ill in Walter Reed Hospital for about two weeks.

Miss Hemphill (Aunt Sammy to radio fans), who has been ill in Baltimore for some time, is on the road to recovery.

Peter Ferrari, inspector of primary schools, Canelones, Uruguay, recently spent some time in the department studying methods used by this country in cooperative extension work.

Stanley P. Young, of Colorado, has been appointed head of the division of economic investigation.

Dr. Arthur P. Kelley, assistant professor of botany at Rutgers University, has joined the staff of the Allegheny forest experiment station as associate ecologist.

Dr. J. S. Cooley, associate pathologist, has been placed in charge of the Hood River, Oreg., laboratory, for investigation of the apple canker.

B. B. Derrick, division of cooperative marketing, has been in Ames, Iowa, since last week making an economic study of direct shipping and selling of live stock to packers.

Franz Gruger, of the Prussian statistical office, visited the bureau of agricultural economics last week.

G. H. Powers is spending three or four weeks in Parkersburg, W. Va., in the interest of the division of dairy and poultry.

H. W Hawthorne spent Wednesday at Easton, Md., conducting a farm account book school for the benefit of Maryland farmers.

George W. Stokes, scientific aid, has been appointed in the division of cotton marketing, with headquarters at Lynchburg, S. C.

W. K. Marshall, milling and baking laboratory, will attend a meeting of the American Association of Cereal Chemists' baking committee in Chicago on March 12-16.

Harold Anderson, of the Baltimore office; T. Murray Mainadair and David H. Larkin, of the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce, visited the department recently.

A. M. Agelasto, division of cotton marketing, spent Wednesday in Norfolk, Va., where he was called on account of the death of Mrs. Agelasto's father

Harold S. Irwin is leaving the hay, feed and seed division to take up the duties of associate agricultural economist in the grain futures administration, with headquarters at Chicago.

COMMERCE

W. E. Braithwaite, of the division of simplified practice, will attend the preliminary conference on polish and buffing wheels to be held at the Old Colony Club, New York City, on Wednesday.

Wilson Flake, of the textiles division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, left last week for New York City, where he has been assigned indefinitely to take care of requests from the textile trade commissioners in the foreign office of the bureau.

Wilson K. Ray, of the minerals division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has returned from a business trip to New York City.

Mr. E. T. Pickard, chief of the textiles division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has returned from a business trip covering New York City, Providence and Pawtucket, where he conferred with manufacturers and exporters of textiles.

Miss Margaret A. Moffett, of the division of simplified practice, has gone to her home after undergoing an operation.

A number of employes of the department attended the luncheon at the City Club last Friday. The club invited nonmembers to attend the luncheon to hear and see Dr. Sergius P Grace, chief commercial engineer, Bell telephone laboratories of New York City, speak and demonstrate inverted speech, the latest wonder produced in their laboratories, and claimed to be one of the greatest scientific achievements in recent years. A half carload of apparatus was used in the demonstration work.

The engagement has been announced of Edwin B. George, district manager of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce office at Philadelphia, and Miss Mary Louise Baker, of McLean, Va. The wedding date is set for early spring.

Arthur B. Butman, chief of the shoe division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has been called to New England due to the sudden death of his mother-in-law.

Mrs. Mary G. Cox, of the division of simplified practice, has been confined to her home for more than a week due to illness.

Trade Commissioner James E. Wallis jr., sailed Wednesday on the S. S George Washington for his post at Berlin.

Luther Becker, chief of the iron and steel division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, returned Wendesday from a business trip in New York City.

Curtis Reed Hill, formerly assistant chief of the rubber division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has accepted a position with the Fisk Tire Export Co., of New York City.

Mrs. Ella E. Ross, of the aeronautics branch, was confined to her home several days last week due to bruises which she suffered from a recent fall.

Assistant Commercial Attache D. P. Miller sailed for his post at Berlin on the S. S. George Washington Wednesday.

Charles K. Morris, from Minneapolis has been appointed clerk to trade commissioner at Constantinople, Turkey, and is leaving for his new post in the near future.

Grosvenor Jones, chief of the finance and investment division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has returned from a month's trip to Havana.

Mrs. L. L. Kimball, of the divisions of simplified practice, is spending a week with relatives in New England.

Luther Becker, chief of the iron and steel division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, spent several days of last week in New York City on business.

Miss Glennie Berry, formerly of the industrial machinery division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has returned to the city after spending the past several months at her home in Boston.

Noble Newport Potts, formerly traffic manager of the department, visited his old friends here during the past week.

Arthur S. Hillyer, chief of the commercial intelligence division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, is on an official trip to the New England States

Wilbur Page, chief of the leather division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, returned Thursday from a business trip to New York City.

Howard E. Way, of the electrical division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, returned yesterday from Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ella O. Howard, of the aeronautics branch, has returned to her office after an absence due to illness

J. Servera, of the commercial laws division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, who has been in Havana for some time, returned to the bureau last week.

Clarence J. North, of the motion picture section of the specialties division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, spent last Wednesday in New York City.

Norman L. Knauss, of the division of building and housing, has returned from an official trip to New York City.

Miss Irma Kuhnert, secretary to Mr. Domeratzky, is confined to her home with an attack of the pleurisy.

Miss Edith Ogden, of the domestic commerce division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has been transferred to Norfolk in connection with work of that division.

Miss Edith Hainsworth, of the supply division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has been confined to her home for the past week.

G. F. McInturff, jr., assistant chief clerk of the department, has just purchased and moved into a new home in Fort Stevens Ridge.

Robert Sheldon Myers has been appointed to the vacancy in the division of publications, Office of the Secretary, created by the transfer to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce of Alvin E. Johnson.

Grissom E. Haynes, of the transportation division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has resigned to accept a position with the Atlantic Aricraft Corporation.

Mrs. Dorothy C. Luers, of the commercial intelligence division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has resigned effective March 5.

Raymond L. Curtin entered on duty in the supply division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, last week.

Preston W Barker has been appointed as assistant chief of the rubber division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, to succeed C. R. Hill, who has recently resigned.

Chester Ellis, of the office of the Secretary, was away from his office on annual leave during the past week.

WAR

Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, was given a birthday party Friday night at the Officers' Club of the Army War College.

F. Trubee Davison, Air Secretary of War, and Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, chief of the Army Air Corps, are planning a round trip flight to Panama early this month.

Maj. William A. Ganoe, historical section, United States Army, was one of the principal speakers at the first annual banquet of the Dickinson Alumni Club of Washington Monday at the Y. W. C. A. Building. Brig. Gen. Frank R. Keefer, Medical Corps, U. S. A., is president of the club.

The Minnesota State Society held its first annual military ball last Tuesday evening in the new National Press Club ballroom, at which officers of the Army and Navy stationed in or near Washington, and who come from Minnesota, were the special guests. Miss Bede Johnson, of the quartermaster general's office, is president of the society. Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, made a brief talk on a recent trip through Minnesota.

The Mississippi State Society held its annual reception last Friday evening at the Washington Club. The guests of the evening were Army, Navy and Marine officers (Mississippians) stationed in Washington. Rear Admiral Thomas P. Magruder, ranking officer among those from Mississippi located here, was the principal speaker of the evening.

Assistant Secretary of War Col Charles B. Robbins, Maj. Gen. John A Hull, judge advocate general; Maj. Gen William D. Conner, commandant of the Army War College; Maj. Gen. George S. Gibbs, chief signal officer, and Maj Gen. Saltzman, former chief signal officer, will be among those in the receiving line at the reception and ball to be given Tuesday evening at the Willard Hotel by the Iowa State Society. The reception is in honor of Interstate Commerce Commissioner Claude M. Porter, who will be the principal speaker. All Iowans of the War Department as well as in the District are invited to be present at 8:30 o'clock.

Sydney E. Smith, disbursing officer for the War Department, is confined to his home as the result of a fall in front of his home, causing a severe fracture of the hip.

Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, and Mrs. Summerall are receiving this afternoon from 4 to 6 at their home in Fort Myer.

Quartermaster Corps Dance.

Over 300 persons attended the annual dance given under the auspices of the Quartermaster Corps, Friday evening at 2400 Sixteenth street, to help swell the funds of the Welfare Association, and was a brilliant success.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Francis H. Pope, Mrs. B. F. Cheatham, wife of Maj. Gen Cheatham; Col. William R. Gibson, Maj. Neill E. Bailey and Maj. Louis C Wilson, were among the listed guests.

The following committee had charge of the arrangements: Mrs. Anna Farrar, chief, Welfare Association; Miss Lillian Souder, Herbert Solomon, Maj. G. D Murphey, Charles Rintz, Mrs. Elsie K. Dewey, Miss Rose V. McCawley, Miss Mabel Jenkins, Miss Vera E. Bennington, Miss Helen McAleer, Miss Annie Jane Lillard, A. B. Moreland, R. S. Kirkwood, Miss Edith E. Kelly, Miss Edna Davies, Capt. C. L. Middleton, A. L. Husted, Miss M. G. Baden and Miss Marie M. Bredekamp.

Army Finance Office.

Miss Catherine Hutchinson, pay-mileage branch, was on leave several days last week.

The Army Finance Golf Association announces the election of officers of the Army Finance Golf Association as follows: President, Lieut. Col. Wm. H Clopton, jr.; secretary-treasurer, James J. O'Brien; board of governors, Col F W. Coleman, Miss N. B. Cain, Lieut Col. William H. Clopton, jr., F. G. Butler, Lloyd Boose, A. M. Glynn, J J O'Brien, Miss F. Scott and Carl Witcher tournament committee, Lloyd Boose, Miss N. B. Cain and Miss F. Scott

Office Chief of Finance.

M. H. Andrews property accounting-contract audit division, was on leave during the last week.

Quartermaster General's Office.

Miss Gretchen Baden, motor transportation division, quartermaster general's office, who was confined to her home for two weeks on account of illness, resumed her duties last Monday

O. E. Camp, formerly of the office of the United States Engineer, has been transferred to the personnel of the quartermaster general's office.

Chemical Warfare Service.

Mrs. Elsie J Bell, of the office of the chief of chemical warfare, who enjoyed an extended vacation of four weeks visiting relatives and friends in Florida and Cuba, resumed her duties the early part of the week.

Office Chief of Engineers.

Joseph C. Letts, principal engineer, construction section, office chief of engineers, will leave Tuesday for Norfolk and Fort Monroe on official business for the department, returning the latter part of the week.

Maj. Lewis H. Watkins, the district engineer at Chattanooga, Tenn., was in Washington last week and spent several days in the office of the chief of engineers.

Maj. A. K. B. Lyman, chief finance division, office chief of engineers, sailed last Wednesday from New York for a three-week trip in Panama. He will return to the office the last part of the month.

U. S. Engineer Reproduction Plant.

Herman L. Krause, lithographer, has returned from a five days' trip to Philadelphia, where he attended the marriage of his daughter.

Charles Storey, pressman, has been absent since the first part of the week on account of illness.

The "Reproduction" team of the War Department Duckpin League defeated the "Topos" two games out of three last week. Both teams represent the engineer reproduction plant in the league.

Joseph Jacobson, draftsman, was away from the plant several days last week on account of sickness.

William H. Pistel, chief draftsman, has returned to his desk at the plant after a brief vacation.

U. S. Engineer Office.

R. L. Wadsworth has been detailed to duty on the U. S. hopper dredge William T. Rossell in connection with dredging operations on the lower Potomac.

Leon V. Michaelowicz has joined the survey party at Quantico, Va.

E. J. Merrick, jr., has returned from an inspection trip on board the district boat Chicago, inspecting the fish-stake lines in the Chesapeake Bay.

Harry G. Pearce, radio operator of the U. S. hopper dredge Rossell, has returned after a visit to his former home in Boston over the week-end.

Samuel A. Culverwell, inspector, has returned to the office after a detail on the dredge Rossell, relieving Harry G. Pearce, radio operator, while he was on a brief vacation.

Benjamin P. McKnew, inspector, who is stationed on the U. S. dredge Talcott, is confined to his home on account of illness.

O. E. Camp has been transferred to the personnel of the quartermaster general's office and detailed to duty with the Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania Courthouse Battlefields Commission. This commission has its headquarters in Fredericksburg, Va., and is charged with the construction of battlefiled memorial parks at Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania Courthouse, the Wilderness and Chancellorsville, including Salem Church. The commission as appointed by the Secretary of War consists of Maj Gen. John Clem, veteran of the Union Army; Vivian M. Fleming, veteran of the Confederate Army, and Capt. George F. Hobson, construction quartermaster, U. S. Army.

Miss Frances A. Hinkebein has been appointed as clerk and assumed her duties.

FOREST SERVICE

Charles E. Rachford, of the branch of forest management, was confined to his home several days last week on account of sickness

Maj. Evan W. Kelley and Edward A. Sherman, of the branch of public relations, left the city Thursday morning for Porto Rico, where they will be engaged for several weeks in making an inspection of the national forests of that country.

Will C. Barnes, assistant forester of the branch of range management, delivered an address on the Hopi Indian snake dance before a gathering of the Park View School Improvement Society Tuesday evening.

Henry Lee Baker, branch of public relations, who has been passing several weeks in Florida in the interest of the forest service, has just been appointed State forester of the State of Florida

J. Girvin Peters branch of public relations, is spending several weeks in Georgia and Kentucky. In the latter State Mr. Peters attended the tenth annual conference of the Southern Forestry Congress, which held its sessions in the Kentucky Hotel, Louisville, Ky., at which time he delivered an address at the opening session of the congress.

C. L. Graham, formerly of La Connia, N. H., reached the city the first of the week to assume his new duties in the local office.

Viola M. Crowley, of the Eastern district, who has been in the local office for the past several years, has just been transferred to the Alaska district at Ketchikan, Alaska.

John B. Byrne, who completed a short assignment in the local office, left the city the last of the week for his station at Franklin, N. C.

Prof. Yoshimori Takezaki, who is in charge of plant breeding work of the department of agriculture of Kyoto Imperial University, in Japan, visited the local office last week to obtain information upon the work and organizations of the Government's forest experiment stations.

C. M. Arthur, of the office of information has been transferred to the United States Forest Service and placed in charge of public relations work of the forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis., where he will be stationed.

Donald G. Coleman has accepted a position as editor of the forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis. Mr. Coleman, who has been on detail in this city for two weeks, will leave shortly for his new duties.

Carlisle Winslow, director of the forests products laboratory at Madison, Wis., passed several days in this city last week, visiting the local office.

Vicente C. Ramos, chief clerk of the Philippine forest service, reached the city the first of the week, where he will make an exhaustive study of the work of the Forest Service in the United States.

PATENT OFFICE

Miles O. Price, chief of the scientific library division of the Patent Office, delivered an address before the meeting of the District of Columbia Library Association, at which time he discussed the procedure of the Patent Office Library Wednesday evening.

Sarah E. Houser, of the scientific library, who enjoyed a short vacation last week, surprised her friends by announcing that she was married to Mr. Gordon W. Patterson, of this city, in Baltimore, Md., Saturday evening, February 18, by the Rev. Dr. Munford, of Ellicott City, Md.

Frank Maley, of the scientific library, who was confined to his home for a week on account of sickness, resumed his duties the first of the week.

Adolpheus Wells, of the scientific library, was absent from his duties in the Patent Office several days last week on account of sickness.

Judah B. Felshin, of division 47, resumed his duties in the Patent Office the first of the week, having passed a week with relatives in New York City.

James Holt, of the attorneys and record room, was absent from his duties several days last week on account of sickness.

Karl B. Lutz, formerly of division 39, who tendered his resignation several months ago to obtain a position with a firm of patent lawyers, was a visitor at the office last week.

Charles Baraff, of division 52, was absent from his duties in the Patent Office several days last week on account of sickness.

Harold O. Clayton, of division 41, has resigned his position as an associate examiner in order to accept a position with a firm of patent lawyers in South Bend, Ind.

Frank Bailey, of division 52, was confined to his home several days last week on account of sickness.

Nathan U. Bluffstone, of division 20, was the recipient of numerous congratulations last week on announcing the birth of a daughter.

J. F. Ryan, of division 14, has tendered his resignation as a junior examiner in order to become associated with a firm of patent lawyers in New York City.

Judah B. Felshin, an associate examiner in division 47, has resigned his position in the Patent Office in order to become associated with a firm of patent lawers in New York City.

Joseph Rose, of the attorneys and record room, was absent from his duties several days last week on account of sickness.

Thomas B. Hudson, examiner's aid in division 51, has been promoted to a junior clerk and assigned to the mail division of the Patent Office.

John Kearful, a copy puller in division F, has been promoted an examiner's aid and assigned to division 51.

Frank R Oliveri, of the assignment division, was confined to his home several days last week on account of sickness.

Margaret H. Bautista, of division 34, has been transferred to division 37, where she will assume the duties of Miss Etta F. Johnston, who will be retired March 31.

Under the direction of F. W. Swanton, chairman of the moving pictures committee of the Patent Office Society, microscopic views of ants and ant hills and several reels relative to the citrus fruit industry were shown before a gathering of several hundred employes of the Patent Office Friday afternoon.

Joseph Khotimlansky, of division 38, was the recipient of many congratulations last Wednesday on the occasion of his birthday.

Mrs. Saffort, an examiner of division 2, has resigned to enter literary work in this city.

BUREAU OF STANDARDS

P. H. Bates, chief of the clay and silicate products division, and W. A. Slater, chief of the masonry construction section, presented papers at a recent meeting of the American Concrete Institute in Philadelphia.

S. H. Ingberg, chief of the fire resistance section, and N. D. Mitchell, of the same section, attended a conference on fire resistance of concrete and sessions of the American Concrete Institute in Philadelphia last week.

Lauriston S. Taylor, of the atomic physic and X-ray section, went to Schenectady, N. Y., last week to consult with specialists regarding new X-ray equipment to be installed at the bureau. Mr. Taylor also inspected the X-ray facilities of several hospitals in Philadelphia.

W. D. Appel, of the chemistry division, returned today from Boston and Lawrence, Mass., where he conferred on matters relating to the establishment of standard methods for testing the fastness of dyes and colored textiles.

Dr. W. Blum, chief of the electrochemistry section, will attend a meeting of the International Association of Electroplaters in Philadelphia this week and confer with electroplaters and metallurgists in Easton, Pa., and Syracuse, N. Y.

Members of the American Electroplaters Society and others interested in electroplating held a conference at the bureau on Friday of last week to discuss plans and recommendations for future studies of electroplating problems.

Dr. C. B. Jolliffe, of the radio section, went to New York City last week to confer with officials on the subject of radio standardization.

Edmund B. W. Ormsby, who has been employed as laboratory apprentice in the electrical division for the past two years, has accepted a position in the Navy Department.

Harold M. Olson, who has been employed as junior chemist in the sugar section for the past two years, has accepted a position with the War Department at Edgewood Arsenal.

Ernest J. Maust, of Salisbury, Pa., has been assigned to the bureau as research associate by the Dorr Co., of New York City.

Royal H. Rasch, of Berlin, N. H., has been assigned to the bureau as research associate by the Brown Co., of that city, for work in connection with the permanency of papers.

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BATTLESHIPS SELECTED FOR ANNAPOLIS CRUISE

Arkansas, Florida and Utah, of Scouting Fleet, Are Designated.

TRIP WILL START JUNE 8

The battleships Arkansas, Florida and Utah, of the scouting fleet, have been designated to take the midshipmen of the Naval Academy on their annual practice cruise next summer. The practice squadron will leave Annapolis June 8, will visit New York, and Newport, Boston, Portland and other New England ports; in August will go to Guantanamo, Cuba, for target practice, and will return to Annapolis by August 28.

The U. S. S. Pennsylvania will cruise with naval reserve officers' training corps units of the University of California and University of Washington, in accordance with the following itinerary: Embark University of California students at San Francisco and leave May 19; arrive Victoria, British Columbia, May 25, and leave May 28; arrive San Francisco June 2, disembark students, and leave June 4; arrive Seattle June 8, embark University of Washington students, and leave June 9; arrive San Francisco June 15 and leave June 18; arrive Victoria June 21 and leave June 23; arrive Seattle June 23 and disembark students.

The U. S. S. Wyoming will cruise with R. O. T. C. units from Georgia School of Technology, Harvard, Northwestern and Yale, in accordance with the following itinerary: Leave New York June 14; arrive Charleston, S. C., June 17 and leave June 18; arrive Boston June 21 and leave June 21; arrive Halifax June 23 and leave June 26; arrive Portland June 30 and leave July 3; arrive Boston July 4 and leave July 5, and arrive Charleston July 8.

D. A. R. Notes

At the monthly meeting of the Thirteen Colonies Chapter, held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Walter E. Hutton, 1411 Newton street northwest, Mrs. William R. Lowe, the chapter historian, gave a talk on the early history of Washington. She brought to the attention of the members Christian Hines' work, "Early Recollections of Washington." Hines saw every President from Washington to Lincoln, and describes, among other things, the fire in the Treasury, when "several ran up F street to where it was and were informed that the President was in line aiding in passing buckets."

Two new members were admitted to the chapter, Mrs. James Gootch, of Washington, and Mrs. Martha Noel Wells, of Rawlings, Wyo.

The Army and Navy Society, Children of the American Revolution Society, had as associate members Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, Mrs John A. Lejeune, Mrs. Eli A. Helmick, Miss Helen B. Stout, Miss Anita Marie Boggs, president District of Columbia branch League of American Pen Women; Mrs. Susan Pfeiffer, State vice president of Oklahoma, League of American Pen Women; Mrs. Lillian Cole Bethel, Mrs. John Allen Dougherty and Miss Alice Douglas Goddard. The president is Mrs. Walter A. Bloedorn.

"A garden Party on the Potomac," written and arranged by Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, was given by the board of lady managers of the George Washington University Hospital at the Mayflower Hotel, February 21. The following children from the Army and Navy Society took part in the historical pageant: Ailene Appich, Mary Jane May, Helen May Bloedorn, Margaret Van Horn and Jane Davis.

The list of delegates and alternates for the annual convention of the National Society Children of the American Revolution, is as follows: Theodore Miller, Ray Clarke, delegates, and Helen May Bloedorn, William Harding Carter 2d, Benjamin Wheeler Jenkins, Wilkesbarre, Pa., alternates.

A fancy costume party is being arranged for the children at the Club of Colonial Dames this April, and Mrs John Allen Dougherty expressed her wish to send a cake to the children. The headquarters for the Army and Navy Society is in the Willard Hotel.

A luncheon was held by the Frances Scott Chapter, at the Cosmos Club, in celebration of the eleventh anniversary of the organization of the chapter.

A large birthday cake, with eleven candles, was in the center of the officers' table and was cut by the regent, Mrs. Warren E. Emley.

Mrs. Hobart, organizing secretary general of the national society, made an address.

A history of the chapter was read by Mrs. Alfred Garges.

The Columbia Chapter met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. B. Snavely, 211 Tenth street northeast. Mrs Paul Anderson, Mrs. William L. Mattocks, Miss Dora Bailey and Mrs. Grosvenor were assisting hostesses.

Reports were made by chapter officers and members of the State committees. Mrs. William H. Cole, historian, spoke on the variety of history working being done in the States, and gave a detailed report of the meeting of the State historic committee, February 16. The Columbia Chapter has joined the Wakefield Association.

Mrs. Snavely gave an account of the work being done for patriotic education and told of the questionnaires being filled out by the chapters for the State conference. Miss Ross, State chairman for conservation and thrift, gave a resume of her work for the past two years, and later in the evening conducted a program on forestry.

The death of Mrs. Charles Hyer, a past regent of the chapter, was reported. Miss Ross, chairman of the ways and means committee, announced a card party for March 22 to raise funds for the various purposes for which the chapter is pledged.

The February meeting of Livinston Manor Chapter was held at the home of Mrs. S. D. Shankland Tuesday. Mrs Malone, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Edwards and Miss Naylor assisted. The regent, Mrs. Frank S. Ray, called for reports from the various officers and committee chairmen. A letter was read from the matron of the Grace Nettleton Home in Tennessee, expressing thanks to the chapter for their contribution toward the support and education of one of the little girls in that institution. A talk was given by Mrs. William Wolf Smith on "Our Constitution."

Our Flag Chapter held its February meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the Burlington. The hostesses were Mrs. Edward Keating, Mrs. C. E. Alvord and Miss Mary Benton Wright. The regent, Mrs. Edward M. Weeks, presided.

After the opening exercises, the monthly message of the president general was read by the regent. The treasurer, Mrs. George W. Eastment, reported completion of payment on the fifth chair given by this chapter to Constitution Hall, chair number five being given in honor of Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins. Mrs. William V. Cox, of the Continental Hall committee, reported that the chapter had donated its quota of $5 for the clock in the District room in Continental Hall. The sum of $12 was given to the student loan fund by Mrs. Grattan Kerans as the proceeds of a card party given at her home.

Mrs. William Donch reported that contributions of new goods valued at $28 had been received for the chapter box for Ellis Island. The chairman of the magazine committee, Mrs. W. B. Kennedy, reported ten new subscriptions.

The following new members were elected: Mrs. James Garfield Riley, Mrs. Corbin Thompson, Mrs. C. H. Jewett and Miss M. Pearl McCall.

The first meeting of the Irvine-Welles Chapter was held at the home of Mrs. David McD. Shearer at Fort Humphrey, on Washington's birthday. The hostess entertained the members of the new chapter at luncheon. Mrs. Mary E. Woodward, of Washington, the organizing regent, presided.

A letter of greeting from Mrs. Ida Norman Schick, State regent of Virginia, was read. An account of Gen Irvine was given by Mrs. Shearer, the vice regent of the chapter. Thomas Welles, the fourth Governor of Connecticut, the other patriot for whom the chapter was named, was the subject of a paper by Mrs. Woodward.

The regent administered the oath of office to the first officers of the chapter and announced the chairman of committees. Mrs. Woodward gave an address of welcome to the members of the chapter, many of whom are Washington women.

I. C. C. EMPLOYE COMPLETES 40 YEARS OF SERVICE



Louis Johnden, Post Staff Photographer.

Forty years of service with the Interstate Commerce Commission was completed Thursday by Thomas Jackson, chief of the bureau of traffic, and his fellow employes presented him with a basket of flowers. Left to right, front row—Mr. Jackson, Harriet B. Jones and G. M. Crosland, chief of the division of tariff. Back row—F. V. Sickler, L. C. Nelson, assistant director of traffic; Assistant Director R. V. Pitt and L. C. Morris.

NEWS OF DEPARTMENTS

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TREASURY

The Undersecretary of the Treasury, Ogden L. Mills, returned Monday, having passed the week-end with relatives in Boston, Mass.

Henry Herrick Bond, Assistant Secretary, who delivered an address before the members of the Rotary Club at a luncheon of that organization held in the Statler Hotel, Boston, Mass., resumed his duties Monday.

Frank A. Birgfeld, chief clerk and first vice president of the Civitans Club of Washington, presided at a meeting of that organization at the Lafayette Hotel Tuesday afternoon, at which luncheon a large painting was presented to Charles G. Morgan, past secretary of the club, as an expression of appreciation of his service.

Rose A. Herschman, of the office of the chief clerk, entertained friends from New York over the week-end.

John A. Harrington was absent from the office several days last week on account of a death in his family.

James N. Kline was absent from his duties in the Treasury several days last week on account of sickness.

Mrs. Doris Heidenreich was tendered a party on the occasion of her birthday last Monday by her sister at their home in McLean, Va.

Frank E. Reppert was the recipient of many congratulations Thursday on the completion of 29 years' service in the Treasury Department. With the exception of 7 years in the cash room, Mr. Reppert has devoted his entire service in the Treasury in the redemption division, of which he was appointed chief several years ago.

The Ionic Club, composed of master Masons employed in the Treasury Department, entertained at a delightful smoker in the ballroom of the Washington Hotel last Monday evening. E. C. Hooper, president; J. L. Bateman, secretary, and about 100 members attended.

H. F. Meister, who was confined to his home for five weeks on account of serious illness, resumed his duties in the building Thursday morning.

H. Allen, who had been employed for several years on the guard force of the Treasury, resigned his position, effective February 24.

E. F. Smith, of the Treasury guard, was transferred Thursday morning to the Liberty Loan Building.

E. A. Sutton, who had been employed for several years on the guard force of the Treasury, has resigned.

Capt. Benni Goldblatt, who received a promotion last week, has been transferred to the office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

H. O. Bingman, guard, formerly on duty at the Liberty Loan Building, has been transferred to the main Treasury Building.

TRADE COMMISSION

M. Markham Flannery, chief of the trade practice conference division of the Federal Trade Commission, who passed several days in New York on Government business, returned to Washington the first of the week.

George A. Ward, of the chief examiner's division, returned to the city Tuesday haying passed several weeks on an extended field assignment in the interest of the commission.

Mrs. Edna B. Vincel, of the personnel office, was absent from her duties several days last week on account of sickness.

Dr. George P. Watkins, chief statistician in the economic division, who passed several days in Philadelphia, Pa., on Government business, resumed his duties in Washington the first of the week.

Donald B. Gatling, secretary to Commissioner McCulloch, has been assigned to duties in the branch office of the Federal Trade Commission in Chicago.

Earl S. Haines, of the economic division, resumed his duties Monday morning, having been confined to his home for several weeks on account of sickness.

Ruth R. Ray, of the personnel section, who was confined to her home for four weeks on account of sickness, resumed her duties with the Federal Trade Commission Monday morning.

Ruth Ray, of the personnel section, has been transferred to a stenographic position and assigned to duties in the stenographic division of the commission.

James A. Horton, of the legal investigating division of the Federal Trade Commission, left the city Thursday afternoon for Philadelphia, where he will pass several days in the interest of the commission.

Garland L. Kendrick, of the legal investigating division of the Federal Trade Commission, has been transferred to the New York branch office of the commission.

George F. Soter, of the legal investigating division of the Federal Trade Commission, left the first of the week for New Orleans, Birmingham and Atlanta, where he will be engaged for several weeks in completing an investigation in the interest of the commission.

Mrs. Margaret R. Wilson, of the legal investigating division, returned to the city the first of the week from a short field assignment in the Middle West.

Walter Meleen, of the legal investigating division, was confined to his home several days last week on account of sickness.

STATE

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg were among the guests of honor at a dinner given Tuesday evening by the Ambassador of Spain and Senora de Padilla, who entertained a company of sixteen.

The Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr will entertain a number of guests at dinner at their home next Wednesday.

The Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Robert E. Olds will entertain at dinner at their residence on Thursday evening, March 15.

ENGRAVING BUREAU

Administrative Offices.

Charles R. Klose, of the purchasing division, has been confined to his home for several days on account of sickness.

Sympathy of the offices is extended to Miss Melanie M. Graumann, of the accounting division, whose father died last week.

Watchman Jeremiah Callahan is confined to his home on account of illness.

Mrs. Rose B. Graham, of the guide force, is absent on account of illness and is confined to her home in Vienna, Va.

Engineering and Machine Division.

Edward J. Leahy, who has been confined to the hospital for several weeks, has been removed to his home and is convalescing.

Sympathy of the engineer and machine division is extended to Harry E. Wells, who was absent several days last week on account of the death of his father.

Andrew L. Day received the sympathy of his many friends because of the loss of his wife, who died last week after a long illness.

Lafayette R. West has been taking two weeks' annual leave which he spent at his home in Virginia.

Clarence P. Brower was called home one day last week because of the death of his sister.

William H. Bradley was absent last Wednesday to attend the funeral of his great-grandmother.

Eppa Jackson is back after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Harry K. Ellerbrook, who has been detailed to the storeroom for several weeks' returned to the engineering and machine division last Thursday.

Plate Printing Division.

Mrs. Ruby S. Burton has returned from a trip to Philadelphia, Pa., where she spent Washington's birthday with her sister.

James M. McMahon has been confined to his home for several days on account of sickness.

Miss Cornelia Wilson has been granted leave of absence until March 10, on account of the condition of her health. She is staying at her brother's home in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Eva Doucet has been unable to work for several days on account of sickness.

Mrs. Myrtle V. Butler has been transferred from printer's assistant to tissue separator, in the examination division, on account of the condition of her health.

Surface Printing Division.

Mrs. Ella Dowling has been under the doctor's care during the past two weeks.

George P. Jackson, foreman of the binding section, who has been absent on account of illness since the middle of January, is reported improving.

Examining Division.

Lafayette West is taking two weeks' leave, which he is spending at his home in Virginia.

Miss Mary Miller, who has been confined to her home with a severe cold during the past two weeks, is able to resume her duties.

Sympathy of the division is extended to Daniel Reardon, whose father died last week.

Miss Annie Beckmann is spending a week's leave at home.

William Harris is convalescing from an attack of tonsilitis and is expected to resume his duties next week.

George Lester was the recipient of two pounds of choice leaf tobacco from friends in Virginia on his birthday.

Miss Emma Dulin entertained several tables of bridge one evening last week. Among the guests were Miss Grace Rose Mrs. Dora Perkins, Miss Helen McNally, Miss Nannie Small, Miss Margaret F. Holmes, Miss Eleanor Scott, Miss Edith Smith and Miss Kitty Kiewitt.

The division extends its sympathy to the families of Mrs. Mary E. Day and Miss Tamson Jacobs, whose deaths occurred on the 26 and 24th of February, respectively.

Postage Stamp Division.

Philip Cleveland, of the book section, is taking a week's leave while moving into his new home.

Miss Helen Walling has returned after passing a week's vacation in New York City.

Mrs. Etta Johns is enjoying a week's visit with her mother, who arrived last Thursday evening from Rock Hall, Md.

Miss Lula Coggins is still absent under the doctor's care.

Numbering Division.

Miss Helen Taylor has returned after three months' absence on account of a broken ankle.

Miss Clara Gross is taking a week's leave which she is passing at home.

Mrs. Mary Rabbitt returned last week after several months' absence because of illness.

Miss Jessie Williamson is enjoying a week's rest at home.

Miss Mary King, who has been absent during the past month on account of the condition of her health, is able to resume her duties.

Miss Lottie Luckett was out on leave during the past week.

Miss Edith Cantor, who was recently operated on at Garfield Hospital for acute appendicitis, is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Miss Florence Brew has been on a week's leave of absence.

Peter Matson has been confined to his home for several days on account of sickness.

Ada H. Breen and Annie E. Kelley have returned from the Office of the Comptroller, where they have been loaned for several days.

John Campbell returned last week after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Havener is taking a week's leave, which she is spending at home.

Mrs. Ella M. French, of the Wetting Division, tendered her resignation on account of ill health.

SHIPPING BOARD

F. G. Frieser, director of traffic; J. E. Andrews, assistant director, and J. G. Tompkins, manager, European and Mediterranean trades division, attended the annual meeting and banquet of the New York Traffic Club held in the Hotel Commodore, February 21.

Col. J. R. McAndrews, manager, terminals, and real estate division, is confined in the Walter Reed Hospital on account of illness.

R. H. Overstreet, manager, stevedoring and terminals division, left this week for Mobile and Pensacola in connection with labor and stevedoring matters.

T. S. Lowry, assistant manager of the Detroit office, spent several days in Washington the past week.

VETERANS' BUREAU

In the presence of a number of officials, chiefs of divisions and the employes of the director's office, Gen. Frank T. Hines, Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, was presented with a basket of flowers Friday afternoon on the occasion of the fifth anniversary as director of the Veterans' Bureau.

Mary Shea, of the transportation and subsistence subdivision, left the city the first of the week for her home in Kane, Pa., where she was summoned on account of the illness of her father.

Pearl Ficlss, of Covington, Va., has been assigned to the transportation and subsistence subdivision as a stenographer, where she will assume the duties of Mirian Pearson, who has been transferred to another division of the Veterans' Bureau.

Elizabeth Faison Peirce, of the chief clerk's division, has been transferred to the Federal Trade Commission, where she has been assigned to duties with the administration division.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Surgeon H. McG. Robertson left the city the first of the week for Thiells, N. Y., where he will make an investigation of mental hygiene being conducted by the Public Health Service.

Eugenia M. Whalen, of the division of industrial hygiene and sanitation, was the recipient of many congratulations Friday on the occasion of her birthday.

Surgeon J. W. Scheroschewsky, who passed several days in Washington, where he conducted conferences with public health officials, left the city Friday afternoon for New York, where he will attend the meetings of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, which will convene in that city the first of the week.

Assistant Surgeon General W. F. Draper has been appointed to represent the Public Health Service in the capacity of a delegate to the seventy-ninth annual session of the American Medical Association, which will be held in Minneapolis, Minn., next June.

Assistant Surgeon General Thomas Farran left the city the first of the week for Philadelphia, Pa.

Assistant Surgeon Albert E. Russell returned to the city the first of the week from Wyco, W. Va., where he completed an investigation in connection with the dust study being conducted at that place of the office of industrial hygiene and sanitation.

Associate Sanitary Engineer Leonard Greenburg, of New Haven, Conn., passed several days in Washington last week, where he made an investigation in connection with ventilation studies being conducted by the office of industrial hygiene and sanitation.

Surgeon C. H. Waring left the city the first of the week for Thiells, N. Y., where he is making a study in connection with field investigations of mental hygiene being conducted by the Public Health Service at that place.

2,000 MORE MARINES PLANNED IN NAVY BILL

Increase Already Authorized, but Appropriation Has Got to Be Made.

18,000 ARE NOW ABROAD

Steps have been initiated in Congress to increase the strength of the Marine Corps by some 2,000 additional enlisted men. This will not require special legislative authority, but only appropriations to care for that additional number, since existing law authorizes a total enlisted strength of 27,400 men, which has not been approached in recent years, owing to lack of money for that number.

The actual enlisted strength of the corps at present is 18,000 men, of whom 9,000 are on duty in Nicaragua, China, and other foreign stations, 2,000 at sea, 1,000 in aviation, 1,000 in recruit training, and 1,000 on the sick list and in other groups, leaving only 4,000 for all purposes in the United States, including duty at depots, navy yards, recruiting service, and training of troops.

Members of the House and Senate appropriations committees, who have the matter of increase in charge, and who have been in consultation with officials of the Marine Corps, entertain no doubt that the increase is absolutely necessary, especially in view of the demand for marines in Nicaragua, Haiti, China, and other places.

Neither is there much doubt that the House will agree to this provision, which will be included in the naval appropriation bill to be reported to the House from the naval committee about March 15. There may be some opposition in the Senate, however, where certain members are disposed to make all possible partisan issue out of occupation by marines of foreign territory.

Egyptian Embalming Acid Used in Films

Kingsport, Tenn., March 3 (A.P.).—Pyroligneous acid, the mysterious fluid with which the ancient Egyptians mummified their dead, serves quite a different purpose in this twentieth century.

The Tennessee Eastman Corporation, a subsidiary of the Eastman Kodak Co., makes tons of the acid daily out of waste wood and uses certain of the derivatives in the manufacture of film.

The fluid was efficacious as a preservative chiefly because of two ingredients, wood alcohol and creosote oils. It was produced by the old Egyptians in somewhat the same way as it is produced here—by heating wood to a high temperature in an inclosed chamber and condensing the vapors.

Higher Air Studied With Biggest Balloon

Friedrichshafen, Germany, March 3 (A.P.).—A series of investigation flights are being conducted by the Zeppelin Construction Co. with the largest balloon ever built, to study atmospheric currents in higher altitudes and their effects on the human system and on motors.

The huge balloon has a gas capacity of 353,000 cubic feet and a diameter of 85 feet. The gondola accommodates four passengers and carries a small motor to test the working of motors in a rarefied atmosphere.

The balloon has been named after Bartsch von Siegfeld, the pioneer of scientific aeronautics, who was killed in 1902 while making a landing in Holland.

Photographs Used For County Records

Detroit, March 3 (A.P.).—Photographs have taken the place of written records in the office of the Wayne County register of deeds.

As a consequence, Otto Stoll, register, is director of a photographic establishment which turns out in excess of 1,000 prints a day and in two years has produced 514,445 pictures.

The system of preserving public records is flawlessly accurate and saves much time and money, Stoll says.

Deer Sticks to Men Who Cured Its Hurts

Birchwood, Wis., March 3 (A.P.).—Like the fabled lion that befriended a mouse for extracting a thorn from its paw, a deer has become a fixture at the Birchwood lumber camps of the Algoma Panel Co.

The deer, a buck 3½ years old, was found wounded by lumberjacks. After several weeks of care the animal regained its health and thereafter refused to leave the woodsmen who had befriended it.

Often the buck enters the bunkhouse when the men are present and more often uses the floor of the blacksmith shop on which to rest.

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Underweight in Young a Bad Sign; Should Be Combated by Fatty Foods

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By DR. DANIEL R. HODGDON, Formerly president of Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Chicago, director Industrial Educational Bureau, president of College of Technology and director School of Technology, Newark; lecturer, Newark Institute of Arts and Sciences, and member of the faculty of New York University and New Jersey State Normal School.



DR. DANIEL R. HODGDON.

Underweight is a malady which may be due to a variety of causes. In general, one who is underweight before the age of 25 may be considered as showing unfavorable symptoms. It is the underweight individuals who have the least tendency to resist pneumonia and other diseases of early life.

When one has passed 30 underweight is not considered so unfortunate, unless there is an extreme condition of underweight. If one is considerably underweight before the age of 25 one should consult a reliable physician, who may find some chronic condition which causes the unfavorable results.

Underweight is sometimes associated with tendencies to frequent colds. It makes little difference whether one is under 30 or over 30 if there is a general condition of underweight and associated with frequent colds, there is usually a general anemic or malnutritious condition. This may be improved by the proper type of diet.

Fatty foods are, of course, to be used by those who are underweight. Butter of the best quality and of the purest grade should be used. Butter is one of the best fats because it has little tendency to disturb the digestion. Olive oil likewise is a very useful and nutritious fattening food for underweights. One should, however, buy a well-known brand of the best quality, one that is known to be a pure, clean, wholesome olive oil.

Another fattening food, and one which always has a tendency to produce fats quickly, is sugar. This, however, should be eaten only with care, since the teeth may be injured by too large a consumption of this concentrated food.

One of the best precautions to follow after eating sugar or sweet articles of diet is to eat fruit. Fruit tends to prevent the decay of the teeth by removing certain material in which dental carriers may work. In fact, it is always a good policy to finish every meal with some sort of fruit, since fruit will prevent any injury to the teeth from carbohydrate food.

One frequently gets the idea that potatoes are fattening foods. This is more or less an erroneous idea, because the potato is not especially fattening unless it is eaten with butter or cream, or both.

Malted milk used with milk is a very useful article of diet for producing fat. The product digests quite readily. There are a great many brands of malted milk on the market. It is well to choose one that is known to be of the highest quality and well made.

Bread and cereals with cream should be eaten every day, since these foods are fattening. If one is suffering from an anemic condition and is very much underweight it is usually a good plan to use the yolk of eggs. A splendid method is to beat up the juice of one lemon with several egg yolks and add a sufficient amount of milk sugar to make the combination desirable and tasty. The egg yolks will furnish the patient with needed fat and iron, vitamins and other elements of food value.

All anemic individuals should eat plenty of green leafy vegetables, drink plenty of milk of the best quality and eat fruits from which they may obtain vitamins and minerals.

It is essential that every underweight should have plenty of rest each day. Too frequently thin, anemic people are far too active and for that reason use up a great deal of energy which should be used in building up the human system.

When one is of the proper weight one feels better, has more energy, a better digestion and looks life in the face with a real purpose. Many underweights are frequently people who have soured on life. A starved system has its reaction upon the general nervous structure of an individual, and naturally reacts upon the disposition.

Unless there is some very chronic condition, underweight people will usually find that a change in the diet which is made up of foods for producing fat will increase their efficiency in life and their happiness.

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TESTED RECIPES

BREADED PORK CHOPS.

6 pork chops cut thick; 1½ teaspoons salt; ¼ teaspoon pepper; 1 egg well beaten; 6 tablespoons fat; cracker or fine bread crumbs.

Add salt and pepper to beaten egg; dip each chop into egg mixture, then into crumbs; brown in hot fat on open burner, browning both sides. Pour off half of fat, add 1 cup boiling water, place cover on utensil and put in oven in which gas has been burning 15 minutes. In 2 or 3 minutes turn off gas. Cook 45 minutes or as much longer as desired. Remove to hot platter and garnish with fried apple rings and parsley.

ESCALLOPED HAM.

This recipe serves six.

1½-pound slice of cured ham; 2 carrots, diced; 6 potatoes (sliced thin); 2 tablespoons chopped parsley; 2 cups sweet milk; 1 teaspoon grated onion.

Soak ham in cold water for 1 hour or parboil 20 minutes. In a well-greased casserole or baking pan place a layer of sliced potatoes and cover with ½ the other vegetables mixed; on this place the slice of ham; repeat layer of chopped vegetables, placing a layer of sliced potatoes on top; cover with hot milk.

SPANISH STEAK.

2 pounds thick round steak, 1½ teaspoons salt, 2 onions, 2 tablespoons drippings, ½ cup tomato puree, ¾ cup flour, ¼ teaspoon pepper, a few grains red pepper.

Pound flour into steak; sear well in drippings in hot skillet; add seasonings and vegetables; add enough boiling water to cover; place tightly-fitting lid on skillet; turn gas on full for 15 or 20 minutes before putting steak in oven. Serve with tomato sauce.

VEAL BIRDS.

2 pounds veal steak, 1 egg, 4 tablespoons butter, 2 cups boiling water, ⅛ teaspoon ground cloves, 1½ teaspoons salt, ⅛ teaspoon ground allspice, 6 tablespoons fat, 1 quart bread crumbs, 1 teaspoon grated onion, ⅛ teaspoon pepper.

Cut steak in pieces 4 inches by 2 inches; pound out until thin; season with salt, pepper and spices; spread with dressing made of bread crumbs, onion, butter, salt, pepper, egg and boiling water; roll up like jelly roll, fasten each with two toothpicks, and dredge with flour; brown in hot fat, then add two cups boiling water; cover lightly, set in oven.

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Girls' Friendly

The second of the diocesan Lenten services of the socity will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock in Epiphany Church. Dr. Z. B. Phillips will be the speaker. Dr. Phillips will speak on some portion of the fifty-first Psalm at these services each Monday afternoon during Lent.

At 6 o'clock a 25-cent cafeteria supper will be served in the parish hall before the associates' training class to be held by Mrs. H. C. Bolton at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Bolton will speak on "Promise and Fulfillment." Miss Elizabeth Keyser will lead a discussion on "Preparation and Admission of Members in the Society." There will be a dramatic sketch presented by the branch at St. James' Chapel, Bowie, Md., under the direction of Mrs. Marjorie Zug.

At 8:15 o'clock Mrs. E. B. Meigs, diocesan president of the society, will speak on "The Relation of the Branch to the Diocesan Organization of the Girls' Friendly Society."

The branch at St. David's Chapel had a social on February 21. As it was the day before George Washington's birthday, the decorations were red, white and blue, and dinners were served and guessing games played. Later there was dancing.

The branch at Trinity Church recently met at the home of Miss Ruth Harvey, 446 Twelfth street, and planned the decorations for the parish dinner given on February 15 by the parish guild. On Thursday the branch played basketball and sewed on a layette as part of its Lenten work. Mrs. Mae Magee is president of the branch.

In the evening of Ash Wednesday the branch at St. James' Chapel, Bowie, Md., conducted the service for the parish, as it is without a rector. The service was that suggested by Miss Florence Newbold in the January number of the G. F. S. Record. The branch sent a Christmas box to a mission in Yancey, Va., and is preparing a play to be given after Easter.

Miss Esther Fifield, field secretary of the Province of Washington, and Mrs. Alexander S. Steuart, diocesan head of the membership and candidates' departments, visited the branch at St. Mary's Chapel on Friday evening, each of them speaking to the girls. Two interesting papers were read by members of the branch, whose president is Mrs. Rivero. The girls sewed and made paper flowers.

The branch at St. Paul's Church, Rock Creek Parish, held a rehearsal of "Love Pirates of Hawaii" on Monday evening, which the girls will present after Easter. Miss Roberta Patterson was appointed to represent the branch at the ascolates' training class each Monday evening during Lent.

Miss Esther Fifield and Miss Sadie Carlisle visited the candidates' class on Friday afternoon. Miss Fifield spoke to the children and Miss Carlisle asked them questions about the society. Mrs. Hamilton's class finished several scrapbooks, which were given to Miss Carlisle for the Children's Hospital.

Dr. George Dudley conducted the service at the meeting of the branch at St. Stephen's Church on Monday evening and then addressed the girls on "Lent."

The branch at Epiphany Chapel had a short business meeting Thursday evening and then bowled. Those working with the class at night are Miss Elizabeth Keyser, Miss Ethel Grimes and Miss Ruth Harlan.

The candidates of the branch met on Monday afternoon with a full attendance. Mrs. W. C. T. Stiles has Miss Taylor Logie's class while she is recovering from an operation on her foot.

The Rev. F. Bland Tucker addressed the branch at St. John's Church, Georgetown, Tuesday evening on "Lent, Its Ideals and Ideas." Miss Mary Kurtz also spoke to the girls on a proposed memorial in the parish to one of their honorary associates who recently died.

The associates' training class held on Monday evening by Mrs. H. C. Bolton, who spoke on "Old Ideals and New Realities," was most successful, 59 people being present. The chorus class, composed of members of St. John's Church, Georgetown, sang two songs, and Miss Phyllis Ransdell sang a solo, Miss Isabelle Taylor accompanying the girls on the piano.

Miss Fifield addressed a combined meeting of the classes of the Chapels of the Nativity and Resurrection in Nativity Parish Hall, Fourteenth and A streets southeast, speaking on "Branh Programs," and also telling of the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the society in Boston, particularly describing the wonderful pageant with over 500 girls in it.

A meeting of the committee appointed in the fall to discuss a suitable play for the diocesan candidates' entertainment in May was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Elizabeth Keyser, 1753 Q street. Those present were Mrs. Alexander S. Steuart, Mrs. Theodore Gill, jr., and Miss Mary Boyden.

The candidates' class at the Church of Our Saviour, Brookland, played games and had refreshments at the regular social meeting of the month held on Friday afternoon. Those working with the children were Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Griffen and Mrs. Souder. Two weeks ago Miss Fifield visited the class and spoke to the children.

A class in sewing was organized in the candidates' group at St. Mark's Church on Monday by Mrs. Emmons, and one in embroidery by Mrs. Keough. The children are also working scrapbooks.

The branch at St. Mark's Church had a business meeting on Tuesday evening. The girls are making table covers as their Lenten work and after Easter hope to give a play.

Many extra people attended the supper held by Epiphany Church branch on Monday evening before the associated training class. The usual classes were held by the branch and later the girls attended the meeting held at 8:15, when Dr. Phillips spoke on "The Relation of the Branch to the Parish."

Woman, 101, Never 6 Miles From Home

Walton, England, March 3 (A.P.).—Mrs. Mary Ann Warner, who has just died at her Surrey home here at the age of 101, in all her long life never journeyed further than five miles from her birthplace.

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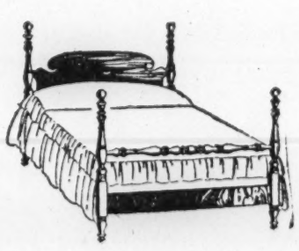
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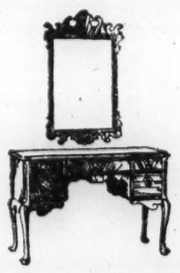
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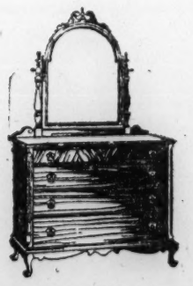


Toilet Table with graceful Cabriole legs, giving it quaint feminine charm. Hanging mirror included. 45 inches wide.

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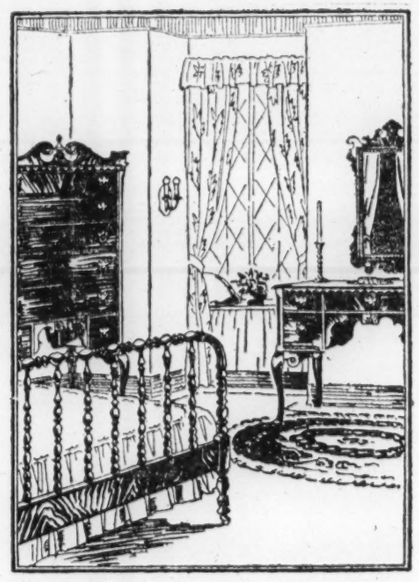
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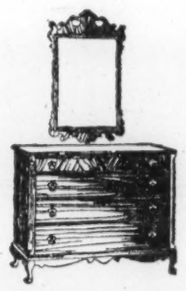
Keep in mind please that you can buy any one piece or as many pieces as you need. In the three group pictures we have suggested charming groupings—but you can make up your own suite—just the way you want it—using any of the pieces shown on this page. The prices are quite tempting.



An attractive chiffonier for a small room. Mahogany, crotch mahogany and gumwood; 46 inches high—26 inches wide.

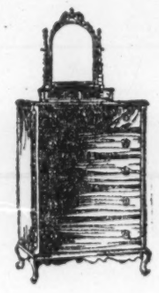
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A convenient Chest with five generously sized drawers—solid mahogany interiors—standing mirror, $29 extra.

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Charming Room Group

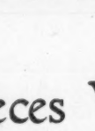
In this fine old Colonial Group is included a quaint spindle bed, a large high-boy and a vanity table with hanging mirror above. The three pieces are priced below.

Full Size Bed..... $49
High-Boy—7 drawers..... $125
Vanity With Mirror..... $87



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Quaint Colonial Group

Here is suggested a lovely group with 46-inch dresser, poster bed, chest of drawers, standing mirror, chair and bench—all by Berkey & Gay.

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Stage Presentations of Interest

Footlights and Shadows

By JOHN J. DALY

'TWAS an old farmer, giving advice to his boy about to go to the city, who warned against girls; two types, especially—blondes and brunettes. "I assure you, father," replied the son, "I shall always try to be a gentleman."

It seems now that the girls are on the trail of theater managers, writing letters particularly to Mr. Harry Rapley, owner of the National Theater. Carbon copies of these letters have found their way into this sanctum, the quasi-public repository of all grievances. They have mostly to do with the recent order put out by the management of the National Theater, an edict that prohibits sale of seats through the mails for some attractions.

As there are two sides to everything—even to the sale of theater tickets at a boxoffice—this department, in its quest for truth, called upon the theater powers to set down their side of the story. Herewith, subjoined and attached, are the affidavits; first, a compendium of most of the letters written in complaint, and, second, a reply by Mr. Stephen Cochran, versed in the ways of the theater.

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IT probably is unfair to state that most of the letters came from girls, deploring the long lines and the heavy waiting, standing first on one French-heeled shoe and then on the other. Some of their consorts wrote letters, too, and rip-snorters. The gist of them all is this:

"We, the public, can not see why you, the theater manager, should announce 'No mail reservations accepted.' We protest agains the action. Three times this season the edict has gone forth; first, for the all-star cast's performance of "The Merry Wives of Windsor;" second, for Flo Ziegfeld's production, "The Three Musketeers," and now for Lenore Ulric in "Lulu Belle."

"This," states the public, "works a hardship. It means that many hours must be lost from business; that men and women must rush down to a box office, help form a queue, as they do in London, wait hour after hour, in the sun, the wind, the rain, or what have you, and possibly get up to the window as the last seat has been sold—to the party just ahead.

"Probably the scurry and scramble for seats in this manner meets with the approval of the young and sound of limb; but what of the old-timers, the aged and the infirm? Physical exertion being difficult, they are not up to it. Also, what about the people who live in nearby Virginia and Maryland, at places like Falls Church, Hyattsville and way stations? How are they going to get into the race? Let us have the answer!"

Whereupon, Mr. Stephen Cochran, the well known impresario, mounts the rostrum, and delivers himself of this peroration:

"After 22 years of box office duty during which time I have earnestly tried in every way to please the theatergoing public of Washington and with the curses of those 'unable to purchase two in the third row on the aisle' for their favorite star or play heaped upon me, I find myself no nearer to this accomplishment than I was in the fall of 1905 when Mr. Rapley had a platform built for me that I might reach the gallery window and 'peddle' tickets for Hall Caine's 'The Prodigal Son,' which opened the legitimate season that year.

"In my time, I have assisted and had charge of the advance sales of many notable attractions, foremost of which were 'Ben-Hur,' Ethel Barrymore in 'Declasse;' David Warfield, his first time here at the Belasco in 'The Music Master' and, of more recent date, 'Trelawny of the Wells,' 'Show Boat,' 'Merry Wives of Windsor,' 'Diplomacy' and 'The Three Musketeers.'

"After trying every conceivable policy in the distribution of tickets for the 'super attractions' I am forced to fall back on an old saying, slightly changed to fit my case, to wit: 'You can please some of the theatergoers all of the time and all of the theatergoers some of the time, but you can't please all of the theatergoers all of the time.'

"To start with, I will cite the greatest evil, outside of the war tax, with which the theater is afflicted and that is the telephone order. Seventy per cent of these orders are never called for. The reservation is usually made by Mr. Jones, who expects some guests in town for dinner. After tying up good locations until 6 p. m. the day of the performance his guests do not arrive. Or if they do, they have seen the play in New York and do not care to see it again. Does Mr. Jones call the theater and cancel those seats? He does not! They stay in the reservation rack till 6 p. m., the day of the performance, and some late arrival gets two front seats while the patron who stood in line at the office a day previous probably has to be content with seats in the rear.

"Years ago, when the three legitimate theaters here were the National, Columbia and the Belasco, by mere chance we discovered one evening that a certain prominent citizen had seats reserved at each house for the same night, picking up the ones for the play his guests desired and letting the time limit, which in this case was 8 p. m., cancel the ones at the other two playhouses. To him it did not matter whether the theater lost the sale or his neighbor was deprived of the seats he had not taken. Mrs. Smith phones for two seats, later calling at the box office and, without mentioning her reservation, asks for the best locations. If she fails to get better seats than the ones phoned for she will ask for the ones she had reserved; but if, by chance, she should be handed two which she thinks are better than those she reserved she will take them, say nothing and let the theater hold the bag.

"A few years ago, heeding many complaints from those who live in the suburbs and nearby towns and business men claiming they could not spare the time to wait in line, the 'mail order' system was inaugurated with the following result: It is advertised we'll say, a month in advance that mail orders will be received for some reigning success. Thereupon Mr. and Mrs. Public immediately take pen in hand and all request the fifth or sixth row on the aisle or directly in the center. On the first mail the postman delivers about a thousand letters to the box office. The writers of the first letters opened are given just what they want. As Moran and Mack would say, 'You hear no more about it.' But when you come to letter No. 998 that gentleman or lady can not understand why, when he or she sent an order in the minute the play was announced, they do not get the seats requested. No matter to what length you go in your explanation you can not convince them that the treasurer is not holding all the best seats for his friends or has purposely discriminated against him or her in the allotment of seats. Forthwith you not only make an enemy for the theater of Mr. or Mrs. 998 but of everyone who isn't assigned exactly the seats they ask for. Those disappointed under the mail order system will not as a rule return the tickets to the box office and receive a refund. They want to see the play and they keep the tickets, but forever after they are convinced that they were 'not done right by.' During the recent engagement of 'Diplomacy,' for which mail orders were accepted, I was besieged at the Wednesday matinee by an army of irate ladies, all saying at once that theirs was the first order mailed in and they had received the worst seats in the theater. Only by the presence of two of Maj. Hesse's 'finest' was I able to escape to the cellar under the lobby, where I remained until the performance was well under way, then, with the aid of burnt cork and the porter's uniform as a disguise, I made my way to my office.

"No matter what procedure is followed for a sale the management lays itself open to the public's wrath, but to my mind the fairest way to every one is to advertise a day and hour for it to open and 'first come first serve.' Under this arrangement I find the least complaints. When a patron who is No. 500 in the line reaches the window he realizes that there have been 499 ahead of him. He has had the privilege of making his own selection and leaves the window with the satisfaction of knowing that he has obtained the best location he could and holds no ill feeling toward the theater. It is also true that this method works a hardship on the man who is unable to leave his business, the office worker that can not get away, and those that have reached the age that they are unable to stand for any length of time waiting in line. Granting all this, I still maintain that it is the fairest way to the majority of the theatergoers and one which occasions the least complaints.

"As I began, I finish: I have tried for 22 years to please the Washington public and will continue at the risk of eventually being placed in Dr. White's institution in Anacostia, to do so, so help me Jehosaphat!"

LULU BELLE ON BOARDS THIS WEEK

Probably no booking of the season at the National Theater will arouse more interest on the part of local theatergoers than David Belasco's presentation of Lenore Ulric as "Lulu Belle," by Edward Sheldon and Charles MacArthur, one week, opening tomorrow evening.

Miss Ulric's record-breaking engagement as "Lulu Belle" in the Belasco Theater, New York, was one of the outstanding sensations of recent years. For 466 performances she crowded the playhouse to capacity and now she is to be seen here for the first time since the close of her metropolitan run, on a tour that will take her to the principal cities of the country.

"Lulu Belle," which was especially written for Miss Ulric, is radically different from any play in which she has previously appeared under Mr. Belasco's direction. As the Harlem cabaret performer she has even surpassed her great successes in "Tiger Rose," "The Son-Daughter," "Kiki" and "The Harem" and achieved a triumph that has been little short of sensational.

The title role permits Miss Ulric's artistry to have full sway and reveal another side of her remarkable versatility. It is a part rich in possibilities, of which she takes full advantage.

In Miss Ulric's support here will appear the most extraordinary cast ever assembled, including Frank Thomas, Jack Hartley, Lawrence Eddinger, William St. James, Jean Del Val, William Boag, Jane Ferrel, Joseph Allenton and many others of equal prominence.

This engagement will mark Miss Ulric's only Washington appearance in this famous role, the vividness and glamour and sheer fascination with which Miss Ulric endows the part kept the Belasco Theater filled to capacity for 466 consecutive performances.

Miss Ulric will give the customary Wednesday and Saturday matinees during the engagement. Mail orders are now being received at the box office.

Speaks Prologue For Goldsmith Play

Pauline Lord will speak David Garrick's prologue to "She Stoops to Conquer," the Oliver Goldsmith comedy for which George C. Tyler has assembled his second all-star company this spring. Fay Bainter, Glenn Hunter, Mrs. Leslie Carter, Lyn Harding, O. P. Heggie, Patricia Collinge, Lawrance D'Orsay, Wilfrid Seagram, Marie Carroll and Horace Braham will appear when the revival begins its engagement at the National Theater, Washington, on Monday March 19.

The prologue, to be spoken by Miss Lord, was written by Mr. Garrick for the original performance in 1773. It has been used in most of the important revivals of the play during the last 150 years. Miss Lord will wear the traditional costume for the part—black silk knee breeches and jacket trimmed with lace and a silver-white wig.

NEW YORK ORCHESTRA THIS WEEK

The last concert, and by far the most important of the local Philharmonic season, will be heard at the National Theater on Tuesday afternoon, when the celebrated New York organization returns for the season's finale with Arturo Toscanini, foremost living orchestra director, as guest conductor for the occasion.

At the concert of January 31, Washington music enthusiasts were given the opportunity of hearing the orchestra under Toscanini, which date marked the return to Washington of the famous Italian conductor after an absence of some four seasons. This appearance was hailed as a distinct artistic and personal achievement. His forthcoming appearance is being keenly anticipated.

T. Arthur Smith, under whose management the Philharmonic Orchestra makes its seasonal appearance in Washington, announces that the program surrounding this final concert of the series, is one of unusual beauty—and complimentary to the art of Toscanini.

The program will have for its opening note the overture to Rossini's well-known opera, "The Barber of Seville," which will be followed by a more serious composition—a Beethoven symphony which is catalogued as "Pastoral" Symphony No. 6. After the intermission the orchestra will be heard in a delicate tone-painting of the French genius—Debussy. This poem, declared to be the most lovely of Debussy's creations, is "La Mer." And for the finale the orchestra will be heard in the compelling Prelude and Love-Death from Wagner's dramatic "Tristran und Isolde."

IMPROMPTU SONGFEST

A regular midnight cabaret featuring New York entertainers and special surprise amusement features combine to make Swanee evenings eventful and joyful.

Swanee revues have proven to be one of the most successful innovations ever introduced at the big Meyer Davis dance resort. The high caliber of the performers presented made an immediate impression on Swanee patrons who have appreciated fully the opportunity of topping off an evening of dancing with a tabloid musical entertainment of the finest type.

Impromptu entertainment is also playing a popular part in Swanee evenings. One of the biggest of recent hits was registered by Frankie Seccero, a clever Washington boy, who stepped out from the dance floor and put over a series of Cliff Edwards impressions in great shape.

The notable Swanee Syncopators continue to present their very own sizzling brand of jazz under the direction of Al Kamons, the syncopating violinist. Just now the Swanee dance music is being given an extra touch of speed by the banjo acrobatics of Al Norton, who plays his banjo in all possible positions but the usual one.



Lily Morris.—Keith's.



Lenore Ulric in "Lulu Belle."—National.

Dolly Barrenger—Gayety.

SUGGESTS EARLY RUN FOR SEATS

Because of the almost unprecedented interest Washington is showing in the visit of the Metropolitan Opera Company to this city in April, for its second successive season after an absence of eighteen years, Mrs. Wilson-Greene, under whose local management the performances of this great organization will be given, suggests that reservations for the season and for single performances be made as early as possible.

Mrs. Wilson-Greene points out that for several weeks the hope was entertained that the new Fox Theater, with its large seating capacity, might be made available for the Metropolitan's visit this spring. Unfortunately, the dates of the operas, which were dependent in part upon the dates selected for the company's appearance in Baltimore were arranged in such a way that the schedule at the Fox would have been disarranged for two weeks, because the new shows there begin on Saturday. For that reason, and because the Fox Theater's contracts, covering the dates on which the Metropolitan is to come could be altered only with considerable difficulty, it was not possible to obtain the house at this time.

The company will be able to utilize its full resources at Poli's, however where the presentations of the operas will be made. The stage at Poli's is ample for offering any opera the company is able to take on tour, and the only disadvantage in using Poli's lies in the fact that the auditorium will not accommodate so many patrons as the Fox.

Because of the relatively small auditorium at Poli's, Mrs. Wilson-Greene feels that local music lovers will best serve their own interests by making reservations as soon as possible. A great many seats have already been sold, the principal demand having been shown for boxes, the best seats in the orchestra and the lowest-priced seats. The seats intermediately priced offer at present the widest range for choice.

The operas to be given here during the series are "Norma," the outstanding hit of the season in New York, with Rosa Ponselle in the title role, which will open the season on the evening of Wednesday, April 18; "Boris Godunoff," starring the great Russian basso, Feodor Challapin, in his greatest role, on the afternoon of Thursday, April 19; "Romeo and Juliet," with Lucrezia Bori and Beniamino Gigli co-starred in the title roles, on Saturday afternoon, April 21, and "Tannhauser," with Florence Easton and an all-star cast, on the evening of Saturday, April 21.

Mrs. Wilson-Greene believes that the music lovers of this city are deeply appreciative of the efforts of Representative Sol Bloom, of New York, to make the Metropolitan's season available to a larger circle of Washingtonians, and equally appreciative of the cooperation of the local press, which was most sympathetic toward the effort to obtain the Fox Theater for the opera.

Sylvia Lent Possesses Rare Old Montagnana

Sylvia Lent, the well known violinist, is the happy owner of one of the few Montagnana violins now in existence. It was a gift to the young artist, and her ownership came about in this fashion:

When she was on her Western trip, on which occasion she appeared as guest artist with the Minneapolis Symphony in Minneapolis and St. Paul, a Mr. Stirn, noted violin collector, allowed her to try all the instruments in his valuable collection, and permitted her to select a very wonderful Montagnana violin (1735), which he gave her for use at all her concerts. She will play this violin for the first time at her concert at the National Theater on Friday afternoon.

In keeping with the fashion set by Mr. Stirn, Miss Lent has recently added another treasure to her storehouse of mementos—an autographed photograph of the distinguished Italian composer, Castelnuovo-Tadesco, whose Concerto Italiano she first introduced to American audiences. This concerto will be a feature of her forthcoming recital.

Current History, Friday.

Miss Clare W. McQuown, at her weekly talk on current history, will review briefly matters of the moment in home affairs, but will pay especial attention to the coming elections in Europe and to the questions before the March meeting of the council of the League of Nations.

These talks are given every Friday morning at 11 o'clock in the ballroom of the Washington Club, 1010 Seventeenth street.

M. JERITZA GIVES OUT HER SECRET

Self-control, according to Maria Jeritza, Metropolitan Opera diva, who will sing in recital at Poli's Theater on Wednesday, at 4:30 p. m., at the fifth and final attraction of Mrs. Wilson-Greene's philharmonic course of concerts, is the alpha and omega of life, health and power. Holding oneself in check saves the nerves from undue wear and tear. When you permit things to disturb your composure the attitude of perfect peace departs. The Jeritza nervous system is in A-1 condition and there is a reason. Since childhood, the famous soprano of two continents has been in the habit of indulging in activities of various sorts. Riding, swimming, fencing, tennis, driving a car, guiding a motor boat and climbing mountains during the summer vacation permits her to perform certain acrobatic feats on the stage that have been the wonderment of all. When she rolls down the steps in Cavalleria, or jumps from the parapet in Tosca, or falls from the dais in Thais, she is neither padded nor petrified. There is no fear or nervousness. Why? Because she has perfected self-control.

Now this self-control includes more than mere exercise—it invades and permeates every phase of living. Jeritza has no acquaintance with illness. She has not missed a performance since coming to America. Nothing affects her, not even the North American climate. She adheres rigidly to fresh air, night and day. She takes plenty of rest. She sleeps like a log, and confesses that not even a cannon salute would waken her. Her heart is in the right place and in the right state. Altitude does not affect it. She takes two baths a day and never has a headache. Her fondness for muscular agility makes it imperative that she keep her form lithe and ward off any encroachment of embonpoint. The secret of grace and agility is summed up in two words—relaxation and elasticity—and it is the perfect coordination of these that makes Jeritza a diva extraordinary and a woman superior.

She will be assisted in her concert here by John Corigliano, violinist, and Emil Polak, pianist. Her program will include: Aria: "Pleurez mes yeux" from Le Cid (Massenet); Widmung (Schumann); Song of the Lute (from the opera, "Die tote Stadt") (Korngold); Cacilie (R. Strauss); Le Manoir de Rosemonde (Henri Duparc); Beau Soir (Debussy); Ah, Love, But A Day (Beach); The Answer (Terry); Aria: "Suicidio" from La Giaconda (Ponchielli).

TOM CIRCLE KEEPS LENT

The beginning of Lent, paradoxically enough, sees more gatherings of the younger element of society in Le Paradis and the Club Chantecler than ever before. This means, of course, that with the cessation of private social events the debutantes are turning to more "little parties" at their favorite Thomas Circle resorts.

To meet this stimulated influx of society patronage the Le Paradis management is stressing the brighter and more frothy types of amusement events. Also Le Paradis is now remaining open until 2 o'clock every night for dancing.

Dietrich and Hunt, singing and dancing duo from Broadway vaudeville and night clubs, registered a tremendous hit at Le Paradis last week. An equally attractive entertainment feature is promised for next week.

Nathan Brusiloff, director of the Le Paradis Band, and Paul Fidelman, leader of the Club Chantecler Orchestra, present an interesting contrast in types of dance-music direction. Both are star Meyer Davis leaders, but Brusiloff specializes in the highly tempoed, intensive type of syncopation that spells Broadway, while Director Fidelman goes in for continental effects.

OLIVER GOLDSMITH MADE A VERY GRAVE MISTAKE

THE eighteenth century wiseacres who scoffed at the plot of "She Stoops to Conquer," the comedy classic by Oliver Goldsmith, which will appear at the National Theater on Monday, March 19, in an all-star revival of the first George C. Tyler order, were particularly scornful about how two young gentlemen could possibly mistake a private house for an inn, the complication about which the whole plot centers. But when Fay Bainter, Mrs. Leslie Carter, Glenn Hunter, Patricia Collinge, O. P. Heggie, Lyn Harding and the other theatrical notables whom the Tyler forces have assembled for the occasion present the famous old farce they will merely be going through the motions of what actually happened to the heedless young author when he was a young man in Ireland.

Goldsmith was returning to his home in the country from his studies at Dublin University with a good horse under him and a whole guinea in his pocket, borrowed for the occasion. He was not accustomed to having so much money—all of five dollars—and he decided that he would have to treat himself to an unusual luxury. He asked a laborer whom he met on the road what was the best inn in the neighborhood, and had pointed out to him a very respectable looking house in the little village of Ardagh. Goldsmith, playing the fine gentleman, rode into the yard with a flourish, gave his horse to a stable boy and walked boldly in, demanding the best bed and the best supper the house afforded.

Everything was forthcoming. Goldsmith patronized the landlord and landlady in fine fashion, flirted with the girl he took to be the barmaid, ordered the landlord's son around, and generally got everything that was coming to him out of the supposed inn. The next morning, when he started to pay his bill, the landlord let him in on the fact that he had broken into a private house, that the barmaid was his own daughter, and that, in short, Goldsmith had been allowed to make a monkey of himself all over the place because it seemed too bad to spoil his evening. Goldsmith's apologies were abrupt and his departure hasty.

LULU BELLE'S POWER TO HURT MEN LOVED

LENORE ULRIC won't say she will. She won't say she won't. She won't even say "maybe." In fact, it's just nobody's business and she won't even talk about it.

It is the recent rumor that has been floating about that she is contemplating matrimony with her leading man, Sidney Blackmer.

Of course, Lenore, famed daughter of the stage, who is playing the vivid, colorful "Lulu Belle," at the National Theater this week, doesn't say it in just those words—"It's nobody's business"—but she makes her meaning plain.

Lenore sat in her dressing room last night, talking to a reporter. And as she sat there, wearing a gorgeous red velvet negligee which she had slipped over her gown because of the backstage drafts, she resembled nothing so much as a flaming poppy.

You "feel" Lenore Ulric. Of course, there is her piquant beauty—her big brown eyes, her dark bobbed hair, her beautiful slender, rounded body—but these are negligible when you talk to her for she is brimful of personality, of fire, of poise, of controlled feeling. You just "feel" her.

"I've always felt that the personal affairs of any actor or actress just should not be made public," said Lenore, explaining her refusal to answer the questions relating to her reported matrimonial plans.

"You see, an actress builds up about her an illusion, an imaginative atmosphere through her work. Her only interest in the public should be in and about the theater. I don't like to interview any one outside of the theater—I never do. We are of the theater; we should always be connected with the theater. Anything of a personal nature detracts from that illusion we build up so painstakingly.

"If I were to be married; if I am married; if I had eight children, I should keep them all 'in the dark.' I don't want people discussing me apart from my work, the theater.

"Sara Bernhardt was like this."

SYLVIA LENT IN CONCERT

A Washington artist, Sylvia Lent, will hold an important place on this week's amusement calendar. The young violinist is scheduled for a single appearance at the National Theater on Friday afternoon, when she will be heard in a program of very unusual and modern works.

Since her recital here last season Sylvia Lent has been abroad in the land adding a wealth of glory to her already enviable reputation of "the finest musical talent of young American womanhood today." Her most recent engagement, with the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of the gifted Verbrugghen, was one of unquestioned success.

The program for this concert is one of unusual energy. For its inception the sonata in G minor, by Tartini, will be offered. The second offering will be the Mario Castelnuovo-Tedesco "Concerto," written in the modern Italian style and first presented to American audiences by Miss Lent in her recital last year. This suite is presented in three movements.

After the intermission Miss Lent will present the colorful "Poeme," by Ernest Chauson, which will be followed by five shorter numbers—"Old Bruin" (Burleigh), "Piece en forme de Habanera" (Ravel), "Sumare" (Milhaud), "Samoan Lullaby" (Boyd) and "Rondo" (Henri Vieuxtemps). Frank Bibb will be the accompanist.

This recital will be under the local management of T. Arthur Smith.

BURLESQUE AT GAYETY

"Dimpled Darlings," this week's United Burlesque attraction at the Gayety Theater, promises a real burlesque treat. George Leon is the featured comedian, and is ably assisted in the comedy work by Eddie Lorrayo, Abe Shorr and Walter Marion. The feminine part of the cast is headed by Nora Ford, attractive soubrette; which also includes Dolly Barrenger and Bebe Mason, singers and dancers whose cleverness add to the gayety of the show. Two special features of the attraction is the male quartet and the beauty chorus of twenty young girls, attractive of both face and figure. "Dimple Darlings" is brand new in every way—new musical numbers, new scenic effects new costumes and new comedy situations, and taken altogether, should please devotees of real burlesque.

Interpretive Talk.

Miss Janet Richards at her interpretive review tomorrow morning of affairs political and international for the past week will speak further of the knotty European problems which confront the quarterly meeting of the executive council of the League of Nations which opens at Geneva tomorrow; also of the revival of the "Vatican question" and the alleged solution by Premier Mussolini. A brief review thereof to be offered in the near future of "District Affairs" and congressional inactivity will also be given. The talks are held in the Masonic Temple, Thirteenth street and New York avenue at 10:45 o'clock.

SINGLE VISIT BY BOSTON ORCHESTRA

The Boston Symphony Orchestra of 110 musicians, under Serge Koussevitzky, its illustrious Russian conductor, will make a single visit to Washington this season to give a concert in Poli's Theater tomorrow afternoon, March 5, at 4:30.

A feature of the program will be Ravel's Second Suite from "Daphnis et Chloe," in the reading of which Koussevitzky has had extraordinary success this season. The program will open with the Fifth Concerto Grosso of Handel for String Orchestra and Solo String Quartet. The soloists in this number will be Richard Burgin, concert master; Julius Theodorowicz, second concert master; Jean Bedetti, cello, and Jean Lefranc, viola.

The program also will include the prelude to Wagner's "Lohengrin" and the First Symphony in C Minor of Brahms.

The "Daphnis et Chloe" suite of Ravel is accounted by some the masterpiece of the illustrious French composer, who now is visiting America for the first time. The day after Ravel's arrival in America he was the guest of honor at the New York concert, where this suite was played by the Boston Symphony Orchestra and Koussevitzky. His presence was discovered, and he was accorded an ovation by the assembled audience. The suite includes the following episodes of the ballet: "Daybreak," "Pantomime" and "General Dance."

By no other single score is Brahms so widely known and loved as by his First Symphony. When he composed it, at the age of 47, he was much influenced by the Ninth Symphony of Beethoven, which led Von Bulow to remark, "At last we have a Tenth Symphony!" The characterization has been much disputed, and with little result, for the genius of the two masters was so different. But it is certainly true that of Brahms' four symphonies his First is the most dramatic in its broader lines, the most uplifting in its surging and exultant finale, the most wondrous in the beauties of its infinite detail. The wood-wind and viola solos in the slow movement and the famous French horn solo in the last movement are among countless fine passages.

Philadelphia Orchestra.

The Philadelphia Orchestra will return to Washington for its final appearance of the season on Tuesday afternoon, March 27, when Pierre Monteaux will again be heard as guest conductor, at the Washington Auditorium.

The soloist will be Lea Luboshutz, violinist, who is making initial appearances on the concert stages of America this season.

LILY MORRIS TOPS BILL AT KEITH'S

Something different in the way of vaudeville programs will be offered at B. F. Keith's Theater this week. The bill will be topped by Lily Morris, England's foremost comedy artiste.

The big feature of the week will be vaudeville's most unique attraction, the Josephine-Joseph Big Circus Side Show. It is composed of a congress of human freaks, featuring Josephine-Joseph, the most remarkable human being who has ever lived. This person is half woman and half man, born joined together.

The Diehl Sisters and MacDonald will offer their latest act, entitled "Artistic Comedy."

Frank Farron, "Dealer in Laughs," proves his right to be called a funny fellow.

Stuart Casey and Mildred Warren, Washington favorites, will be seen this week with Fred O'Brien in a new offering which they call "A Gem Jam." It is by William K. Wells.

The show will be opened by Josephine Chappelle and Harry Carlton with their "Just a Few Things You Haven't Seen."

Other star features will be added to the bill and the entire program will be surrounded by Aesop's Fables, Topics of the Day and the Pathe News Pictorial.

MARTINELLI THE SINGER

Giovanni Martinelli, who will appear here on Friday afternoon, March 16 at Poli's Theater in the course of a limited concert tour, has piled one triumph upon the other. His successes he takes for granted. It is only the occasional, rare flaws in a performance or an unsatisfactory detail of a song which disturbs him.

Gatti-Casazza, the general manager of the Metropolitan Opera, has said that if all great vocalists were like Martinelli the work of musical impresarios would be sinecures, for this artist is in every sense a man. He requires none of the 'babying' tactics which must be used in the handling of so many stars. His temperament never degenerates into temper. He possesses a business-like regard for time and place. In short, he is consistent and dependable.

Some idea of the intensive vocal study and arduous work which have carried Martinelli into the front rank of present-day artists may be gathered from the fact that his repertoire includes more than forty operas which he can sing at a moment's notice, a larger number than most operatic stars learn in their entire careers. Yet the tenor is only forty-two years old, and from present prospects he has many years of accomplishment before him.

In spite of his vigorous daily program of music, Martinelli finds time, even during the operatic season, for vigorous out-of-door exercise. He is an inveterate tramper, a crack sharpshooter, and numbers other sports among his accomplishments. And he is never too tired to romp with his three children, or to hear their troubles, or advise them with their small problems.

Follows "Good News."

Following "Good News," Poli's Theater will offer Harry Delmar's smashing comedy-revue "Revels" for one week, beginning March 18. "Revels" will be brought here direct from its New York run with its entire New York cast of 100.

Tuneful songs, gorgeous settings, the sensational "Under the Sea" ballet and a marvelous cast are but a few of the high spots in "Revels."

Front and Back Stage News and Views

AUBURN HAIR BEAUTIFIES COMEDIENNE

Lily Morris, London's favorite red head, has returned to America for her third tour of major vaudeville and will headline at Keith's Theater this week.

Miss Morris is a truly superlative example of a species of comedienne as unmistakably British as the Prince of Wales himself. Of a school which goes in for striped stockings, loud and ludicrous costumes, roisterous, boisterous, vigorous fun, she deals in comedy about as subtle as a sock in the jaw, and just as effective. There is no resisting its sound and unpretentious appeal. It is reliable, robust, colorful funmaking done by an internationally famous expert.

Since her last American tour, which took place about a year and one half ago, Miss Morris has toured Australia, completely captivating the natives, and scored a hit at a brilliant command performance for her King and queen.

Conceding to the American custom which calls for comediennes in frocks by Patou, Jenny, Worth, Miss Morris while in the United States makes a practice of singing at least one number in smart and becoming evening attire. She discloses herself thereby to be a remarkably good looking woman, distinguished by a mass of truly beautiful auburn hair.

Having long since—or at least three years ago—been quoted upon the beauty of American women and the awe-inspiring skyline of New York, which she says still affect her the same way, Miss Morris adds that she finds the country more and more intriguing, and that if it weren't for the difficulty of securing "bubble and squeak," not to mention light wines and beer, she would seriously consider settling here for life.

Coming Attractions

"Tommy," the hilarious story of love-making in a modern American home, produced by George C Tyler, comes to the National Theater the week of March 12, direct from long successful runs in New York, Boston and Chicago, with the original cast intact, including: Regina Brown, Sidney Toler, Lloyd Neal, Maidel Turner, Alan Bunce, Ben Johnson, William Janney and Florence Walcott.

It is from the pen of Howard Lindsay and Bertrand Robinson and has been acclaimed gay and wholesome and without a dull moment by the critics of the cities where it has been seen.

"Tommy's" great success has been ascribed to its appeal and its strict integrity to clean American domestic ideals. It is one of those rare plays that revives happy memories in the hearts of all who see it. The young are interested in its story of puppy love, because it is their problem of today or tomorrow, while the old are taken back to happy memories of their youthful experiences.

The tale revolves around a pretty girl and two rivals for her hand. The girl's parents attempt to dictate a choice for their daughter, but the latter, being a very modern girl, revolts and turns to the other suitor, whereupon an uncle, who is a politician and knows something about the psychology of courting, pulls some wires and everything turns out just as it should in the end.

The sensational musical comedy success, "Good News," which has been one of the strong hits of Broadway since last summer and is still going strong, will be the attraction at Poli's for one week, beginning Monday, March 12. Mail orders are now being accepted and seats will be placed on sale at the box office Wednesday morning.

There are perhaps few theatergoers in Washington who have not heard about "Good News," which is now one of the most successful musical shows in New York and is expected to remain there for a run of two years. It comes here with a special Broadway cast, a chorus of youth, beauty and pep, and with George Oisen's Orchestra.

So much of a hit is "Good News" that it is said to send 100 per cent of the audience out of the theater with the unanimous opinion that it is one of the best musical comedies yet produced. Following its sensational success in New York the principal Eastern cities were unwilling to wait for at least two years before given a glimpse of it. For this reason Schwab and Mandel, the producers, organized this special company for runs in Boston and Philadelphia, sending it to Washington before its visit to those cities. It is said to be a duplicate of the New York company in the most minute detail as to lavishness of production, costliness of costumes and excellence of cast.

Winthrop Ames will present George Arliss, the foremost actor on the English-speaking stage, in William Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice," at Shubert-Belasco Theater, the week of Monday, March 12, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

Shylock has attracted all the great actors of the past. Richard Burbage, Charles Macklin, Henry Irving, Forbes-Robertson, Edwin Booth, Richard Mansfield, E. H. Sothern are but a few of the notable players in the history of the English-speaking stage who have portrayed the Jew. There has been much controversy about this character and volumes have been written about Shylock.

Peggy Wood appears as Portia in the Arliss-Ames production. The cast includes Spring Byington, Hope Cary, Murray Kinnell, Leonard Willey, Hugh Miller, George Graham, Romney Brent, Sidney Booth, Henry Morrell, Hardie Albright and Lewis A. Sealy. Woodman Thompson has designed the scenes and costumes.

Carrie Finnell, heading her own new show, brings this new United Burlesque attraction to the Gayety Theater next week. Miss Finnell is a featured member of the cast, and a very capable entertainer. She has selected her associates with care, and promises a pleasing entertainment.



PATRICIA COLLINGE, in "She Stoops to Conquer," next week at the National.

Chinese Operetta To Be Given Here

"The Feast of the Little Lanterns," by Paul Bliss, will be presented by the pupils of Gunston Hall at the school auditorium tomorrow and Tuesday evenings, March 5 and 6, at 8:15. Colorful and melodious, the operetta reveals how diligently the Princess Chan, played by Miss Anne Cary Moss, seeks her long lost sister, Mai Ku, a juggler maid, a part taken by Miss Olivia Hamilton, brings diversion to the royal garden. Special features are scarf and poppy dances and an ensemble dragon chorus. Miss Marjorie Lowe directs the operetta and the dances are arranged by Miss Isabelle Patterson. The production is a benefit for local charities, and the endowment of a Gunston Hall Memorial Library.

Martinelli Here Soon.

Giovanni Martinelli, famous tenor of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who was heard here with that organization during its brilliant season last spring, will appear here in recital as the fifth and final artist in Mrs. Wilson-Greene's artists' course on Friday, March 16, at 4:30 p. m., closing the Wilson-Greene concert season.

Mr. Martinelli has been hailed by many critics as the world's greatest tenor. When the passing of Caruso left a tremendous gap in the ranks of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Martinelli worker harder than ever in the ambition to fill to the best of his ability some of Caruso's famous roles. His success has been achieved entirely on merit, and the New York critics have often called attention to his brilliancy as a singer and to his pleasing personality.

MR. MORGAN EXPOUNDS A PET THEORY

Boys and girls determined to act in the movies are "called screenstruck. After they get their wish and have made good on the screen they become plot-struck; that is, they become enamored of a certain type of situation and want to use it again and again in their pictures. Such is the testimony of Bryon Morgan, who has been writing scenarios for the stars since the days of Wally Reid.

As an instance Morgan cites Buster Keaton, who was marooned on a stranded ocean liner in a picture he made several years ago, and who has managed to be marooned on something or other in every picture he has made since then. Bebe Daniels is partial to plots which require her to masquerade in male clothing in at least one scene; Richard Dix is hankering for a chance to play polo in a big polo picture, and a real treat for Antonio Moreno, avers Morgan, would be the starring role in a golf picture.



LAWRENCE TIBBETT, with the Metropolitan Opera Company, to be heard in Poli's Theater the week of April 15.



It may be March for most of us, but it's summer in one niche of the National Theater, where season reservations for the National Players' coming stock season are piling up faster than Manager Steve Cochran (seated) and his secretary, Miss Violet Ledig, can take care of them.

Echoes of the New York Stage

By ROBERT BELL

EXAMINATION of the works of George Kelly gives an interesting example of the trend that modern playwrights are taking, who more and more are making "character" rather than "plot" the primary motive of their plays. Kelly, as we know, was the successful author of many vaudeville sketches on farce lines—"The Flattering Word" being a good example. In this early play he takes the assumption that all people can be convinced if they are sufficiently flattered. The scene is a Methodist minister's home in a small town; the people of the play are the preacher, whose chief hobby is to condemn all things theatrical, and his narrow-minded parishioners. The preacher's wife had as a schoolgirl made the friendship of an actor. This actor now comes to her house to call on his old friend the preacher's wife. He meets the preacher and the parishioners. By flattering every one, by telling them all that each can act (even the preacher that he resembles Edwin Booth), he breaks down the antagonism against his profession, wins their admiration and succeeds in gaining all of them for his audience at his play that night. It is true that this little incident, this piece of life, required Mr. Kelly to think up clearly-defined characterizations for the people that were to be so persuaded, but they were invented for the plot and not the plot for the people, and this method was the usual one carried on by all faithful followers of Scribe, father of the modern, well-made play.

Even "The Show-Off," Mr. Kelly's first successful long play, was built on these lines. But "Craig's Wife" was a different affair. In thinking of it one does not remember the incidents except as they served to throw light on the personality of the central figure. He developed a dozen of these to bring out the character of the woman who loved her material house more than she did her husband and the true spiritual home. It was definitely a character study of a definite woman. More or less was also "Daisy Mayme," his second full-length play.

His latest drama is "Behold, the Bridegroom," now at the Majestic, and carries out his later methods to an even greater degree. Carries them out so far, in fact, that it is difficult to say that an audience can be kept interested in nothing more than character study; the plot is almost nil and there are scenes which to the average theatergoer drag badly. I even found myself not willing to believe in the correctness of the incidences he employed. They did not, in other words seem sufficient or at least important enough to produce the effects necessary to the development of his character.

But the character study itself is immense. Again it is a woman, even more shrewdly analyzed, I think, than the dramatically more successful wife of Mr. Craig.

Antoinette Lyle has had the upbringing (or lack of upbringing, if you like) of the modern rich. From girlhood she fooled through life, doing nothing but playing the fickle game of finding entertainment in the lavish expenditure of money for clothes, trips abroad and extravagant parties. She has not been incapable of involving herself in escapades of a questionable nature, and has wreaked havoc in several homes by fascinating the attentions of bored husbands. She has had many suitors, but has cast them off, even refusing Gehring Fitler, who, because of her refusal, has become a drunkard, but who still insists on hanging on to the hope that he may yet win her. When the play opens we see her generally bored with life and disgusted with what it has been able to give her; made cruel by life, bitter toward it. But we soon find that her real nature is something different; she has always been a lover of romance, a wanter of something better and an aspirer to dreams of a better mode of living. She has sought that romance; but her environment, her upbringing has forced her along the certain road she has followed. Several years ago when her father's secretary, a young girl, came to her bedroom and figured up her income (for she could not do the simplest mathematics), she suddenly envied the fresh vitality of the girl who worked, compared the happiness of doing something with that of her own futile and uneducated existence. The memory of this incident has played on her mind, but she has not been strong enough to escape from her environment. Then one day she meets a young man, Spencer Train, accomplished and respected by all. She sees in him the bridegroom she had wished for—sees that even when in his eyes she sees a definite condemnation of herself and kind.

After seeing her a few times the man leaves for Mexico; but the terrible condemnation in his eyes remains to eat into her heart's core. The bridegroom, the actualization of her dreams of romance arrived, but she knows that she has gone too far along the wrong road to be able ever to receive him. More and more the tragedy of this eats into her, she becomes ill and in the end she dies, winning her lover only at the hour of her death.

I repeat that I could not quite believe that this casual meeting with the man would be enough to produce the necessary reactions which bring on her death; but if you grant that it is, the penetrations with which Kelly manages the development of the character is amazing—and the condemnation toward modern society much to the point. A lovely soul can be hurt, we know, by the method of life it is forced to live, can become hard only to find itself too late—only succeed in living by death.

Miss Judith Anderson is called upon to play the woman. Her performance seemed to me not quite as fine as the author's creation, but still a lively and sincere interpretation. She struck both the fascination of the cold outer woman and the desires of the girl for better things than her physical existence offered her. She cleverly never allowed sentimentality to overcome real sentiment and her death was pathetically beautiful.

The character and the performance deserve a setting that would make them more popular to the general public, for there is a lesson of truth behind their motive which is of inestimable value, I truly believe, to the welfare of the race.



SYLVIA LENT, a native Washingtonian and brilliant violinist, who wil be heard in recital in the National Theater Friday afternoon.

IMPRESSIONS OF A STROLL ON THE "LOT"

Fourteen plasterers, in their white suits, forget lunch to watch a big war-time scene for Colleen Moore's "Lilac Time"—Billie Dove in a frantic search for her lost Scotch poodle—Gardner James, clad in a brown business suit and whiskers, hunting for the Barthelmess set—Donald Reed, in a sporty tennis outfit, posing for still pictures on the tennis court—Mary Brian and her mother in the cafe—Harold Teen's tractor, labeled "Little Bo Creep"—Dorothy Mackaill drawing steaming coffee from an urn in a little restaurant, while the rain pounds on the window panes—She's anxious for the noon whistle so she can try out her new roadster—Milton Sills displaying a brand new dahlia cutting from his Santa Monica gardens—Jack Mulhall sitting at a long table loaded down with beautiful trays of fruit, roast turkeys and pigs and other good things—It's a dream sequence he has a hungry boy in "Lady Be Good"—Jack Dillon, the director, and Sam Rork on their way to the projection rooms—Charlie Murray in a golden derby smoking a cigar—French peasants washing clothes in the river—Every day is Monday in these French village scenes—Frances Hamilton breaking through a huge Valentine in a natty bathing suit—Ken Maynard heading for the publicity offices—Eugenie Besserer, who plays Colleen Moore's mother in "Lilac Time"—James Finlayson, the Scotch actor, who tells Scotch stories with relish and visits the old homeland each twelvemonth—Harry Langdon—Richard Barthelmess, in a velvet suit, sitting a swing with Doris Dawson in a beautiful orchard in full bloom—It's a scene for "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come"—Richard Wallace, the director, who wears long hair like a musician—Walter Morosco, Corinne Griffith's production manager—Arthur Stone, waiting for another Milton Sills picture to start—He's been in four of them—A complete candy store, soda fountain and all, named "The Sugar Bowl" and built for "Harold Teen" which Merwyn LeRoy is directing—A snappy Rolls-Royce and a broken down Ford backed up at a stage door—But they're probably not speaking—The tour is over.

Scenarist Vacationing.

Frances Marion, scenario writer, who also is the wife of Fred Thomson, star in Western pictures, is in New York on a vacation trip.



THELMA WHITE, One of the principals in "Good News," the musical comedy coming to Poli's Theater next week.

Flashbacks and Fadeouts

"The Swim Princess" is a nautical comedy from the Mack Sennett studios.

William Boyd's next picture to go into production will be "The Cop," with Donald Crisp directing.

Margaret Morris, soon to be seen in the serial "Mark of the Frog," is playing a leading role in "The Avenging Shadow," a new feature.

Duane Thompson, of comedy fame, is leading woman for Buffalo Bill, jr., in his new Western just placed in production. Richard Thorpe is directing.

Junior Coghlan is receiving wonderful notices from the critics for his acting in "Let 'Er Go Gallagher," wherein he plays Gallagher.

Walter McGrail will be seen as the villain in "Midnight Madness," in which Jacqueline Logan and Clive Brook essay the leads.

The continuity of Leatrice Joy's next starring vehicle will be written by Alice D. C. Miller, who entered the films as a reader for D. W. Griffith and rose to head of the story department.

Kate Price, now in Cecil DeMille's "The Godless Girl," played her first movie role in 1902 in a Vitagraph comedy staged atop a building in downtown New York.

Jesse L. Lasky, first vice-president in charge of production of the Paramount Famous Lasky Corporation, arrived in Hollywood from a visit East just in time to present his gavel of office, as retiring president of the Motion Picture Producers' Association, to the newly-elected president, Cecil DeMille.

Duke Kahanamoku, famous Hawaiian swimmer, will have a small part in the forthcoming picture, "Easy Come, Easy Go," starring Richard Dix. Opposite the star in the role of the bank president's daughter will be Nancy Carroll. Other actors in the cast will include Charles Sellon, who has a highly important role as a veteran crook; Frank Currier as the bank president; Arnold Kent, the heavy; Christian J Frank, Joseph J. Franz and Guy Oliver. "Easy Come, Easy Go," is being directed by Frank Tuttle from the successful stage play by Owen Davis.

Raoul Paoli, champion discus thrower of France and a successful free lance player in Hollywood, will go to the Olympic games in Amsterdam this year to compete again under the tricolor banner. He represented France at the games in Stockholm, Antwerp and Paris, his experience going back sixteen years. He has appeared in several Paramount pictures.

Paoli was also a soldier for France during the war, winning the croix de guerre for services in the infantry at Verdun and the medaille militaire for aviation near Verdun He is 6 feet 2½ tall and weighs 225 pounds.

The soldier-athlete's latest film appearance was in "Night of Mystery." He had a part also in Bebe Daniels' "Senorita" and in "Beau Sabreur."

Whitehorse, veteran actor of Western character roles, makes his latest appearance in "The Bronc' Stomper," Don Coleman's Western film.

Tweedledum and Tweedledee, famous Lewis Carroll characters, are personified in Pathe's film feature "Alice Through the Looking Glass."

Johyna Ralston, vis-a-vis for Harold Lloyd in his comedies, returns to the rooster banner as leading woman for William Boyd in "The Night Flyer."

Shooting of scenes on "The Yellow Cameo" has been completed and this forthcoming Pathe serial is in the cutting room.

Bessie Love has been selected for the leading feminine role of "Broadway Daddies," listed as one of the outstanding productions for the new year. Miss Love won her part in a unique way. Several years ago she retired from the screen for a short while, but staged a sensational comeback as the dancer in 'The Song and Dance Man." Not the smallest factor in the success of her characterization was the fact that Miss Love is one of the most accomplished of jazz dancers, and can put it over in a picture. It was this characterization that prompted the Columbia officials to select Miss Love for "Broadway Daddies," which will present her in a similar role.

UNIVERSITY PLAYERS IN A COMEDY

The Dramatic Association of George Washington University will present for the first time in Washington and for the second time in the United States a translation of "2x2 Equals 5," from the Danish of Gustav Weid, on April 23. The local production will run all the week at the Wardman Park Theater.

The board of managers in charge of the production are Edward Moulton, Marion Campbell, Fern Henninger, Betty Whitbank, Kenneth Yearns, George Spangler, Steve Blackman. The direction is under the supervision of Denis Connell, who recently was director of the G. W. U. musical comedy success, "Sharps and Frats."

"2x2 Equals 5" is adapted from the continental comedy drama by one of the foremost of contemporary European dramatists. The play was produced for the first time in America this season by the Civic Repertory Company in New York City, with Eva Le Gallienne as star. In securing the rights, George Washington is the first to present the play outside of the original scene of production.

"2x2 Equals 5" is declared by all who have read it as not only an enjoyable play but one which offers innumerable opportunities to the actor and designer of settings as well.

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Balancing the Film Books On February's Activities

By NELSON B. BELL

MOTIVATED, I presume, by much the same inclinations as prompt those engaged in commercial pursuits to balance their books at the end of each month, I shall set down in these columns today such approximations of the final word as may with seeming security be written concerning topics upon which we have heretofore briefly touched.

An earlier essay upon the matter of the Brookhart bill, now being argued on Capitol Hill, having elicited gratifying and entirely unsolicited approbation on the part of Will H. Hays, president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, we are able to quote for your further enlightenment certain excerpts from that organization's "Memorandum in re Brookhart antiblock booking," which, in its entirety consists of fourteen closely printed pages of two columns each.

These quotations follow a sort of sequence, but are selected principally for the reason that each in itself clearly expresses something pertaining to this urgent matter which we would like to have said, but didn't:

The chief legal objection to this proposed legislation is that its effect would be to deprive producers and distributors of their absolute right to choose their own customers. It has been repeatedly decided by the Circuit Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the United States that a manufacturer and (or) wholesaler may select his customers at will, and in the absence of a conspiracy or concerted action to coerce, intimidate or boycott, may refuse for any reason he considers fit to sell his product to a retailer.

Section 3 describes certain alleged conditions and practices in the industry and declares that the practices of blind booking, block booking and unfair discrimination in selling affiliated and chain theaters, in preference to independent theaters, threatens to create a monopoly in the industry. These allegations form the base on which the bill is constructed, as the following sections are intended to correct these alleged evils. They are nothing more than self-serving declarations and assumptions made by the author of the bill, without any foundation or justification in fact.

If this industry be singled out for Governmental regulation and reconstruction, as is proposed in this bill, the next session of Congress will find factionalists from many other industries asking for similar regulation.

The exhibitors who are opposed to block booking in buying pictures seem to desire to pick out and choose where they please at their own price.

There is absolutely no mechanical differential price system under which this industry can live. The minute you fix the maximum that a picture can take in—and that is exactly what this system would result in—you retard for all time the ambition and the reward that come with trying the unusual. You discourage the greatest thing back of the production end of this industry, and that is the incentive for larger grosses and larger returns which are necessary to bring to the screen such pictures as "The King of Kings," "Ben-Hur," "The Covered Wagon," "What Price Glory," "Robin Hood," "The Sea Beast," "The Patent Leather Kid," "Keeper of the Bees," "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," &c.

It must not be forgotten that in the past, when there were two or more theaters in competition, it often resulted in the exhibitors getting together and doing the price fixing themselves. The producer-distributor-exhibitor corporations can cite many concrete examples of where this has been done; that not only the maximum price was fixed, but the service was absolutely allocated, and an understanding existed as to which pictures a certain exhibitor would bid on and which he would leave alone.

When a producer offers a block of pictures to an exhibitor and states that he wants a complete sale or none at all, the exhibitor can refuse to buy that way, if he does not desire so to buy.

All of these considerations are very pertinent to the man who is making and selling motion pictures. There are many exhibitors that producers purposely lose as customers because of the type of exploitation management they represent. It is not true that the producers always sell to the highest bidder. It would not be healthy if they did.

There are many exhibitors who have "picked pictures and gone broke." The man who asserts he can always tell what his audience wants is nothing short of foolish.

And from these observations, together with those which we have previously expounded, you shall now be left peacefully to draw your own conclusions, while we pass on to other recapitulations of burning urgency.

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THERE comes vaguely to mind a hazy recollection of a recent sleepy matutinal suspicion that after William Fox bought the West Coast Theaters lock, stock and barrel—or maybe in this business you say lobby, screen and barrel-organ—his company would proceed forthwith to devour both the Stanley Co. and First National Pictures. Or perhaps it was the other way round. At any rate, there was to be carnage and the tearing of quivering flesh as these colossi came to death grips in mortal combat, like the dinosaurs in the jungle scenes of "The Lost World."

Despite these persisting reports, which have continued almost through the week just closed, it may be stated with every reasonable assurance of reliability that no negotiations are now being carried on between Fox and Stanley with a view to effecting a merger. Conferences on the matter were held in New York some weeks ago, but when they failed of any purpose the subject was not revived.

The latest rumor is that the Stanley interests have deflected whatever merger plans may be tentatively in prospect in the general direction of Famous Players-Publix, but this is all so nebulous that it is being given little credence among those who usually are well informed in such things.

Within its own organization, however, Stanley is putting its house in order. At the directors' meeting held in Philadelphia last Friday Mrs. Jules E. Mastbaum, widow of the founder of the company, was elected to the board along with E. C. Jameson, Lessing J. Rosenwald and Louis J. Kolb. They succeeded Frank W. Buhler, Alfred W. Fleisher, Lewis Sablosky and Morris Wolf.

This addition to the directorate is along the line to be expected during the incumbency of Irving Rossheim in the position of president. Mr. Rosenwald is an executive of the Sears-Roebuck mail order house in Chicago, while Messrs. Jameson and Kolb represent insurance and banking interests.

These executive changes corroborate the forecast made last week to the writer by Harry M. Crandall, executive vice president of the Stanley-Crandall Co., of Washington, and a member of the board of the parent company, and may be construed as presaging a comprehensive reorganization of the business operation of the Stanley interests.

But remember this is being written Wednesday night and by the time it is read in print it is highly probable that Aesop's Fables will have absorbed Stanley, Fox, Paramount, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Universal and FBO, unless Warner Bros. combine with De Mille to take over Standard Oil, in which case, of course, it will be pretty tough for General Motors!

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A FEW concrete figures probably will give a quicker and more precise notion of the magnitude of this giant checker game, that is being played with motion picture theaters and film producing companies as counters, than a whole page of ambiguous generalities could convey.

The 25,000 motion picture houses in America, with their seats for 11,000,000 patrons daily, make a demand upon Hollywood for approximately 800 films a year, according to latest compilations.

The statistical survey also discloses that there are 22,000 motion picture theaters in Europe, 3,000 in Asia, 1,200 in Australia and 800 in Africa, with a grand combined seating total of 21,150,000 or an average of 10.5 seats for every 1,000 of world population.

This is why at the present time there are in each of the leading studios of the major producers an average of six pictures before the cameras, ten in the cutting room and an equal number in process of story preparation.

Quite an industry they have here.

AS ALWAYS THERE ARE TWO SIDES

Mere mention of "these movie salaries" is enough to evoke visions of splendor in the average mind, so great has been the stress laid on fabulous salaries paid to the stars.

It may be news to some people, therefore, that office boys earning $15 and $18 a week are numerous in the studios, that some gatemen who can keep bank presidents waiting outside the studio get $20 or $25 a week, that a girl who can speak seven languages is drawing $25 as a script girl, that good stenographers are earning as little as $20 in some studios, and that beautiful girls occasionally are hired as "stock extras" for $25 a week. Comparatively few extras are hired at the minimum daily wage of $3, but they are more numerous than the few who draw $25 a day.

Even those who rise into the 'big money" class have no assurance of continued prosperity. Only recently Larry Semon, one of the highest-paid film comedians of a few years ago, testified in court that he was "broke" and $80,000 in debt. Other players who in the past six months or so have filed bankruptcy petitions or testified to financial distress in collection suits brought against them include Theodore von Eltz, Helen Lee Worthing and Virginia Brown Faire.

Bankruptcy, of course, is a long way from the poor house. Charles Ray lost practically everything he had when he tried to produce his own pictures, but his name continued to be worth considerable at the box office.

KENNEDY SIGNS TOM MIX FOR NEW FBO THRILLERS

ANNOUNCEMENT is made by Joseph P. Kennedy, president of FBO Pictures Corporation, of the consummation of negotiations between FBO and Fred Kley and James S. Douglass, trustees of the Hollywood-Argentine Cinema Co., whereby FBO will distribute a series of productions starring Tom Mix, greatest Western box office personality in the motion picture industry.

The series, which will be more lavish than any productions Mix has yet made, will be filmed in the Argentine against gorgeous backgrounds and on locations as yet untouched by any film company. The entire company, including the star, director, players and technical staff will leave for the Argentine the beginning of June, following a ten weeks' tour of the Orpheum Circuit which Mix will make, commencing on April 1. Gene Ford, his director, his horse, Tony, Mrs. Mix and his daughter Thomasina will accompany the star. Headquarters for the company will be established at Buenos Aires.

Outbidding three of the largest distributors in the industry, who have been angling for Mix's services since he left Fox, FBO's acquisition of Mix to its roster of players is another of the many progressive accomplishments of Joseph P. Kennedy since he became president of the company.

FBO has in Tom Mix the greatest Western box office personality and the highest paid star in pictures. For seven years, he was the biggest money-making star on the Fox lot and has a reputation and fan following second to none throughout the world. His recent world tour, when he was entertained by royalty in every country he visited, added to his ever growing popularity.

It is the intention of FBO to produce this series along entirely novel lines and to give Mix more colorful and romantic stories than he has had and yet to inject into them the wallop and punch which has proved so popular with the fans in the past. Mix has long wanted to make a series of pictures in the Argentine, and his affiliation with FBO is the fulfillment of the desire of a lifetime.

Lucky Combination.

"The Merry Widow" presents one of the most significant and interesting combinations effected for the screen. The title suggests picturesque romance, and in the hands of a man of the genius of Erich von Stroheim all its rich possibilities are realized.

John Gilbert captured one of the great acting parts of all time when he was assigned to the part of Prince Danilo in "The Merry Widow," which opened an eight-day engagement at the Little Theater, on Ninth street, Friday. The title role, in which Mae Murray is costarred, furnishes this piquant actress with the best role of her career, and it is freely admitted that she has never equaled before nor since the performance she gave as Sally, the Irish-American chorus girl who became the Queen of Montebianco.

Roy d'Arcy's portrayal of the villainous Crown Prince made him the most sought-after film actor in Hollywood, as it landed him with one bound in the front rank of screen-play "heavies."

Thirteen Unlucky?

If the "hoodoo" numeral—13—is considered unlucky by some, Albert Ray, making "Thief in the Dark," a new mystery drama, fears it not, or if he does, facts concerning this production do not show it. He began shooting February 13. In the first scene a black cat walked across the set. Turning around after completing the first scene, Ray looked into the eyes of a visitor on the set—the eyes were crossed, hardly a good omen to some showmen.

To top this off, there are thirteen players with important roles in this picture, and one of them is handled by Gwen Lee, who is one of thirteen Wampas Baby Stars for 1928.

An Importation.

Joseph Shour, house manager and treasurer of the Fox Theater, was brought to Washington by Mr. Fox from the "Times Square" Theater in New York City, where "Sunrise" is playing twice daily to $2 admissions.

STARDOM IS NOT MERELY A JOY RIDE

After an actor, by years of perspiring labor, has built up an imposing personal following and has at last attained the coveted rank of star, he finds new and undreamed-of responsibilities.

If a picture was only mediocre before his own excellent performance might stand out conspicuously and work to his advantage. But as a star, he stands or falls by the picture. In a sense, he is the picture.

So George Bancroft, after his smashing triumph in "Underworld" and his spectacular leap to stardom, was unusually anxious about his first starring picture. It had to be a good story. It had to be acted with all the power he possessed. If it should slip after all those months of climbing, it would be heart breaking.

"The Show Down," the picture produced in that spirit by the newly elevated star, is coming to the screen within a few weeks, and it is certain to receive unusually close scrutiny by fans and critics alike. Those who have seen it declare "The Show Down" will live up to the brightest hopes of the Bancroft followers. It is a story of tropical oil fields, where the heat, grime and nervous tension wear away the toughest human fiber.

Houston Branch, who wrote the stage play from which it was taken, was himself an oil field laborer in the fields around Tampico, Mexico. He admits that as a tool dresser he was an excellent author. He stayed on the job a week and quit, a failure. Then he came home and wrote the play. Having sold it he capitalized the oil field experience for as much as if he had struck a reasonably productive well

Victor Schertzinger directed "The Show Down," and Evelyn Brent, Fred Kohler and Neil Hamilton are in the cast.

NEW COMEDY FAST AS ITS SPEED TITLE

Working day and night, including Sundays, Harold Lloyd has reached the editing and titling stage of his latest production, "Speedy" which is to be his third release for Paramount. Lloyd has put in a harder stretch of production than he has ever before faced. But judging from reports trickling through from the West Coast, Lloyd has another winner in "Speedy." He has worked on it seven months.

The picture is said to have the greatest thrill chase for the finish he has yet made, which means something in the light of what he did in "Girl Shy," "For Heaven's Sake" and other of his pictures which had whirlwind finishes.

All the big chase scenes were photographed in New York and audiences throughout the world will view the novelty of a wildly careening horse car tearing down Broadway, through Wall Street and other congested portions of the city.

Lloyd is said to have at least four unusual comedy sequences in "Speedy," the hilarious moments coming first from his escapades as a soda jerker and baseball "nut;" then at Coney Island; thirdly as a taxicab driver, rushing Babe Ruth up Fifth Avenue to the Yankee Stadium, and last from his daredevil efforts to get the stolen horse car back on its track to complete the round trip within the 24 hours demanded by franchise provisions.

SILLS' NEW VEHICLE OF NOVEL TYPE

Milton Sills will make a radical departure from his usual type of screen role in "Nightbirds," the underworld melodrama in which he will soon star.

Sills is to play the role of a war veteran who is so disfigured in an explosion that his personality is completely changed. The transformation leads the character into an entirely new world with totally different surroundings and forms the basis of a highly dramatic and gripping story

Benjamin Christianson has been engaged to direct "Nightbirds." James T. O'Donohoe has written the script, and production will be launched within the next ten days.

A GUIDE TO THE PICTURES

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FOX—May McAvoy and Conrad Nagel in "Slightly Used" (screen). "Parisian Red Heads" (stage).
METROPOLITAN—"Old Ironsides," Paramount special, second week.
COLUMBIA—Charlie Chaplin in "The Circus." Third week.
LITTLE—Mae Murray and John Gilbert in "The Merry Widow."

This Week's Screen Plays

RIALTO—Phyllis Haver and Victor Varconi, in "Chicago."

"Chicago," one of the most sensational picture productions of the last year, featuring Phyllis Haver and Victor Varconi, is the attraction at the Rialto this week.

Based on Maurine Watkins' play of the same name, it unmasks the methods employed in modern courts to free beautiful women accused of murder.

The plot, in brief, concerns Roxie Hart, a ravishing beauty who belongs to that host of married butterflies whose specialties are rather periodical affairs with "angel daddies." The picture opens with the Hart's pursuing a drab existence, and Roxie's currently clandestine affair involving a mediocre automobile salesman who is skimping his own family obligations to be able to "cheat" Casley, the automobile salesman, financially drained and plainly tired of his latest fancy, is murdered by Roxie during a morning visit to the Hart apartment.

In spite of its lack of sensation, the murder is spectacularly colored and "played up" by police, district attorney and newspaper reporters. Roxie, herself, adds to its sensationalism by bungling her husband's confession in which he shoulders the blame.

The role of murderess becomes a thrill for Roxie when she realizes the "glory" of her widespread notority as the hottest "page one" copy in the newspapers.

Then there is the trial. The picture is filled with red meat from start to finish, with a mingling of tense drama and enjoyable comedy. Nothing like it has been seen in films for many months, it is said.

In the supporting cast are many notable screen players, including Robert Edeson, Virginia Bradford, May Robson, Julia Faye, Warner Richmond, Clarence Burton, T. Roy Barnes and others.

Rox Rommell, conducting the Rialto Concert Orchestra, offers for the overture a medley of hits from the latest Broadway musical comedy successes. International Newsreel and other short films are added auxiliaries.

PALACE—Greta Garbo, in "The Divine Woman."

Greta Garbo, the famous Swedish star, is the attraction at Loew's Palace this week in her latest picture, "The Divine Woman."

As a young and innocent girl she is brought from a farm to Paris by Legrande, one of her mother's admirers, who owns the Legrande Theater. Legrande tries to make love to he girl. She strikes him with an umbrella and stuns him. Thinking she has killed him she runs away and becomes a laundress, falling in love with a young soldier, who deserts so that he can remain with his sweetheart.

She meets Legrande and asks for an opportunity on the stage, and he promises it to her. On the night of her big triumph her soldier sweetheart returns and they quarrel. She breaks down in one of the scenes and Legrande is furious. He breaks her contract and she is reduced to poverty again.

On the stage the presentation is John Murray Anderson's gorgeous spectacle "Roman Nights," with Lassiter Brothers, Rita and Teske, Slavic adagio team; Elsa Greenwell and her veil girls; M. Senia Gluck's Roman ballet, a dancing laugh riot; George Dufranne, tenor; and master of ceremonies, Wesley Eddy, again in active participation with several unique surprises.

Short subjects and the Palace Orchestra complete the program.

EARLE—Jack Mulhall and Dorothy Mackaill in "The Crystal Cup."

A tense and highly dramatic story, marked by splendid direction and some remarkably well-drawn characterizations make "The Crystal Cup," now showing at the Earle Theater, one of the outstanding film productions of the year. The featured stage attraction for this week is Whitey Kaufman and his Victor Orchestra in Edward L. Hyman's presentation, "The Earle Frolic."

Based on the daring novel of the same name by Gertrude Atherton, "The Crystal Cup" is probably one of the most unusual stories ever filmed. Its basic plot motif concerns a sensitive, impressionable girl, who goes through a terrible experience early in her life, and who is so deeply impressed and frightened by it that its influence never completely leaves her.

What she regards as the most unusual characterization of her screen career is portrayed by Dorothy Mackaill. Her character is that of a girl who detests men and to rid herself of their attentions makes herself as masculine as possible in dress and mannerisms. Her final awakening to the natural reactions of her sex provides a highly unusual and dramatic climax. Cofeatured with Miss Mackaill is Jack Mulhall, an actor who plays comedy or drama with equal ability. His latest screen roic is a serious effort.

Completing the bill will be the usual short reel films and orchestral accompaniment under the direction of Daniel Breeskin.

—FOX—May McAvoy and Conrad Nagle in "Slightly Used."

May McAvoy and Conrad Nagle, two of screendom's most versatile stars, will portray the principal roles in "Slightly Used," the feature film for the new week at the Fox Theater.

It is a new Miss McAvoy who skips through this story. She is an older sister who pretends to be married to help a younger member of the family secure a husband. This starts the difficulties and Miss McAvoy finds herself married, but with no husband, and later, when she becomes engaged, finds she has that husband.

The principal stage attraction is the "Parasian Red Heads," a girl orchestra, that is furnishing something new in that much crowded field of entertainment. This assembly of auburn-haired beauties are all real "reds" and in addition are real musicians and, more important these days, real entertainers.

Fox studio will present another colorful stage picture, this time "Southland," with its fair ladies and gallant gentlemen. The darkies with their spirituals, dancing and general gayety will also be a feature of the presentation.

The symphony orchestra will offer the overture "Il Trovatore." The vocal ensemble will appear in support, while the new tenor, Josef Turin, will sing the "Miserere."

Other features will include the Fox Movietone.

METROPOLITAN—"Old Ironsides."

One of the screen's most powerful dramas, "Old Ironsides," is the major attraction at Crandall's Metropolitan Theater for a second week.

Once again Pinckney's immortal words, "Millions for defense but not one cent for tribute," ring throughout the country; once again the glorious frigate Constitution is seen in action against the barbary pirates.

On this occasion "Old Ironsides" is the "hero" of a thrilling story woven around this colorful chapter in the history of the early American Navy. It is from the pen of Laurence Stallings, author of "The Big Parade" and "What Price Glory." And the story has been filmed on a gigantic scale by James Cruze, who made "The Covered Wagon" and "The Pony Express."

George Bancroft, remembered as the star of "Underworld" and featured in "The Rough Riders," heads the cast. Although "Old Ironsides" is for the most part spectacular and thrilling, the love interest is unusually strong. It is embodied in a romance between Esther Ralston and Charles Farrell. Wallace Beery has a prominent role.

The short subjects complementary to the feature are a Sennett comedy, Newsreel and atmospheric prelude and accompaniment by the Metropolitan Orchestra, Alex Podnos, conductor.

COLUMBIA—Charlie Chaplin in "The Circus."

"Ladies and gen'lemun, yore attunshun is called to Charlie Chaplin's new picture, "The Circus," which is now playing for the third consecutive week at Loew's Columbia. In this picture you see a funnier Chaplin than ever with his cane, derby, pants, coat, shoes and what not, just as of yore. Sawdust, peanuts, lions, roars, grins, laughs, guffaws, pink lemonade, color, noise, shrieks, yells, smells, horses! They're all in "The Circus."

See Charlie as the helper in a circus as the funny man, as the star; see him in the lions' cage or when the mule is after him; see him walk the tight rope in place of the regular who is missing at show time; see his plight when his safety device breaks, leaving him ignorant of the fact, and on a rope, far above near the top of the tent; imagine how he acts when he discovers his situation.

The rest of the bill is made up of short subjects and the Columbia Orchestra.

LITTLE—Mae Murray in "The Merry Widow."

On Friday "The Merry Widow" opened an eight-day engagement at the Little Theater, starring Mae Murray in the title role of the Irish-American chorus girl, who is wooed and won by the dashing Prince Danilo, played by John Gilbert.

Roy D'Arcy, who made his debut in this picture under the direction of Erich von Stroheim, enacts the villainous crown prince. Every member of the cast, including Tully Marshall as the Baron Sadoja, a symbol of Europe's slowly decaying aristocracy; George Fawcett and Josephine Crowell, as the King and Queen of Monteblanco, give performances that defy criticism.

Special mention should be made of the scene showing "the Merry Widow Waltz," which became famous in the original stage play.

Supplementing the feature will be Louis H. Tolhurst's microscopic film "The Butterfly," and a Pathe Newsreel.

STRAW VOTE POLLED FOR NOMINATION

After staging a straw vote among movie fans at the Mark Strand Theater on Broadway revealing Gov. Alfred E. Smith to be the popular choice for president among New Yorkers by an overwhelming plurality, First National Pictures has announced that in conjunction with the showing of "The Patent Leather Kid" it is extending this straw vote to theaters in other territories of the United States. This is being done in order to get as representative an indication of the political leanings of the public generally as may be possible.

The balloting in New York was conducted over a period of one week during the presentation of the Richard Barthelmess special. Gov. Smith piled up 28,684 votes, as against a grand total of 1,153 for all other Democratic candidates listed on the ballot. Secretary Herbert Hoover was the winning candidate on the Republican side, rolling up 7,250 votes.

The final results of the voting for the week on all of the straw vote candidates are announced as follows:

DEMOCRATIC.	
Sen. Walter F. George (Ga.)	129
Sen. James A. Reed (Mo.)	548
Gov. Alfred E. Ritchie (Md.)	349
Sen. Joseph T. Robinson (Ark.)	127
Gov. Alfred E. Smith (N. Y.)	28,684
REPUBLICAN.	
Sen. Charles Curtis (Kans.)	108
Vice President Charles G. Dawes	2,350
Secretary Herbert Hoover	7,250
Ex-Gov. Frank O. Lowden (Ill.)	211
Sen. Frank B. Willis (Ohio)	48

While neither President Coolidge nor Secretary of State Hughes appeared on the straw ballots, their names were written in by some of the movie fans, the former receiving a total of 527 votes and the latter polling 95.

Scattering votes for others not named on the ballot ran up to 325. The total number of votes cast during the week for all candidates was 40,752.

WOMEN MUST NOT PERUSE THIS ROAST

"The method of shopping is wrong." It is Norma Talmadge speaking. "Frocks are being bought by American women because they please the eye, while very little thought is given to whether or not those same frocks bring out the very best in the wearer and leave the observer conscious more of the woman than of her costume.

"There are exceptions, of course, but I speak of American women as a whole, not of any special class. They spend extravagant sums for their clothing; they have excellent taste, their color schemes are harmonious, and as a part of life's scenery they are both decorative and effective, but they fail to make of their own gowns backgrounds for themselves. Instead, almost every woman makes herself a dummy for the vainglorious display of bizarre modes.

"The fault, I believe, is that expensive costumes are being worn without the addition of a single, deft, qualifying touch to stamp it indelibly with the personality of the wearer. That is fatal. The most exclusive creator in the world could do nothing more than design a frock for the individual woman unless she added her own contribution to the ensemble; perhaps a flower, a bit of lace, or a jewel. It is up to the woman to make herself attractive; the designer can only be a helpful factor."

Roland Again!

Gilbert Roland, signed to play opposite Norma Talmadge in "The Woman Disputed," with Henry King directing, had to have his romantic Spanish sideburns and his thick, wavy hair clipped close to his head in order to make him look like an Austrian in this Dennison Clift play. Gilbert will play the role of a young officer.



Phyllis Haver in "Chicago." —Rialto.



Greta Garbo in "The Divine Woman." —Palace.



Dorothy Mackaill and Jack Mulhall in "The Crystal Cup." —Earle.

May McAvoy and Robert Agnew in "Slightly Used."—Fox.

YOUTH BOWS LOW TO AGE AT OPENING

World premieres get to be commonplace in Los Angeles, the cinema center, where the first night of some film or other brings out celebrities by the hundreds at least two or three times every month. But the "Four Sons" premiere at the Carthay Circle, in Hollywood, had unusual angles that set it apart from the run of such events. In the first place it was a little old woman, not a beautiful young girl, who was glorified in the leading role. Sixty-year-old Margaret Mann, who played the war-tortured mother of four German sons, was lifted from the extra ranks for this picture, and it was her white hair and wrinkled face that monopolized the close-ups usually devoted to a gorgeously youthful heroine.

The master of ceremonies at the opening was the veteran actor, Hobart Bosworth, who recalled days when the only moving-picture studio hereabouts was the drying roof of a Chinese laundry in Los Angeles. The theater itself was decorated with paintings and relics of the old days in California and even some of the youthful members of the cast reminded the audience of the celebrities of an older generation.

For instance, there were Francis X. Bushman, jr., son of the original Francis X. of early movie days, and Ferdinand Schumann-Heink, son of the famous grand opera diva. Young Bushman played one of the four sons, young Schumann-Heink portrayed a German officer, and the Archduke Leopold of Austria, reminder of the past glories of the old Hapsburg dynasty, also carried a sword through several sequneces.

Menjou Busy.

Adolphe Menjou's latest picture, from the Sardou play, "Capt. Ferreol," has received a name at last. It will be called "Night of Mystery." In production it was tentatively called "The Code of Honor." The picture was directed by Lothar Mendes and Evelyn Brent played the lead. It is being titled by Herman J. Mankiewicz.

Menjou already is at work upon another picture at the Paramount studio. It is called "Super of the Gaiety" and is from a play by Alfred Savoir. Miss Brent again will be his leading woman. The latest additions to the cast are Jules Rancourt and Emile Chautard. Hobart Henley is directing.



Charles Farrell in "Old Ironsides." —Metropolitan.

Mae Murray in "The Merry Widow." —Little.

Charlie Chaplin and Merna Kennedy in "The Circus."—Columbia.

Harry Would Say That!

Between scenes during the filming of Johnny Hines' "Chinatown Charlie," the comedian put on unofficial Black Bottom dancing contests, which included such fast-stepping members of the cast as Louise Lorraine, Harry Gribbon, Anna May Wong, "Scooter" Lowry, and others.

"So, you haven't had much success doing the Black Bottom?" Johnny said to Harry Gribbon, a former Mack Sennett star.

"No," grinned Harry, "but I'm having my knees raised and hope to improve."

Powell in New Role.

William Powell, who has appeared as the "heavy" in a dozen successful films within the past year and who made notable contributions to the Emil Jannings picture, "The Last Command," and to Bebe Daniels' new comedy, "Feel My Pulse," has drawn another desirable role. He will have a part in George Bancroft's next picture, as yet untitled, which will follow that star's latest, "The Show Down."

Aviators' Favorite.

Capt. Dieudonne Costes and Lieut. Comdr. Joseph Le Brix, the French aviators who arrived in New York after covering 23,000 miles, were guests of honor and made brief public appearances at the showing of the war aviation film, "Wings" at the Criterion Theater.

"Wings" has thrilled Lindbergh, Chamberlin, Byrd and all the other famous birdmen of peace as well as hundreds of American war birds.

The picture is still playing to capacity audiences at the completion of the seventh month of its Broadway run.

February's Best.

The exceptional photoplays committee of the national board of review, in listing the outstanding pictures for February, has selected to head the list Zakoro's Hollywood production, "The Last Moment."

The other pictures, in order of their rating, are "The Circus," "The Last Command" and "Sadie Thompson."

ROXIE HART HAS NO HEART IN FILMING OF "CHICAGO"

A SCREEN "bad woman" heroine has arrived. "The weaker" sex having successfully invaded the arts and professions long controlled by man, now threatens to infringe on what heretofore has been a strictly masculine pursuit.

Phyllis Haver introduces this villainous creation as Roxie Hart in "Chicago," a picturization of the popular stage play, now on view at the Rialto Theater.

Roxie Hart, as the "most beautiful jazz murderess," is easier to hate than any conceivable film "bad man." She is not the venomous vampire, not the malicious schemer, but wholly bad and despicable. The Roxie Hart that Maurine Watkins made the central character of her successful stage play was a wicked, contemptible ignoramus, but her wickedness is accentuated in the screen version by virtue of the change made in the character of the husband, played by Victor Varconi.

The first screen "bad woman" heroine established her hateful character surely and speedily. She is tested for each and every good quality of a woman and is found wanting in all. First, she is the faithless wife who kills her "angel" because her vanity is offended, and is so distrustful that she mistakes her husband's self-sacrifice for trickery. She glories in the limelight of notoriety and resents sharing the spotlight. She browbeats a devoted husband and she is too ignorant and too much a fool to realize that he knows of her faithlessness.

Roxie Hart marks a creation for screen heroism which promises to go far in bringing favorite actresses before fans in pictures wherein sentiment is secondary to story.

Up in the Air.

Wesley Eddy, guest conductor and master of ceremonies at Loew's Palace, and his Palace Syncopators were high up in the world last week. The platform on which they played was about fifteen feet above the stage. Mr. Eddy confided that distance did not lend enchantment and that he felt too far away from his audience. Possibly he has a phobia for high places. Anyhow, he has promised to be in the midst of the activities as usual next week and in addition he has several surprises for his audience which he will not reveal at the present time.

Close Ups—Pre-views—Retakes and Rushes

ONE ARTISTE WHO IGNORES ALL HOODOOS

Superstitions, some universal and others peculiarly identified with the acting profession, mean nothing to Greta Garbo, star of "The Divine Woman," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production now being shown at Loew's Palace.

Pearls mean tears to some people but to Miss Garbo they mean joy. She owns a valuable string of pearls and wears them in almost every scene of her film production.

One of her most treasured rings is set with a great fire opal. Most theatrical folk would not wear an opal. They say it is an evil omen and brings bad luck. Greta Garbo defies that superstition and to date is considered the luckiest actress on the American screen, where she has risen to stardom in less than two years and became one of the most talked of players with the release of her first film production in America.

The fact that Greta has not learned to whistle is the only reason why she does not whistle in her dressing room, a superstition that has disrupted many stage acts and has brought about physical combat in some of the studios where there were many former stage folk employed.

"I sing before breakfast without any fear that I will cry before night," says Miss Garbo. "I only wish I could sing better because then I would sing all the time. People don't always feel like singing but when they do they should sing right then and there regardless of all the silly superstitions."

If a ladder happens to be over a stage door, or in her path inside the stage, Greta walks under it as though it were not there; she will not turn back when a black cat crosses her path and she is willing to begin a new picture on Friday any time the production schedule calls for work to begin on that day. The fact that Miss Garbo had not been heard of in America two years ago and is now recognized as one of the most sensational artistes of the screen rightly causes her to believe she can always defy superstition and get away with it.

Just Kids.

Studio photographers find it easy to make advertising "still" pictures of screen ingenues wearing wrist watches, shoes or hats which the manufacturer gladly gives them for their trouble in posing. But an advertising "tie-up" involving children is different.

The Our Gang youngsters were called together, presented with nationally-advertised fountain pens and requested to pose in a school room set writing with them. There was great excitement while the pens were being handed out, and while the photographer lined up his lights and cameras the children continued eagerly to examine their gifts.

At last the camera was ready. The photographer yelled, "Everybody write, now!" And then he noticed that the children, having satisfied their curiosity, had laid aside the pens and were writing busily with pencils.

Get Your Man!

"Code of the Scarlet," a Royal Northwest Mounted Police story, is to be Ken Maynard's next starring production. It is an original by Forest Sheldon, with adaptation and script by Marion Jackson. The cast has not yet been announced, but with production scheduled to begin within a week the players will soon be chosen.

This will be the first time that Maynard has been cast in a Northwest role. Also, it will be the first time he has worked in the snow. He has made desert, mountain and historical stories of the early West, but the present locale is new.

Also Heard Inside!

Among the innovations introduced at the Fox Theater is the reproducing grand piano located in the lobby and utilized during the "hold out" period, something that can not be avoided even in the best regulated theaters. This beautifully toned instrument renders a program of selected instrumental numbers that shortens the waits. Patrons have even let chances for seats go by for the moment to hear the completion of a particular selection on the piano.

Why Not "Lew?"

John Barrymore has a pedigreed Llewellyn setter which is his constant companion. The dog was christened Runi III, but his master calls him "Sam" for short.



THE PATTERSON TWINS, Flora and Alice, not Flora and Fauna, recently of the "Vanities," at the Earle this week in Eddie Hyman's "Earle Frolic."

OLD GLORIES REKINDLED IN MIGHTY FILM

Truly this is an age of miracles. Future ages are forecast for us and the past lives again. It is as if we stood on a mountain peak which enabled us to look forward into the future, and back into the glorious past.

In this glorious past, no single factor stands out more nobly than the history of the great ship "Constitution." To the four corners of the globe, and over the seven seas "Old Ironsides," as the great frigate was called, carried the young strength and budding fame of the new nation—the United States of America. Not for conquering wars did "Old Ironsides" loose her broadsides, but for wars to rid the world of evil and danger. Each cannon ball fired in the attack on tyranny struck its blow for new ideals of freedom and truth.

At Charleston Navy Yard in the quiet waters of Boston Harbor, the shattered hulk of the once glorious Old Ironsides rests in dignity. But through the magic of the motion picture this great ship lives again in all her beauty and strength! From keel to topmast she has been rebuilt, and rides the waves in action, as in the days of her glory.

Old Ironsides!

The ship is the inspiration of a great motion picture, reverently called after her name, "Old Ironsides." James Cruze, who directed that other saga of American courage and pioneer days, "The Covered Wagon," has again given the American nation cause for celebration. He directed "Old Ironsides" and has made of it a tremendous picture to inspire new faith in America.

The story told in "Old Ironsides," now showing at Crandall's Metropolitan, is a simple and dramatic one of young love and courage—the story of the "flapper" and the "sheik" of 1804, as it were.

Sharp Turn Ahead!

Hollywood has gone Ford. Movie stars who have been preening themselves in the higher priced limousines have allowed their affections to stray now toward the little sport coupes and roadsters put out by the laird of Dearborn, Mich. The peak was reached with the announcement that Emil Jannings and Wallace Beery, Paramount stars, had given up respectively a Mercedes and a Lincoln for the thrill of driving themselves back and forth in the new style flivver.

See You in Jail!

Replicas of several sections of the Cook County Jail, one of the most widely known prisons in the country, were erected for scenes in "Chicago," the screen version of the stage play which is the feature at the Rialto.

Virtually the entire quarters occupied by the women prisoners have been reproduced. They include a double tier of cells, with the adjacent reading and reception room, the dining room, interior of the lobby, and the actual lobby to the woman's section.

"Hold 'Em Yale."

Lawrence Grant, for years a noted stage player, has been made a member of the cast of "Hold 'Em Yale," Rod LaRocque's new starring picture.

MOTION PICTURE STUDIOS HAVE THEIR OWN JARGON

MOTION PICTURE studio workers speak a language of their own.

Visitors in Hollywood hear familiar English words used in queer connections which puzzles them, odd terms which convey nothing to their ears but which bring forth instant responses from those addressed.

Here are some of the words and phrases which are part of the "studio esperanto":

"This is the picture." This is a warning phrase used by Ernst Lubitsch, famous German director, to his players. It means the scene is about to be taken and rehearsals are over. The phrase warns everyone on the set that the utmost care is to be taken with every detail.

"Hold your hammers." This phrase echoes all over the studio when a director is ready to shoot a scene. Carpenters at work building new sets or wrecking old ones nearby know when they hear this call that absolute quiet must be preserved.

"Brains." This is the term used, sometimes derisively, for the scenarist.

"Here, brains, come here," is a phrase used by the director when he gets into trouble with a scene and wants a piece of business to make the thing go smoothly.

"Camera." The command given by the director to the cameraman to start turning the crank.

"Light 'em." The head electrician calls out this command to his gang of electricians and instantly the set is flooded with light as the Kleigs, spots, suns and floods pour their white brilliance forth from their steel barrels.

"Save 'em." The head electrician shouts "Save 'em" and the light fades. Thousands of dollars' worth of light can be saved on a single picture by the electrician who saves the odd minutes here and there.

"Cut." When the director has enough of any one scene, he shouts "Cut," and the camera stops turning. Until the players hear this word, they carry on in the spirit of the scene.

"Shake 'em all." This is a phrase used by the chief electrician just before the taking of an important shot. The man in charge of the main switch immediately shuts off the power and turns it on. This shakes the carbons in the arcs, sets them firmly in place and prevents flickering in the lights during the taking of a scene.

"Broads." A type of wide flood light.

"Break its neck." Lights are diffused by hanging white silk shades in front of them. When the camera man wants a little stronger light without its full power, he says "Break its neck." The man in charge of the light then hangs the silk from one corner of the light so that only half of the light is diffused.

"Too hot." This means that the lights are too strong and need diffusing.

"Spot 'em." Focus lights upon a certain spot, or a general turning on of lights so that the head electrician may light the set properly for good photography.

"Baby spot." A small type of spotlight used on the set.

"Silk." A square of white silk framed in wood used to hang over lights to diffuse them.

"Props." This is the nickname for the property boy who is responsible for every small article needed on the set, from matches to machine guns, roses to rags. "Props" are born, not made.

"Make him sweat." When a director wants a player to look as if he had been perspiring, "Props" is ready with an atomizer filled with glycerine. This is sprayed on the player with obvious result.

"The lot." This is the phrase used to denote the studio and stages where the main activity of a company is carried on. It is in contrast with—

"Location." This signifies any place outside the studio where a company is working.

"Hot Points." This is the warning given by the camera man when carrying his camera and heavy tripod. The sharp steel shod points of the tripod are dangerous weapons.

"Coming through." This is the warning used by workmen on the set when they are carrying any heavy article through a crowd.

"Grip." This is the term used to designate the strong arm men who do the heavy work on the set.

"Make a still" and "still man." Every scene of every production must be recorded with still pictures as well as motion pictures. The pictures used in magazines, theater lobbys, newspapers and general publicity are "stills."

"Stand in man" or "Stand in woman." This is something only recently introduced by Paramount. In order that the star may be spared some of the unnecessary grind of a hard day's work, "stand in men" were introduced. These men are chosen because of a general resemblance to the star in build and appearance, and they are dressed in similar costume. When the cameramen and electricians are arranging for the next scene, it is the stand in man who takes up the positions required. The camera is focussed and the lights are set. Then, when this preliminary work is done, the star has nothing to do but walk in and go through the difficult work of the scene. Formerly, before the introduction of stand in men, the star was frequently tired before the camera started to turn.

BRICK TOP GIRL BAND STAGE HIT

From out of the West has come a new sensation for music lovers and theatergoers. The "Parisian Redheads," a versatile organization of auburn-haired misses, are the stage attraction at the Fox Theater this week, presenting their unique and intimate revue, "What Girls Can Do."

With Bobbie Grice as mistress of ceremonies, the Redheads do more than merely play music, they furnish real entertainment.

Each girl is a soloist of note. When the Redheads were organized, it was only after careful selection of the best girl musicians from all parts of the country. Alice Miller, first trumpet player, is the highest salaried of her sex in the business. Judy Fay, banjoist, is another clever and high salaried artist, and Grace Browne, saxophonist and eccentric dancer, has headlined in vaudeville.

Beside those above mentioned there are Claudia Peck and Ruth Hutchinson, violinists; Gene Pierson and Margie Wheeler, saxophonists; Jerry Kemp, trumpet player; Dorothy King, trombone; Martha Trepeer, pianist; Mitzi Bush, drummer, and Odette, bass. The girls all play from two to three different instruments and are capable singers and dancers besides.

One year ago the "Parisian Redheads" were comparatively unknown. Today they are the outstanding girl musical organization of the country and are well known over the radio as well as popular recording artists.

LAUGHMAKER MADE LIKE A GREAT DRAMA

First National expects to inaugurate a new era in comedies with the release of "Vamping Venus," an important special production acted by Charlie Murray, Louise Fazenda, Thelma Todd, Russell Powell and others.

The picture, which deals with life in modern New York and in ancient Greece, will be one of the most spectacular films ever shown. While the comedy element predominates, this subject has been treated with the utmost seriousness in the production plans.

Some of the largest sets ever constructed form the background. Thousands of extra people were used in the big scenes. A cast second to none was chosen and the same care and attention were given to details as are usually bestowed upon dramatic specials.

It is the opinion of the production officials that a combination of spectacular and comedy elements makes an ideal foundation for a great picture. In addition to the regular cast, the Marion Morgan dances were engaged for the Grecian sequences and these graceful dancing girls add much to the artistic quality of the picture.

Scrapper Taken On.

Robert Perry, who was a famous lightweight boxer in the days of John L. Sullivan, has been added to the cast of Pathe's "Sin Town."

Mark's Brother Visits.

Sidney Gates, formerly an executive of Loew's, Inc., was a visitor to the Columbia, which his brother, Mark Gates, manages, the latter part of last week.



DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS on his way to the Columbia all done up as "The Gaucho," here depicted. Week of March 10, to be exact.

MUCH HERE ABOUT THE TENT SHOW

The sort of circus which forms the background of Charlie Chaplin's new comedy, "The Circus," now playing its third week at Loew's Columbia, is the intimate, one-ringed European type. It is as sharply contrasted with the physically expansive and splendiferous Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey shows of today as they are different from the American circus of Abraham Lincoln's time.

Of 1850 circuses, Robert E. Sherwood says in his new book, "Here We are Again."

"A circus troupe consisted of nine horses and seven men, a hurdy-gurdy, a clarinet and a bass drum. The performers traveled at night and put up their own tents. Expenses were not great as tavern keepers charged only 37½ cents per day per man, and there was neither license nor ground rent, to be paid and a single poster was enough to inform the town that the circus had arrived. In those rare, old days few performances were given at night except in larger cities and then candles illuminated the one ring."

According to Mr. Sherwood, the year of Lincoln's inauguration as President of the United States was an equally important year in the circus history, for in that year, Purdy, Welsh & Co., aimed at bigger and better shows.

Their circus boasted of 24 gray horses and their brass band numbered eight pieces. No longer did performers put up their own tents, for now "canvasmen" or "razorbacks" came into existence, assigned to such duties. The old-fashioned circus fence, futile in rainstorms, passed out in favor of a tent with a tall center pole, a frame near its top supporting candles employed for lighting purposes.

And then in the 70's came "The Greatest Show on Earth," exploited in a thousand wonderful ways by one Phineas Taylor Barnum. Circuses came into their own and sawdust showmen began to achieve a series of triumphs which are part of the natural evolution to Chaplin's "The Circus."

Three new comedies have been completed by Mack Sennett. Dalphne Pollard, Johnny Burke, Billy Bevan, Vernon Dent, Raymond McKee, Ruth Hiatt and Mary Ann Jackson play the leads.

SOME IDEAS CONCERNING FANCY DUDS

Costume balls, like holidays, have an extremely beneficial effect upon persons who participate in them, according to Dorothy Mackaill, featured with Jack Mulhall in "The Crystal Cup," the First National picture now showing at the Earle Theater.

"Holidays have a way of jerking us from routine habits, and give us a new perspective on life," says Miss Mackaill. "Costume balls have the same effect. All of us have secret longings to be like some one else, or to enact some role that has particularly fascinated us, and if we attend masquerade parties we get a chance actually to wear the things we've always desired, and we act with greater freedom than ordinarily."

Miss Mackaill pointed out that the complexities of modern civilization prevent many persons from daring to be individual in the matter of clothes. "We are so afraid we shall be laughed at that we do not dare express ourselves in our attire. This situation, I believe, is the result of thousands of persons huddling together in compact communities. If they did not need the society of others, did not fear public opinion, and had the courage to do as they wanted, the world's inhabitants would get much more joy out of life than at present."

So it seems that a woman who wears the pantalettes of our great grandmother or the abbreviated skirt of a ballet dancer at a costume ball, merely carries out her own fanciful ideas of how she thinks she looks best.

In "The Crystal Cup," a costume ball plays an important part in the Gertrude Atherton story. So we shall see!

Corinne Back Home.

Corinne Griffith, recently signed by First National Pictures to make eight stellar productions, starting with "The Divine Lady," visited the big plant last week and saw one of the newest additions thereto—her own bungalow dressing room.

The quaint structure is a mission-type building with all the comforts of home besides the most modern equipment for making up, &c.

Frank Lloyd, noted director of "The Sea Hawk" and many other famous pictures, will direct Miss Griffith in the first film, from E. Barrington's successful novel, which will be started in the very near future.

Talented Lina.

Lina Basquette used to sing and dance in the Follies. She's in the movies now, but she is still dancing and singing. The first important part the former Follies favorite landed after transferring her allegiance to the screen was the role of a dancing siren in "Serenade," which stars Adolphe Menjou and is now showing at the Earle Theater. In this she does just what she did on the stage, ballet dancing and singing. Miss Basquette, who, by the way, is really Mrs. Sam Warner, has never relinquished the strenuous ballet training that carried her to stardom in New York. In addition to being a finished dancer, she is also an expert fancy diver, swimmer and an equestrienne.

An Heroic Picture.

Three hundred Chinese pirates were killed and 150 captured in a recent attempt to perform a raid similar to those of the Barbary Corsairs, as pictured in "Old Ironsides," the spectacular photoplay now showing at Crandall's Metropolitan, according to a press dispatch from London. In "Old Ironsides" the heroic story of the frigate Constitution and its conquests against the corsairs of old Tripoli, one of the most thrilling scenes depicts the raiding of an American merchant ship by pirates of 1804.

ON THE WAY

Film Features Scheduled for the Week of March 10th.

COLUMBIA — Douglas Fairbanks in "The Gaucho."

METROPOLITAN—"The Legion of the Condemned."

PALACE—Joan Crawford in "Rose Marie."

EARLE—Richard Dix in "Sporting Goods."

FOX—Dolores Del Rio in "Gateway to the Moon."

RIALTO—Lya De Putti in "Buck Privates."

LITTLE—D. W. Griffith's "Broken Blossoms."

TULLY SELLS TWO STORIES TO MAKE ONE

Jim Tully, red-headed, two-fisted iconoclast, whose books are the vogue wherever novels are read, has sold to the Famous-Lasky Corporation the screen rights to his story, "Beggars of Life." Under the contract Tully also disposed of the screen rights to his play, "Outside Looking In," which closely parallels the novel. The book and the play will be combined in the screening, according to B. P. Schulberg, associate producer.

"Beggars of Life," is a gripping, sweeping, panorama of the pleasures and vicissitudes of those who tramp the highways and byways of the world. Into the moving, tragic theme of it, Tully has interwoven a pattern of lightness and love.

William Wellman, maker of "Wings," and "The Legion of the Condemned," will direct the story, and Richard Arlen and Louise Brooks have been tentatively selected to play the leading roles.

Benjamin Glazer has been assigned to do the adaptation and Tully's contract provides that he assist in an advisory capacity in the filming.

Production is expected to start within a month.

"Klondike" is the name of the canine cinema celebrity to be seen in a new series of Pathe features.

GET A SAW AND WRITE A PICTURE

Young authors ambitious to write for the screen should learn to write with a hammer, a pair of pliers,—anything but a typewriter, says Frank Conklin, head of the Christie scenario department.

"Literary training is so far from the sort of practical knowledge of picture-making that a screen writer must have. Conklin explains "that the beginner would learn more working as a carpenter, a property boy or an electrician on the set than any amount of writing away from the set could teach him."

Conklin learned about screen writing as an actor. He wanted to keep on with his acting, and when Al Christie put him under contract to write, Conklin insisted that his time should be divided between writing and acting.

Whenever he put on make-up, however, Christie would follow him about the studio shouting: "There goes a rotton actor, but a good scenario writer!"

So it was five years before Conklin really played a bit in comedy. It consisted of falling into a rain barrel. Since then he has stuck to writing and supervising writers.

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MUCH SAID IN FAVOR OF CONCERT PLAYING

Prejudices Are Outlined in Letters Sent In by Listeners.

Results of the vote on favorite radio programs will be made in next Sunday's Post. Although the compilation has not yet been completed, outstanding features of the canvass have been a decided setiment on the part of listeners heard from against jazz. On the other hand, much is being said in favor of the Damrosch and other concerts.

In fact, almost every one who cast a vote seemed to have some comment to make. It is hoped, for the information of the readers, the broadcasters, and the Federal Radio Commission, to eventually print all the comments that have been received.

Some of those who expressed themselves as against jazz were the following:

"Cut out jazz."—H. R. L.

"If jazz stuff could be kept from monopolizing the programs, I would buy a fairly costly receiving set, but if I have got to listen to the caterwauling of saxophones and the thump, thump of ukuleles, I have no wish to throw away my money."—E. C. P.

"We enjoy good music. No jazz."—A. D.

"I like best the symphonies, piano concerts, organ recitals and the instructive talks. I hate jazz." —(no name)

"This family happens to prefer only good music, Damrosch, Waldorf, and tunes in on nothing else, except unday services."—O.

"Too much jazz, and far too much Frederic William Wile."—J. P. McD.

"We would be very glad to see cut out * * * all poor and wobbly jazz orchestra or bands. People who love and appreciate good music are aim, nauseated by the nightly and constant jazz."—B. H. N.

"Give us any good music. I do not class jazz as music."—A. H. D.

"The ribald and jazz music is not worthy of broadcasting, our entire household agrees."—N. B. H.

"My family dislikes jazz, soprano singers, opera (grand or otherwise) and breaking into dinner music with advertising. And we very much dislike the static caused by WRHF, WTFF and others."—T. A. W.

"Too much jazz broadcast. Bringing back old light and comic operas by Philco is one of the outstanding features and most enjoyed."—R. U. S.

"To much jazz. Too many wisecracks by announcers. Who cares who the announcers are?"—G. W. H.

"(1) Curtail jazz. (2) Don't interrupt a good program with 'What's at the movies;' in fact, omit all 'direct' advertising. (3) Require announcers to tell plainly what is to come, instead of confusing listeners by concealing the title in some foolish 'story.' (4) Curtail speeches. (5) Stress high-class music."—H. B.

"Too much music is being broadcast, especially jazz and the blues."—C. L. G.

"Please register a vote from my family against jazz."—C. E. C.

"Please limit the jazz. To be sure, there is a demand, but such taste seems depraved, and should not be cultivated. There is enough of it without broadcasting it."—J. M. C.

"Cut out jazz. Cut out "popular" trash. I've heard more than enough Victor Herbert to last all my life. Spare us."—A. N. McG.

"I like good dance music, but not jazz."—R. C. A.

"We do not listen to jazz."—P. W. W.

"I do not care for jazz."—E. B. B.

"Please go light on jazz, tooth paste, cough drops, &c., and give us good music and lectures or talks. Let us have programs like General Motors, Everready Hour, &c., where some fine singer or prominent person takes part."—M. L. C.

"Do not care for jazz unless well played."—K. H.

"No jazz but the best, and not too much of that."—E. A. W.

"Am sick of jazz."—L. B. H.

Some of the more general comment follows:

"Why is it that we get no real music from local stations? We have classic music that all sounds the same. We have barytones that sound like a lot of bulls bellowing, and sopranos we do not know if they are singing in English or Latin. Ask WRC to hook up with WLS Saturday nights so that radio fans with small sets can get a real program."—(No name.)

"It is surely tiresome to tune in on a dozen different stations and find they are all dance music. They are surely tiresome."—W. E. H.

"To sit and listen to a lot of foxtrots, &c., makes it tiresome and disgusting. No pleasure in it. Operas, not in English, not wanted. Why not announce WCBD?"—C. A. O.

"Slumber music from WJZ would be a fine addition over WRC. I like everything the NBC sends over WRC, and think Phillip Carlin should be put back as announcer for the troubadours. It is surely flat in that respect without him."—(No name.)

"The higher grades of music are the ones preferred by my family."—H. J. G.

Send in Radio Votes On Programs, Urged

Listeners have another opportunity to register their approval or disapproval of current radio programs. By filling out the ballot on this page you may be a deciding factor in what will be heard in the future. Be sure to add your comment.

Radio program directors are desirous of giving the public what it wants and this affords you the chance to voice your preference. Cut out and mail the ballot to The Post today.

OFF THE ANTENNA

By ROBERT D. HEINL.

As if to put a benediction upon the many protests The Post has received against too much jazz in radio programs there came to us letters from two clergymen who also favored us with additional observations which we believe will be of interest to listeners.

The first letter was from the Rev. Percy Foster Hall, who, writing from St. Paul's Rectory, Alexandria, said:

"We would like less jazz in general. We like the Wagnerian programs especially. Damrosch's talks on 'Siegfried' and 'The Meistersinger' were superb. We heartily approve the Sunday programs—sermons and good music."

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The second letter came from the Rev. James A. Geary, of Catholic University, who wrote:

"Jazz is altogether too prominent in the programs of many stations, including WRC. A worse evil is the intermingling of jazz with an otherwise enjoyable program. The Capitol Theater programs have been spoiled in this way since last fall. Roxy's programs are spoiled by too much striving after mass effect; the orchestra and chorus are too large; loud speakers are overburdened unless one uses the strongest of power tubes.

"The Troubadours would not be missed if eliminated. WRC's nightly jazz hour or half-hour simply prevents Washingtonians from trynig for KFI; I doubt if distant listeners appreciate WRC's jazz—they probably have too much already from their local stations."

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Evidently Father Geary is a technical expert as well as a critical listener, for he went on to say:

"But on the whole, programs have improved in the last year. The most serious evil is still the regenerative receiver, which, when pushed to the limit, radiates whatever it picks up, which includes not only programs but also static, code, other neighbors' squeals, the crackles due to electrically ignited oil-burners, hospital apparatus and defective street-lighting systems."

However Father Geary couldn't resist the temptation to take a final rap at jazz, for he added the following postscript:

"I agree with 'ELL' in The Post of Sunday, February 19, but I would rather hear the 'Hymn to the Sun' and 'Song of India' ten times a day than a half-hour of jazz."

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Although Senator Royal S. Copeland, of New York, has declined to comment on it one way or another, it is reported upon good authority that he is receiving $350 a week for his morning health hour radio talks recently instituted through WRC. If this is true, it would total close to $20,000 a year or nearly twice his salary as a United States senator.

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Recently KDKA broadcast the final communications this season for isolated outposts of far northern Canada. Persons who tuned in on the Pittsburgh station that night had the sensation of the old time listener-in on telephone conversations via "party lines."

Tom, very likely a member of the Northwest Mounted Police, probably a husky lad of 6 feet or so, was told to be sure to remember to take his hot-water bottle to bed with him; Jack, apparently a trapper, received the advance information that his two sweethearts in Manitoba were sending him a joint valentine, and Bill, a fur trader, was informed of the news of a death in his family.

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A program heard here each Wednesday night costs $3,000 a week. This is the National Grand Opera Company hour. When it was first broadcast an official looked at the bill and asked, "What is the response?" He was told that not one letter commenting upon the program had been received.

Following his suggestion the hour was cut off the next week and another program was substituted. Within a few minutes after the substitute went on the air the telephone began to ring and people began to ask what had happened to the opera. A total of more than 800 telephone calls of this nature came in during the night. A week later the $3,000 hour was put back on the air again.

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Sfill another radio booking agency. Arthur Judson in addition to his other activities has decided to take a flier into this new field of endeavor.

Among the stars he hopes regularly to add to the radio program, at so much per, of course, are Mable Garrison, Sophie Braslau, Giovanni Martinelli, Feodor Chaliapin, Alfred Cortot, Rudolph Ganz and Efrem Zimbalist. Also Hans Kindler, Carlos Salzedo and orchestras and instrumental combinations drawn from the ranks of the New York Philharmonic, the Philadelphia and Cincinnati Symphony Orchestras.

RADIO PROGRAMS

SUNDAY, MARCH 4.

WTFF—The Fellowship Forum
202.6 Meters. .1,470 Kilocycles.)
7 p. m.—Fairfax male quartet.
7:15 p. m.—Fairfax women's choir.
7:30 p. m.—William Moore, vesper hour.
7:45 p. m.—Trombonist.
8 p. m.—Mr. Godfrey-hymns.
8:15 p. m.—The Little Village Church.
8:45 p. m.—International Sunday School lesson, "The Meaning of the Bread-Making Miracle."
9:15 p. m.—Epworth League Choir—Metropolitan M. E. Church.

WRC—Radio Corporation of America
(469 Meters, 640 Kilocycles.)
11 a. m.—Service from First Presbyterian Church.
1 p. m.—An hour of chamber music with Katherine Palmer, soprano.
2 p. m.—The Roxy Stroll.
3 p. m.—Young peoples' conference.
4 p. m.—Service from Bethlehem Chapel, Washington Cathedral.
5-5:03 p. m.—Motion picture guide.
5:30 p. m.—The acousticon hour.
6 p. m.—National Symphony Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Cook's travelogue.
7 p. m.—Frances Paperte, mezzo-soprano.
7:20 p. m.—Musical program from the Capitol Theater, New York.
9 p. m.—"Our Government" by David Lawrence.
9:15 p. m.—Correct time.
9:15 p. m.—Frances Alda, soprano.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical Drama "Samson and Delilah."
10:45 p. m.—U. S. weather forecast.

WRHF—American Broadcasting Co.
(322 Meters. 930 Kilocycles.)
5:30 p. m.—International Bible Students Association.
6 p. m.—Sacred song service.

NAA—Arlington
(435 Meters, 690 Kilocycles.)
3:30 p. m.—Curtis String Quartet from auditorium of Library of Congress.

DISTANT STATIONS.
(Associated Press.)
Programs in Eastern Standard time.

WEAF—New York
(491.5 Meters, 610 Kilocycles.)
1 p. m.—Chamber music.
2 p. m.—Church services.
3 p. m.—Young People's Conference.
4 p. m.—Men's Conference.
5:30 p. m.—Acousticon hour.
6 p. m.—National Symphony Orchestra.
7 p. m.—Frances Paperte.
7:20 p. m.—Capitol Theater Family.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical drama.

WJZ—New York
(454.3 Meters, 660 Kilocycles.)
9 a. m.—Children's hour.
1 p. m.—Gold Strand Group.
2 p. m.—Roxy stroll.
3 p. m.—Ensemble.
5:30 p. m.—National religious services.
6:30 p. m.—Cook's travelogue.
7 p. m.—Aeolian organ music.
7:30 p. m.—String music.
8:15 p. m.—Collier hour.
9:15 p. m.—Musical programs.
9:45 p. m.—Jubilee Singers.
10:15 p. m.—Don Amaizo.

WOR—Newark
(422.3 Meters, 710 Kilocycles.)
7:45 p. m.—Musicale; song discourses.
9 p. m.—Effervescent hour.
9:30 p. m.—At home with the masters.
10 p. m.—Cathedral hour.

WPG—Atlantic City
272.6 Meters, 1,100 Kilocycles.)
9:10 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
10 p. m.—Sunday evening musicale.

WBAL—Baltimore
(285.5 Meters., 1,050 Kilocycles.)
5:30 p. m.—National Religious Services.
6:30 p. m.—Cook Travelogue.
7 p. m.—WBAL concert.
8 p. m.—"The Crucifixion."

WABC—New York
(309.1 Meters, 970 Kilocycles.)
7 p. m.—Barclay Orchestra.
8 p. m.—People's service.
9 p. m.—Musical melange.
9:30 p. m.—ARAC hour.
10:30 p. m.—Heigh Ho hour.

WGBS—New York
(348.6 Meters, 860 Kilocycles.)
9:15 p. m.—Streets of Cairo.

WHN—New York
(394.5 Meters, 760 Kilocycles.)
7 p. m.—Kenn's Ensemble.
10:10 p. m.—American Celebrity hour.

WMCA—New York
(270.2 Meters, 810 Kilocycles.)
7 p. m.—McAlpiners.
9:15 p. m.—Various features.

WCAU—Philadelphia
(260.7 Meters, 1,150 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—One Hour Andy.
8 p. m.—Nimble Thimble Boys.
8:30 p. m.—Ensemble.
9 p. m.—WOR program (two hours).

WFI-WLJT—Philadelphia
(405.2 Meters 740 Kilocycles.)
8:30 p. m.—Concert hour.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical drama.

KDKA—Pittsburgh
(315.6 Meters, 950 Kilocycles.)
11 a. m.—Church services.
6:15 p. m.—Little Symphony.
7 p. m.—Church services.
8:15 p. m.—Collier hour.
9:15 p. m.—WJZ program.

WHAM—Rochester
(280.2 Meters, 1,070 Kilocycles.)
7:35 p. m.—Eastman Theater Hour.
9:45 p. m.—Utica Jubilee Singers.

WGY—Schenectady
(379.5 Meters, 790 Kilocycles.)
11 a. m.—Church Services.
5:30 p. m.—Acousticon hour.
6 p. m.—Stetson parade.
7 p. m.—Musical program.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical drama.

WJAR—Providence
(305.9 Meters, 980 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—Ensemble.
8:30 p. m.—Church services.

WJAX—Jacksonville.
340.7 Meters, 880 Kilocycles.)
8 p. m.—Church services.

WHAS Louisville
(322.4 Meters. 930 Kilocycles.)
7:20 p. m.—Capitol Theater Family.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.

WSM Nashville
(336.9 Meters. 890 Kilocycles.)
7:20 p. m.—Capitol Theater Family.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.

CENTRAL.

KYW—Chicago.
(526 Meters, 570 Kilocycles.)
8:15 p. m.—Collier hour.
9:17 p. m.—Father Pernin; Home Folks.

WEBH-WJJD—Chicago.
(365.6 Meters, 820 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—Dinner musicale.
8:30 p. m.—Studio programs.

WGN-WLIB—Chicago.
(416.4 Meters, 720 Kilocycles.)
10:15 p. m.—Music room.
12 p. m.—Midnight Mardi Gras.

WLW—Cincinnati.
(428.3 Meters, 700 Kilocycles.)
7:15 p. m.—Church services.
8:15 p. m.—Collier hour.
9:15 p. m.—Bandbox hour.

WSAI Cincinnati
(361.2 Meters. 830 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—Hymn time.
8:15 p. m.—String quartet.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical drama.

WTAM—Cleveland
(399.8 Meters, 750 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—Ensemble.
9:15 p. m.—Atwater Kent hour.
10:15 p. m.—Biblical drama.

WCX-WJR Detroit
(440.9 Meters. 680 Kilocycles.)
7:30 p. m.—Radio Vespers.
8:15 p. m.—Collier hour.
9:30 p. m.—Same as WJZ.
10 p. m.—Happy half hour.

WESTERN.

KOA—Denver
(352.9 Meters, 920 Kilocycles.)
10 p. m.—Church services.

KFI—Los Angeles
(468.5 Meters, 640 Kilocycles.)
12 p. m.—Don Amaizo.
1 a. m.—Orchestra.

KGO—Oakland
(384.4 Meters, 780 Kilocycles.)
12 p. m.—Don Amaizo
12:30 a. m.—Moon Magic.

THE RADIO EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: A word to the "Solicitous Parent," who had such a good word for Pollyanna "Cheerio." As a matter of fact, "Cheerio" is not intended for small boys, whether they be "goody-goody" or "all boy." Why can't some people, if they can't appreciate a certain thing, leave it in peace for some others to enjoy? I'll wager that if these wisecrackers about "Cheerio" were shut-ins they would learn to listen eagerly to those few minutes of good will and cheer sent upon the ether each morning. Anyway, let the small boys listen in on a football game and leave the Cheerio exchange for those who can appreciate a good thing. More power to "Cheerio," and his followers are going to be right with him. ANON.
February 19, 1928.

The Unfinished Symphony.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: In your valuable columns I have failed to note any comment on the new form of musical composition and improvisation which the radio has introduced into millions of American homes. I refer to the fact that those with multi-tube sets and power speakers, which give them raucous distance, have begun to use their dials much as a pianist or organist uses the keyboard when he is improvising as he musically muses along.

Last night I visited a friend who, by keeping his dial always in motion, produced an entirely new form of music—a snatch of symphony merging instantly into jazz, which jumped into chamber music (just a phrase) and embodied minute solos (just a note or two) from sopranos, tenors and bassos, added a touch of saxophone blending with a harmonica, while throughout static supplied an unceasing and glorious tymparum as from 1,278 gigantic drums. Hetrodyne whistles, a little bit of college cheering, some recitative from a dozen local orators and what seemed to be parts of the locomotive symphony—all were mingled entrancingly with the marked slamming of bedroom doors from time to time from upper floors and an occasional cymbaling on the radiator pipes.

It was indeed a modern "Unfinished Symphony," such as is being composed nightly in hundreds of thousands of homes by dialers who heretofore had no thought of musical authorship.

The effect on the stand-byer is very interesting. One feels as if he had been sprayed with assorted music, much as one is sprayed with perfume from an atomizer.

In the case of my particular improvisor, the symphony he was composing was indeed "unfinished." For, having injected a few clarion notes from what seemed to be a calliope in winter circus quarters at Bridgeport, he tried to end his two-hour effort with a compelling high note from KFI, but KFI, alas, was mute! Please give these modern Schuberts your editorial encouragement.
February 15, 1928. G. W. W.

Really!

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: It should be interesting to you to know that the ordinary radio magazines and the more ambitious radio newspaper departments, like that of the New York Sunday Herald Tribune, interest me so little that I seldom read them. For one thing, they are too technical.

I certainly congratulate you on the radio page in The Washington Sunday Post, for that is real human interest stuff, written so that the owner of an ordinary receiving set can understand it. R. C. P.
February 24, 1928.

Another DX Champion.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: I was more than pleased to read in The Post the wonderful DX receptions of Hal H. Smith. I have kept a radio log since December 6, 1922, and have up to this date logged 263 stations in the United States and 28 foreign stations, 20 stations in Canada, 3 in Mexico City, Mexico, 2 in Cuba, 1 in Porto Rico, 1 in Haiti, 1 in Great Britain. My list of stations in Canada runs from CHBC, Calgary, Alberta, to CNRA, Moncton, New Brunswick. The United States from WCSH, Portland, Me., to the Great Lakes to New Orleans to Los Angeles, Calif. From CZE, Mexico City, to HHK, Port au Prince, Haiti, to WKAQ, San Juan, Porto Rico, to PWX, Havana, Cuba. From Washington, D. C., to 2BD, Aberdeen, Great Britain.

The greatest number of stations logged in one night was on December 4, 1926, when I pulled in 39 stations outside of Washington, D. C. The list reads as follows: WGCP, WDBJ, WOK, WAAT, WORD, WJAX, WLS, KRLD, PWX, KDKA, WDAF, WEBH, WRNY, CYJ, WCCO, WSB, WKRC, WOR, WGY, CHIC, WGN, WJJD, WSWS, WSM, WREO, WSOE, WSAI, WAHG, WJAZ, WLIB WSMB, KFAB, WFAA, WJR, WQJ, WBBM, WNOX, WSBC, KFI.

I have 78 verifications. Will give a few I have on stations 1,000 or more miles from Washington, D. C.: CHBC, Calgary, Canada; PWX, Havana, Cuba; 6KW, Tuenucu, Cuba; KFKX, Hastings, Nebr., WKAQ, San Juan, Porto Rico; WBAP, Fort Worth, Tex.; WFAA, Dallas, Tex.; KFDM, Beaumont, Tex.; WOAI, San Antonio, Tex.; KPRC, Houston, Tex.; KOA, Denver, Col.; KGO, Oakland, Calif.; KNX, Los Angeles; KFI, Los Angeles, Calif.; CZE, Mexico City, Mexico; HHK, Port au Prince, Haiti; 2BD, Aberdeen, Great Britain. This last one was verified for me by the international radio broadcasting test held under the auspices of Radio Broadcast Magazine on November 24, 1924. E. G. BERQUIST.
February 27, 1928

Would Have More Addresses.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: Personally, I would like to see more educational programs, but I realize that they don't go over big. I do think that an extra talk on Government should be crammed down their necks whether they like it or not. The training of our youth, especially in civics, is limited and insufficient.

I think local stations might consider broadcasting more of the programs incidental to banquets and dinners at which men of prominence deliver instructive addresses touching many phases of our governmental, industrial and commercial life. Frankly, I feel that the usual programs rom WRC are well worth while, but suc can't be said for other local stations. Station WMAL did a fine piece of work in putting on the Jackson Day dinner, and some of the other features are O. K., but WRHF should be "canned." T. H. McK.
Feb. 28, 1928.

A Word for WRHF.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: I have no idea who owns or runs Station WRHF, but the time and type of their programs suit me. Canned music frequently is superior to local station amateurs or good chain programs too frequently presented. A change helps. DX and E. S. should have radios that will turn out other local stations and get what they want. I do. Jazz is quite equal on all the local stations and is no more tiresome than chain programs, but, taking it all in all, there usually is a program somewhere in the air for every one if they will only locate it.

Some very fine music comes from WRHF, even though it is from records. The artists usually are of the best, or the manufacturers would not have them. Radio often gives quantity at the expense of quality. When they have nothing to offer they should be silent. Then, too, all of us can not take too much classical stuff just yet; at least, we should be fed small doses for the first 50 years. It seems almost every chain program has some great artist singing in the higher realms, meaningless to most of us. If amateurs attempt it, and they do, it makes for quite a sufficiency of this class of entertainment and makes it quite refreshing to have some good canned old-time music from WRHF. F. H. H.
Feb. 26. 1928.

Good Music and Jazz.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: Good music comes from source divine
A heavenly influence bringing;
Contributes toward a joyous life
And fills the heart with singing.
It soothes the nerves and calms the mind,
Gives restfulness when weary;
When lonesome, music helps to pass
Those dragging moments dreary.
Makes nobler nature spring to fore
An influence refining.
An inspiration to the youth
Or those in years declining.
Conducive to morals good,
To clean and wholesome living.
What vastly different result
The modern jazz is giving!

What class shall we ascribe to jazz?
It is not music surely,
It seems to come from underneath
Satanic sources purely;
It sounds much like the great pow-wow
Of warriors bent on murder;
A seesaw rasping bit of sound
Which makes one cringe and shudder
A bedlam noise with beastly calls,
A crash and noisy riot;
There is no melody of sound
That one may profit by it.
What humans need is not loud noise
To raise demoniac feeling,
But something that lifts heavenward
While to their hearts appealing.
Feb. 22. A. D.

Doesn't It?

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: WRC should observe the 11 p. m. closing time as directed by the Radio Commission. C. E. C.
Feb. 28.

Wants Noon Time Signals.

To the Radio Editor of The Post—Sir: In the program of WRC February 22, there was a feature whose rendition I did not like, and that dislike was very decided! This number was the half-hour, from 5:30 to 6 p. m., played by the Lotus Orchestra. I thought it was played entirely too loud, almost uncomfortably so—perhaps I would not call the program jazzy, as I think it included the Washington Post March, but it was all too loud, a very great contrast to the Waldorf-Astoria Orchestra programs that followed. The latter orchestra's programs and style of rendition are what I enjoy most of all the various offerings that come by radio. Of course, there are many good things, but I think the work of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Orchestra holds about the highest steady average of excellence.

I hope WRC has not quit the distribution of the 11:55 a. m., Arlington time signals. It has neither advertised nor distributed them since February 11. I am afraid they have quit, and this time signal feature is one of the principal things for which I put in my radio receiving set. I have written WRC begging them to resume the signals, but I'm afraid my letters do not carry any weight. If you have any influence with them, I wish you would use it in favor of inducing them to resume the distribution of these signals. H. M. P.
February 23, 1928.

Progress Shown by N. B. C. Held Due to Aylesworth

When Merlin H. Aylesworth remarked in the Capital recently that the National Broadcasting Co. had lost $500,000 during its first year and he didn't know whether it would ever break even, the casual observer might have thought Owen D. Young, chairman of the General Electric Co., was a poor picker when he personally selected Aylesworth to head the great broadcasting enterprise.

It apparently is one of those times when figures are not a barometer of success, for notwithstanding this loss, the first year of the National Broadcasting Co., has been one of the most spectacular and expansive of any new public service corporation—if it may be correctly termed that—organized in recent times. And the man who put the N. B. C. on the map in record time, despite the fact that up to a year or two ago he had hardly ever looked at a radio—is the fast-moving Aylesworth.

So it appears that Owen Young didn't miss it so much after all. And maybe those interested will not be out much money in the long run, for in mentioning the aforesaid first year's loss, Mr. Aylesworth added:

"The question arises, then, who pays for broadcasting. Where does it come from? The National Broadcasting Co. is owned by the Westinghouse and General Electric Companies and the Radio Corporation of America—three concerns manufacturing tubes and radio sets.

"We all know very well that these companies can't very well sell tubes and sets unless there are good radio programs to be heard."

To begin with, Merlin Aylesworth having learned a thing or two as managing director of the National Electric Light Association, is a good politician and pretty much at home in Washington.

Aylesworth's progressive attitude and personal contact in widely broadcasting the President's speeches, notably the one from Havana, wherein it is understood the N. B. C. lost quite a chunk of money, Secertary Hoover's flood relief talks from Memphis and other public-spirited undertakings have occasioned much favorable comment. He has evidently chosen a wise course in these matters, and one that has made him many friends.

In writing of Merlin Aylesworth there is always the temptation to compare him to Will Hayes, for he moves at about the same speed; is not large in stature, but instead of being a native of Indiana is from Iowa. Youngish looking—he is 42 years old—always freshly barbered and quick spoken, he has that way of inviting everybody he meets to come to see him "if they ever get to New York."

But like those responding to the invitations to luncheon of the famous old statesmen in Washington who used to forget to set the time and the place, let any one try to find Aylesworth in New York.

Aylesworth is a rapid-fire speaker and punctuates his remarks liberally with such anecdotes as this:

"One time I was talking to a very famous singer and asked her how much she would charge to sing for us. She said that she received $3,000 for an audience of 2,000 at Carnegie Hall in New York, and as I had told her that the radio audience would be about 30,000,000 persons, I could figure it out for myself."

FAVORITE FEATURE REMINDER

	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	8:30 p. m.	9 p. m.	9:30 p. m.	10 p. m.
Sunday...	Capitol Theater			Frances Alda Soprano		Biblical Drama
Monday...			A & P. Gypsies		General Motors Family Party	
Tuesday..	Voter's Service	Selberling Singers	Sealy Air Weavers	Eveready Hour		Auction Bridge Game
Wednesday		W., B. & A. Hour	P. E. P. Co. Orchestra	Ipana Troubadours		National Grand Opera Company
Thursday.	Marine Band	Dodge Bros Hour	Hoover Sentinels			Smith Brothers
Friday....		Cities Service Orchestra		Anglo-Persians		Palmolive Hour
Saturday..		R. C. A. Hour		Philco Hour		Wardman Park Orchestra

ON THE AIR THIS WEEK

THE regular Sunday morning church service will be broadcast by Station WRC at 11 o'clock from the First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. N. P. Patterson, pastor, will preach the sermon.

The Rev. Daniel A. Poling has selected the topic, "A Man's Fight," for his talk this afternoon before the Young People's Conference at 3 o'clock. This broadcast is followed by the service from Bethlehem Chapel of the Washington Cathedral, during which the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, will speak.

The concert of the Curtis String Quartet, of Philadelphia, will be broadcast from the Congressional Library Auditorium by Station NAA at 3:30 o'clock.

"Onlookers in Religion" will be the subject of an address by the Rev. S. Parkes Cadman during the men's conference of the Bedford Branch Y. M. C. A., Brooklyn, N. Y., at 4 o'clock, from Station WEAF. An elaborate musical program will be presented by a vocal and instrumental quartet.

The Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick will discuss his philosophy of life during the national religious service from Station WJZ at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Two of John Philip Sousa's marches will be heard over the air during the Acousticon Hour at 5:30 this afternoon. These are "The Washington Post" march and "Pan Americana." "The Song to the Evening Star" will be played as a cello solo during this program, and the quartet will be heard in a medley of Ernest R. Ball ballads.

Two world-famed artists of the vocal and instrumental realm, Mme. Frances Alda, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Frank LaForge, pianist-composer, will participate in a joint recital at 9:15 o'clock tonight.

Among the prima donnas who are preeminent today few have attained greater popularity and success than Frances Alda. Mme. Alda was born in Christchurch, New Zealand. When she was very young she was sent to Paris for the purpose of acquiring a thorough education and musical training. Mme. Alda's metropolitan debut was as Gilda in "Rigoletto," in which she created a decided impression.

Frank LaForge, coartist of the evening, first studied with his sister, Ruth LaForge Hall, a gifted pianist, who guided him until he was 17. Following this came four years of study with Wild in Chicago and four with Leschetizky in Vienna. He has made tours with Mme. Alda, Matzenauer and Schumann-Heink. He is the composer of many songs and piano composition.

Florence Easton, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will be the guest artist in the General Motors family party at 9:30 o'clock Monday night.

Representative John Q. Tilson, Republican, of Connecticut, and Representative Finis J. Garrett, Democrat, of Tennessee, will be guest speakers in the Voter's Service program Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

A series of nontechnical talks on "Fundamentals of the Law" by a number of the most prominent lawyers in the country will be broadcast each Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock beginning this week. These talks, which are being arranged for by the Bar Association of the City of New York, will be readily understandable by the general public. The speakers will include such national figures as Charles E. Hughes, John W. Davis, George W. Wickersham and James M. Beck.

Tamaki Miura, Japanese soprano, formerly of the Chicago Civic Opera Company and the San Carlo Opera Company, will sing the title role in "Namiko San," performed by the National Grand Opera Company on Wednesday night.

The New York Symphony Orchestra, with Walter Damrosch conducting, will again be heard at 8 o'clock Saturday evening. The overture to Richard Wagner's "Rienzi" will be included. An hour later the same evening the Philco Hour will present Franz Lehar's "Gypsy Love," with Jessica Dragonette, soprano, in the leading role.

Universal Wireless Files for Station

In addition to the more than 100 others already on file, application has been filed with the Federal Radio Commission by the so-called Universal Wireless Communication Co., Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., for short wave lengths. The company claims that it is now in process of organization and that it intends to erect 26 stations immediately.

The new company states that it will inaugurate point-to-point service and that its stations will be erected from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from Canada to Mexico. Stations will be located the company states, in all of the principal cities of the United States. The station is asking for a wave length anywhere from 16 to 150 meters.

Short Waves

Because of engine ignition, wind and other noises to be contended with in airplanes, Navy land radio operators have been cautioned against using excessive speed when wirelessing aircraft.

The U. S. Marine Corps station at Port au Prince, Haiti, so frequently heard in the United States, is on the same wave length as WSAI at Cincinnati, 361.2 meters, 830 kilocycles.

About 100 stations have had special hearings before the Federal Radio Commission in a period of ten months.

In an effort to develop a cultured and characteristic use of words in announcing, without mechanical standardization, there is an advisory committee in England, presided over by Dr. Robert Bridges, the poet laureate, and numbering among its members George Bernard Shaw and Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson.

Composers to Meet.

Several matters pertaining to radio broadcasting in its relation to copyrights are expected to come up at the annual meeting of the American Society of Composers which will be held in New York City Thursday, March 29.

Savants to Test Crystal Appliance

The chief operator of Station WTIC, at Hartford, Conn., has brought to Washington the crystal and its attendant circuit and temperature control appliance for measurement with those of Station WHO, at Des Moines, Iowa.

The measurements that are to be made by the Bureau of Standards are part of experimentation which Station WTIC has been conducting for a number of months with the purpose in mind of trying to eliminate, if possible, heterodyning with Station WHO at Des Moines, which operates on the some frequency as Station WTIC.

PAST WEEK CALLED MOST PRECARIOUS FOR FEDERAL BOARD

Storm Brought Down on Commissioners by O. H. Caldwell's Attack.

SENATOR DILL ACCUSES THE GROUP OF INACTION

Eastern Zone Man's Criticism Is Arrogance, Says Representative Davis.

Of all the periods in the life of the Federal Radio Commission last week was one of the most precarious. That unfortunate body has been in difficulties since its inception, but a new storm was brought down upon their heads as a result of an unexpected attack Federal Radio Commissioner O. H. Caldwell, representing the Eastern zone, made upon Congress.

Mr. Caldwell pictured a gloomy likelihood of the scrapping of the entire broadcasting of the country if a proposed clause were inserted in the pending radio bill to divide the stations, wave lengths and power up equally among the five zones.

He added that the radio listeners have had little so far at the hands of their representatives in Washington, and that after a year of the commission and three months of the present session of Congress, the commission was still without a quorum confirmed by the Senate.

Declare Criticism Unnecessary.

The point was immediately raised by Mr. Caldwell's critics that, in his position, it would have been a hazardous enough thing for him to attack the amendment now when concerted and speedy legislative action is necessary—inasmuch as if the bill is not passed by March 15 the life of the commission will virtually expire, and it will then become an appellate body—but why this particular time to start a war on Congress?

Especially so, they argued, if it might result in embarrassing Secretary Hoover, a presidential candidate, by obliging him to take over on March 15 such a controversial thing as radio. Likewise any additional delay at this time might cause further embarrassment to President Coolidge, who would like to get his nominees for the commission confirmed.

One of the first persons on the Hill to counter on Caldwell's criticism of Congress was Senator Dill (Democrat), of Washington, coauthor of the present radio act. He deftly passed the buck for any inaction back to the Radio Commission.

Handled Without Gloves.

"The Radio Commission sit down and refuse to do anything," Senator Dill declared vigorously.

"I don't know whether they lack ability or whether they are just plain cowards, but I do know they are not earning their salt as radio commissioners when they allow the condition to continue that prevails with respect to radio broadcasting in this country."

Terming Commissioner Caldwell's criticism as arrogance, pure and simple, Representative Ewin L. Davis (Democrat), of Tennessee, credited with drafting the provision which caused all the excitement, said:

"Mr. Caldwell complains that the Senate has not confirmed members of the Radio Commission. He is more responsible for that situation than anybody else. It remains to be seen whether Mr. Caldwell and those for whom he is speaking and for whom he has been acting will be able to arrogantly dictate to Congress its policies."

The final shot at Congress, however, came from L. S. Baker, managing director of the National Broadcasters Association, who declared:

"If the congressional committee which is responsible for this remarkable equal division of stations, wave lengths and power provision, it being nothing less than a legislative brainstorm, refuses to reconsider and throw out of its report this impossible thing before it goes to a vote the millions of listeners can place the responsibility directly upon the shoulders of the men comprising this committee."

It is understood Baker also sent out an S O S to the broadcasters of the country to join in the melee.

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NEWS OF FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

MASONIC

Tomorrow—Potomac, No. 5; Benjamin B French, No. 15, business and entertainment; Anacostia, No. 21; Pentalpha, No. 23, Mount Pleasant, No. 33; Albert Pike, No. 36 ladies' night.
Tuesday—National, No. 12; Arminius, No. 25, Myron M. Parker, No. 27, F. C.; King David No. 28.
Wednesday—Washington Centennial, No. 14; Osiris, No. 26; King Solomon, No. 31; East Gate, No. 34; Theodore Roosevelt, No. 44, social.
Thursday—The New Jerusalem, No. 9; George C. Whiting, No. 22; Temple-Noyes, No. 32; Cathedral, No. 40.
Friday—St. John's, No. 11; Hope, No. 20.

ROYAL ARCH CHAPTERS.

Tomorrow—Petworth, No. 16.
Tuesday—Lafayette, No. 5.
Wednesday—Columbia, No. 1; Brightwood, No. 9.
Thursday—Washington, No. 2; William R Singleton, No. 14.
Friday—Eureka, No. 4; Capitol, No. 11; Mount Pleasant, No. 13.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR COMMANDERIES.

Tomorrow—Orient, No. 5.
Tuesday—Brightwood, No. 6.
Wednesday—Potomac, No. 3.

SCOTTISH RITE.

Tuesday—Mithras Lodge of Perfection, fourteenth degree.

EASTERN STAR CHAPTERS.

Monday—Ruth, No. 1; St. John's Lodge No. 18; Congress Lodge, No. 35.
Tuesday—Mizpah, No. 8; Acacia, No. 28; Gavel, No. 29.
Wednesday—Areme, No. 10; Joppa, No. 27; Loyalty, No. 32.
Thursday—William F. Hunt, No. 16; Federal, No. 38.
Friday—Takoma, No. 12; Unity, No. 22; Good Will, No. 36.
Saturday—Lafayette Lodge, No. 37.

MASONIC NOTES.

The stated communication of Benjamin B. French Lodge, No. 15, tomorrow evening will be given over to a short business session, followed by an entertainment and refreshments. Junior Warden Benjamin A. Harlan is in charge of the program.

The past masters of Albert Pike Lodge, No. 36, have been appointed a committee to arrange for a ladies' night to be held tomorrow evening. An attractive program is promised.

Theodore Roosevelt Lodge, No. 44, announces there will be no degree work at its communication next Wednesday evening. Instead there will be a social.

Milton D. Smith, master of Congress Lodge, No. 37, announces that at the meeting of the lodge on Thursday evening, March 15, it will have as its guest the Hon. Royal S. Copeland, senator from New York and a member of the Senate District committee. Senator Copeland is a member of Bay City Masonic Lodge, of Bay City, Mich.; Blanchard Chapter, Royal Arch; Ann Arbor Commandery, Knights Templar and Moslem Temple of the Shrine. Senator Copeland will deliver an address. All members of the fraternity are invited to be present.

Those who were present at the last stated communication of Myron M. Parker Lodge had the pleasure of seeing the Fellowcraft degree conferred in an efficient and dignified manner. The degree is again on the trestleboard for next Tuesday evening, with Elmer E. Williams in the East and Thurston B. Miller doing the middle chamber work. At the conclusion of the Fellowcraft degree, the most ancient of all degrees will be worked in the banquet hall under the direction of George E. Hatton, assisted by a corps of officers of his own selection.

SCOTTISH RITE.

The spring schedule of work for the Scottish Rite bodies of the District of Columbia is as follows: Next Tuesday, fourteenth degree; March 13, fifteenth degree; March 19, eighteenth degree; March 20, twenty-first degree; March 21, thirtieth degree, and March 23, thirty-second degree. In addition to the conferring of the fourteenth degree next Tuesday evening, the regular meeting of Mithras Lodge of Perfection will be held.

ORDER OF DE MOLAY.

The first annual inning of Robert Le Bruce Chapter will be in the form of a swim in the pool of the Y. M. C. A., which has been donated to the chapter for next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend. The fancy patrol of the chapter announces that it will be glad to drill for any Masonic or Eastern Star function. Those desiring the services of the atrol are requested to communicate with Chester Du Bois, Adams 10277.

MASONIC CLUBS.

The Fellowship Club of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing will hold an open meeting at the Pythian Temple on March 17 at which all Master Masons employed at the Bureau will be welcomed. The chairman of the entertainment committee, Albert Jones, is arranging an attractive program, it is stated.

The Lambskin Club Auxiliary at its last meeting installed the following officers: President, Mrs. Anna Vierbuchen; vice president, Mrs. Gene Schultz; secretary, Mrs. Mary Henry; conductress, Mrs. Mollie Fossin; associate conductress, Harriet League; warder, Mrs. Lena Elder; sentinel, Miss Rose Zollinhoffer; pianist, Mrs. Emma Withers. President Warfield of the Lambskin Club was the installing officer and Mrs. Hild acted as marshal. The new president was presented with a corsage of sweet peas and Mr. Warfield presented to the retiring president one dozen salad forks for the Lambskin Club, and Mrs. Johnson presented handpainted china to Mrs. Rock. Those contributing to the program were Miss Janet Rock, La Nell Lane, pupils of the Eastern High School, and the Mu Chi Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Etta Austin. Refreshments were served, followed by dancing. The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held Thursday evening of the current week at the Northeast Masonic Temple.

The Ionic Club, composed of master Masons employed in the Treasury Department, General Accounting Office, United States Capitol and the Board of Tax Appeals, held its regular monthly meeting Monday evening at the Hotel Washington, under the direction of E. C. Hooper, president. It was also the fourteenth birthday of the club. During the short business session the following new members were obligated: Theodore B. Nickson, Welford J. Massie, Rudolph L. Miller, B. E. Frost, J. E. Fouts, Emil K. Melin, Harry F. Dewey, Carl W. Tyler, H. Ernest Picken, Otho W. Hammond, Shirley Stephens, Theodore C. Berg, Joseph F Drobney, Walter I. Eddy, Edward R. Smith, A. Banks Thomas, Jefferson M. Tringle, R. A. Tron and J. B. Woodside. After the close of the business session of the club the gavel was turned over to K F. Erickson, who was in charge of the program A marimba solo was given by Harry Harth, a member of the Tall Cedar Band, accompanied on the piano by R. S. Thomas; Frank Davis, of Clarendon, Va., with a bag full of regular "Will Rogers" gloom killing jokes, wound up his number with a Klondyke recitation, and the program closed with an address by the Rev. Homer J Councilor.

The report of the auditing committee showed the finances of the Ionic Club in an unusually good condition, while its social activities are attracting an ever-increasing attendance. Past President J. D. Sullivan, of the Circle Club, and Past President Arthur W. Breuer, of the Railroad Square Club, were welcomed. The executive committee of the Ionic Club is already making arrangements for another big surprise night for the membership to be held the latter part of the month, and the only admission required to these events is the usual club ticket. John L. Bateman, secretary, 806 Maryland avenue northeast, will furnish application blanks upon request. Blanks may also be obtained from any officer of the club, it is stated.

KALLIPOLIS GROTTO.

The first meeting to be held in the new headquarters of Kallipolis Grotto was its reinstatement ceremonial on Wednesday evening, Chief Justice Harry B. Plankinton in charge. The Grotto Orchestra furnished music throughout the evening and contributions to the program were made by William Stanley Bell, radio singer, accompanied by Mrs. George H. Jones, Paul Grove, the celebrated monologist, and Julia Cunningham and Florence Embrey, accompanied by the Grotto Orchestra, in song and dance specialties. At the conclusion refreshments were served. Thirty-seven prophets were reinstated and five new applications were received. Monarch Arthur M. Poynton announced the following activities for the near future: March 15, Goodfellowship Night, under auspices of the Grotto Band; March 23, stag night at the Arcadia; boxing, vaudeville and other specialties; March 27, spring dance; March 28, joint ceremonial with Yedz Grotto, of Baltimore, at the Mutual Theater.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

Mrs. Alice T. Draper, matron of Ruth Chapter, No. 1, announces that the degrees will be conferred at the meeting of the chapter tomorrow evening. Mrs. Mea Felke, the associate matron, will have charge of the entertainment which is to follow the work. Refreshments will be served. The chairman of the board, Mrs. Loveless, announces a card party to be held at the home of Mrs. Fowler, 901 Rittenhouse street, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Mizpah Chapter, No. 8, will hold its regular meeting Tuesday evening. Refreshments will be served following the transaction of business. The chapter will hold a card party and dance at Wardman Park Hotel on Friday evening, March 16, at 8:30 o'clock.

Gavel Chapter will hold its regular meeting Tuesday evening. The annual dance and card party of the chapter will be held at the Mayflower Hotel, in the garden room, March 24, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. The temple committee will meet at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Furman, 2741 Woodley place northwest, tomorrow. Good Will Chapter will meet next Friday evening. The grand matron and grand patron and the matrons and patrons of 1928 were guests of the chapter at its last meeting. The sewing circle will meet Wednesday evening at 4531 Illinois avenue northwest with Mrs. Mae Lubensheyer as hostess.

Temple Chapter had as its guests at its meeting last Monday evening Grand Matron Sallye C. Bogley, Grand Patron William J. Dow and Past Grand Matron Tillie C. Chauncey. After the conferring of degrees, members and visitors were entertained by Mrs. Ida Epstein.

Cathedral Chapter at its last meeting entertained Naomi and Hope Chapters. Among the distinguished guests were Grand Patron William J. Dow, Past Grand Matron Fannie Taylor, Past Grand Patron Jason Waterman and Associate Grand Conductress Amy C. Hollander. The meeting was followed by a program of music and readings. Cathedral Chapter, at its meeting next Wednesday evening, will have a short business session followed by a social card party. All members of the order are invited.

The members of Columbia Chapter, No. 15, were entertained last Monday evening by the star points of 1927 with a playlet entitled "Jim and Ed." Following the presentation the playlet was burlesqued by men members of the chapter. The chapter will have a banner night on March 12, when its seventeenth birthday will be observed. The chapter will open promptly at 7:30 and the entertainment will be at 9. The officers of the chapter were entertained last Thursday by Mrs. Ruth Waite at her home, 3500 Fourteenth street. Mrs. Antoinet L. Fisher, chairman of the endowment committee, announces a card party to be held next Friday evening at Oyster's Auditorium, Pennsylvania avenue and Twenty-sixth street.

The ways and means committee of Hope Chapter will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Lena Gibbs, 742 Twelfth street southeast. The men of the chapter will hold a meeting Wednesday evening at the office of Past Patron Charles O. Millar, 708 Thirteenth street northwest, at 8 o'clock. The chairman of the thrift committee has called a meeting of the committee for next Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Serena Lamb, 5227 Seventh street northwest.

A new committee to be known as the thrift committee was announced by Matron Elliott at the last meeting of Federal Chapter. The conductress, Mary E. Curtain, who was appointed chairman, has called a meeting of the committee at her home, 618 F street northeast, tomorrow evening. The entertainment at the chapter meeting was in charge of Past Patron Carl A. Cole and consisted of dramatic sketches and vocal and instrumental numbers by the Dramatic Club of Robert Le Bruce Chapter, Order of De Molay The auxiliary board will meet at the home of Mrs Minnie Hedrick, 1417 Newton street northwest, Tuesday, March 13. On Wednesday, March 14, the home board will have a card party at the Chestnut Farms Dairy Auditorium, Pennsylvania avenue at Twenty-sixth stret. Unique prizes will be given and refreshments will be served At the meeting of Federal Chapter next Thursday evening the Star Points and the treasurer will have charge of the entertainment.

Brightwood Chapter, at its last meeting, had as its guests the fraternal mother and father of the chapter, Past Grand Matron Gertrude Milans and Past Grand Patron George Plitt, and Grand Lecturer Mollie Teachum. The cherio committee will hold a card party tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs Grace Shipley, 603 Jefferson street northwest, at 8 o'clock. A business meeting of the chapter will be held next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

La Fayette Lodge Chapter celebrated its third birthday at its last meeting. Associate Conductress Rabenhorst was in charge of the entertainment. The guests included Grand Matron Bogley, Past Grand Matron Stephenson, Past Grand Patron Dunkum and Grand Conductress Merritt. Associate Matron Dyre, chairman of the endowment committee, announced a card party to be held in Chestnut Farms Auditorium March 21. Several candidates will be initiated at the meeting of the chapter next Saturday evening.

Martha Chapter, No. 4, was entertained at a recent meeting by the Dramatic Club of Job's Daughters. The degrees were conferred upon several candidates at the last meeting of the chapter.

The regular semimonthly complimentary card party will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, with Temple Chapter, No. 13, acting as hostess. All members of the order and friends are invited to be present.

At the last meeting of Brookland Chapter the following patriotic program was rendered under the direction of Mrs. Gwynette Willis and Mrs. Mary Thomas: Patriotic fantasy, "Mistress Betsy's Dream," with Mary Leslie Stallings as Betsy Ross, Claude Willis, jr., as George Washington, Stanley Speake, Harold Carleton, Donald Neil and Buddy Carlton as patriots, Gwynette Willis, jr., as the fairy queen, Vernon Brooks, Frances Simpson, Caroline Stiles, Doris Speake, Gladys Booker and Dorothy Hargett as fairies and Conductress Ruth Speake as the reader; dialogue, "The Hatchet Story," by Emmett Thomas, Past Patron Neil and Mrs. Hannah McClure. The monthly card party of the chapter will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Past Matron Mackie, 2409 Tenth street northeast. The annual card party and dance of the ways and means committee will be held Monday, April 9, Easter Monday, in the first floor ballroom of the Willard. Music will be by "Happy" Walker's Orchestra.

St. John's Lodge Chapter, No. 18, will hold a business meeting tomorrow evening, followed by an entertainment. The ways and means committee met last Monday evening at the Evangeline Hotel to complete plans for the annual dance and card party to be held at Wardman Park Hotel on March 15.

The matron of Areme Chapter, No. 10, announces that after a short business meeting of the chapter next Wednesday evening, Mrs. Selma Klein will present an operetta entitled "Chrysanthemums," written by E. Muth and directed by Paul Bleyden. The grand chapter officers, officers and members of several of the constituent chapters and the matrons and patrons of 1928 will be guests of the evening

Naomi Chapter, No. 3, following its business meeting on Wednesday, March 14, will have a pass party with Past Matron Kalstrom as chairman. Naomi Chapter entertained the family at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home on February 24. The Woodlothian Chorus furnished the program and the home board supplied the refreshments.

Harmony Chapter, at its meeting on March 18, will confer the degrees upon a class of candidates. Matron Henrietta Vance extends an invitation to attend the meetings of the chapter at any time. Harmony Chapter meets on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month in Joppa Lodge Hall, Ninth and Upshur streets northwest.

Electa Chapter initiated a class of candidates last Tuesday evening. Duets were sung by Mrs. Maud Tate and Miss Edna Eno. The auxiliary home board will meet at the residence of Mrs. Ethel Copes Frazier tomorrow evening with Mrs. Elsie Robinson as joint hostess. The board will give a card party at Collier's Inn on March 15.

Past Grand Matron Helen Barnard, chairman, has completed plans for the banquet of the Matrons and Patrons Association of 1920, to be held next Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the Dupont Hotel, 1400 New Hampshire avenue northwest. The association paid a visit recently to Miriam Chapter to honor the patron of that chapter, and a member of the 1920's.

The Matrons and Patrons Association of 1919 held its annual banquet recently at the Dupont Hotel. Past Grand Matron Cora P. Mayberry presided. Distinguished guests were Past Most Worthy Grand Matron Ocobock and Right Worthy Grand Secretary Minnie E. Keyes. The president of the association, Past Grand Matron Mayberry, was presented with a lighted birthday cake and a scarf, the presentation being made by Past Patron Fillius, of Electa Chapter. At the business session of the association the following officers were elected: Mrs. Carrie J. Vogt, president; Allen Cowles, vice president; Miss Anna M. Perna, secretary-treasurer, and Isaac Nordlinger, chairman of the executive committee. The program of entertainment included group singing and a short sketch, entitled "The Quiet Hotel." Those taking part were Mr. and Mrs. Mayberry, Mr. and Mrs. Cowles and Mr. and Mrs. Waterman. Bridge closed the evening.

The second birthday anniversary of Chevy Chase Chapter, No. 39, was celebrated at its last meeting, when the following distinguished guests were present: Grand Matron Bogley, Grand Patron Dew, Past Grand Matron Stephenson, Past Grand Patrons Shreve and Bogley, Grand Lecturer Teachum and Grand Conductress Merritt. The afternoon section was entertained on Friday at the home of Mrs. Lucile Meneratti. The degrees will be conferred at the meeting of the chapter next Tuesday evening.

Miriam Chapter, No. 23, was entertained at its meeting last Monday evening by Job's Daughters Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mrs. Amy Hoover, matron of Trinity Chapter. The club presented two sketches, "The Man Next Door" and "He Was Never Known to Smile." Selections were given by the Hie Low Boys, a solo by Miss Minnie Balarsky and a song and dance by little Hazel Rose. The ways and means committee, Mrs. Vera Smallwood, chairman, met at the home of the matron last Tuesday and planned activities for the year, the first of which will be a turkey dinner to be given on March 22 at the Northeast Masonic Temple Miriam Chapter has bestowed honorary membership on Grand Matron Sallye Bogley, Past Grand Patron Reuben Bogley, Grand Patron William J. Dow, Mrs. Mae Dow and Right Worthy Grand Secretary Minnie Evans Keyes. The first of a series of card parties planned by the ways and means committee will be held next Wednesday afternoon from 1 to 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Stella Downs, 1270 Neal street northeast. The next one will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Boyce, Annapolis road, Bladensburg, Md., on Wednesday evening, March 14, at 8 o'clock. All members of the order and friends are invited.

The ways and means committee of Joseph H. Milans Lodge Chapter, No. 41, will hold a rummage sale tomorrow, Tuesday and Wednesday at 1105 Four-and-a-Half street southwest, with Mrs. Emma Dawson as chairman. On March 13 the Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. Bressler, 5314 Illinois avenue northwest, with Mrs. Schwenk, Mrs England and Mrs. Jennie Bean as assisting hostesses. The auxiliary home board will hold a card party March 27 at Northeast Masonic Temple, with Mrs. Edna M. Bush as chairman.

The 1910 Matrons and Patrons Association held its annual banquet at the Hotel Dupont. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Mary G. Hamill, vice president, Mrs. Lena G. Cheesman; secretary-treasurer, Walter P. Plumley; executive committee, Dr. C. C. Galloway, J. Frank Campbell and Mrs. Belle Hampton. Progressive 500 was played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Cora P Mayberry, Mrs. Nellie G. Plumley Abram Frey and Dr. W. H. Hampton Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Mayberry, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Plumley, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. David G. Cheesman, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Galloway, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Henry, Mrs. Ella Fillius, Abram Frey, Miss Corinne Hay and Mrs. Mary G Hamill.

William F. Hunt Chapter, No. 16, at its meeting held February 23 enjoyed as its entertainment feature a playlet entitled "Eight Women Wonderful" under the direction of Past Matron J Ethel Richards and acted out by Miss Augusta Lewis, Miss Louise Waterman Miss Grace Rich, Mrs. Laura Swann and Mrs. Mary E. Adams. The entertainment for the meeting next Thursday evening will be under the direction of Past Patron Bayne Brown, and will consist of a minstrel show. Refreshments will be served. Announcement is made that the endowment committee will meet March 19 at the home of Miss Sarah Benson, 3427 Thirteenth street northwest; the temple committee on March 13, with Mrs. Heslet, 133 Kentucky avenue southeast; a voluntary card party will be given on March 15 at the home of the matron, Mrs. Marie E. Summers, 224 Ninth street northeast, and a rummage sale will be held on March 26, 27 and 28

The regular meeting of Lebanon Chapter, last Tuesday evening, was followed by an entertainment, including readings by Miss Janet Seiler, dialogues and humorous songs by Messrs. Godfrey and Osthaus, a monologue by Miss Edith George, of Lebanon Chapter; barytone solo by Stanley Bell, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Christie, and a violin solo by Mr. Feldman. Oranges and grapefruit, donated by Bloomfield H. Howard to the 1927 temple committee as a prize for their success in activities last year, were distributed to those present. The matron, Mrs. Mary R. French, announced that the officers and members of Friendship Chapter, of Baltimore, had accepted the invitation to visit Lebanon Chapter during the present month. The associate matron, Mrs. Florida Nettleton, chairman of the auxiliary home board, reported excellent progress by her committee. Mrs. Evelyn McIntire, organist of the chapter, entertained the members of the choir at her home on Monday evening. The temple committee, Past Matron Augusta G. Thompson, chairman, will hold a theater party at Keith's next Wednesday.

The Matrons and Patrons Association of 1926 held its second annual banquet at the Burlington Hotel on February 25. After the banquet the evening was spent in cards and dancing. Vocal solos were rendered by Albert J. Milans, accompanied by Mrs. Jewell Downs, and readings by Mrs. Eva P. Rothrock. Guests of honor were Past Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter of the United States Mrs. Emma C. Ocobock, Worthy Grand Secretary Mrs. Minnie Keyes, Grand Patron William J. Dow, Past Grand Patrons J. Ernest Dulin and Charles S. Shreve and Past Grand Matron Nellie Fletcher.

The following members were present: Mrs. Jennie Adams, Mrs. Lillie B. Anderson, Cecil Anderson, Mrs. Ida Angelo, Marion Angelo, Mrs. Marguerite Behrend, Mendel Behrend, Miss Effie T. Brodnax, Mrs. Beulah E. Coakley, Miss Mabel R. Cook, Mrs. Jessie E. Cowles, Mrs. Mae L. Dow, Mrs. Lavinia Dunham, William Dunham, Mrs. Ella Fenton, John W. Fenton, Arthur Fessenden, Mrs. Mae P. Gibbon, Louis Goldberg, Mrs. Mamie L. Greenstreet, Charles O. Greenstreet, Mrs. Evelyn Hazen, Mrs. Bertha E. Huber, J. Fred Huber, Mrs. Mabel Lewis, Theodore C. Lewis, Mrs. Marietta H. Thompson, Mrs. Helena G. Ludwig, Herbert W. Ludwig, Mrs. Eunice B. Mars, Miss Adele A. Marseglia, Mrs. Gertrude B. Milans, Joseph H. Milans, Mrs. Florence B. Mires, H. Frederick Mires, George J. McDermott, Mrs. Maude Ormsby, Herbert Ormsby, Mrs. Elizabeth Plitt, George Plitt, Mrs. Eva Rothrock, Mrs. Lillian V. Rowzee, George M. Rowzee, Raymond L. Schreiner, Mrs. Bessie Short, Mrs. Adrienne E. Shreve, Mrs. Nellie Slye, Harry Slye, Mrs. Marguerite Smiler, Mrs. Emily Smith, L. Allen Smith, Mrs. Harriet Stull, Mrs. Mary E. Teachum, Robert Thompson and Mrs. Rose Yost. The committee on arrangements consisted of Miss Mabel R. Cook, Mrs. Mamie L. Greenstreet and Mrs. Maude Ormsby. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Mamie L. Greenstreet; vice president, Francis A. Dony; secretary and treasurer, J. Fred Huber; members of the executive committee, Mrs. Beulah Coakley and Mrs. Florence B. Mires.

ODD FELLOWS

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Tomorrow—Union, No. 11, grand visitation; Beacon, No. 15.
Tuesday—Washington, No. 6; Excelsior, No. 17; Golden Rule, No. 21; Mount Pleasant, No. 29.
Wednesday—Eastern, No. 7; Harmony, No. 9; Friendship, No. 12; Covenant, No. 13, second degree.
Thursday—Columbia, No. 10, initiatory degree; Salem, No. 22, degree; Amity, No. 27; Phoenix, No. 28, initiatory degree.
Friday—Central, No. 1; Metropolis, No. 16; Federal City, No. 20; Langdon, No. 26, grand visitation; Brightwood, No. 29.

SUBORDINATE ENCAMPMENTS.

Tomorrow—Mount Nebo, No. 6.
Tuesday—Magenetic, No. 4.
Wednesday—Columbian, No. 1.

Grand Master J. Burton Kincer and his associate officers will officially visit Union Lodge No. 11, which meets in the National Capital Bank Building, 316 Pennsylvania avenue southeast, tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. Walter I. Rhoades is the noble grand of the lodge and John C. Russell the vice grand. Members are urged to be present.

Friday evening the second visitation of the week will occur to Langdon Lodge, No. 26, the home lodge of Grand Guardian Thomas C. Mettler. Langdon Lodge meets in its own lodge hall on Rhode Island avenue, near Mills avenue northeast. The lodge extends an invitation to all members of the jurisdiction to be present.

Washington Lodge, No. 6, conferred the initiatory degree on two candidates last Tuesday evening. Morris Sandler, Samuel Seidel and William Suit gave interesting talks under the good of the order. The lodge will have a rehearsal of the initiatory degree on March 13.

The grand master, accompanied by his grand lodge officers, officially visited Golden Rule Lodge, No. 21, last Tuesday evening. The official part of the evening was interestingly presented by the officers of the lodge, the vice grand being especially complimented upon his showing in the ritualistic work of the order. Following the official part of the visitation the lodge presented a program of entertainment

Columbia Lodge, No. 10, has begun a busy season of work. Last Thursday evening the degree team under the direction of Degree Director Samuel G. Taylor, past grand, conferred the initiatory degree upon three candidates Thursday evening of this week the first degree will be conferred upon the same candidates. The lodge is planning a ladies' night for Thursday evening, March 15, when the members will bring their families. The members of Mount Pleasant Rebekah Lodge, No. 9, have also been invited as special guests of the evening.

At a regular meeting of Mount Pleasant Lodge, No. 29, last Tuesday evening, Adreon M. Ensor, of Maryland, was admitted to membership by transfer. William E. Andrews eulogized George Washington and Noble Grand John W. Gullidge and Past Grand Henry H. Burroughs also spoke.

A meeting of the press representatives of the various lodges was held last Monday evening and a plan was devised at this meeting whereby the grand secretary is to receive news regularly each week for the papers.

Grand Master J. Burton Kincer and other grand lodge officers and the members of Friendship Lodge, No. 12, journeyed in buses to Relay Lodge, Relay, Md., Thursday evening and paid that lodge a fraternal visit. Addresses were made by the visitors.

THE REBEKAHS

LODGES.

Monday—Naomi and Ruth, I. O. O. F. Temple.
Tuesday—Fidelity, Langdon Temple, Twentieth street and Rhode Island avenue northeast; Friendship, Fourteenth and U streets southeast.
Wednesday—Home Circle, I. O. O. F. Temple.
Thursday—Martha Washington, I. O. O. F. Temple.

At the last meeting of Friendship Lodge a social was held. Games were played and refreshments were served by the good and welfare committee. The lodge will receive the grand lodge and the Rebecca Assembly officers on March 20.

Vice Grand Alice Schwartz has been appointed representative to the I. O. O. F. anniversary and banquet committee from Martha Washington Lodge. The lodge will hold a theater party in the near future, and an excursion is being planned to Marshall Hall in June. There will be a business meeting on Thursday evening.

Fidelity Lodge will give a play, "Officer Six Sixty-Six," in the near future.

Martha Washington Lodge and Fidelity Lodge entertained at the I. O. O. F. Home on Wednesday evening. A large attendance was present and an attractive program was given.

The ways and means committee of the Rebekah Assembly will give a Dutch dinner at Northeast Masonic Temple on March 21.

The Home Circle will meet at the I. O. O. F. Temple Wednesday evening. The president, Mrs. Belle C. Thomson, requests all members to be present.

The P. N. G. Club will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. Temple. Members of the degree staff are urged to be present for rehearsal. After the business meeting the club will visit Ruth Rebekah Lodge.

Brightwood Lodge gave a leap year party last Tuesday evening. Kiddie costumes were worn and a prize for the best costume was awarded Miss Thelma Replogle. Kiddie games were played and prizes were given the winners of the donkey contest and the peanut race. The president of the Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Margaret Royston, was a visitor and gave a talk. Vice Grand May Landis was appointed representative to the I. O. O. F. anniversary and banquet committee and to the relief committee. A St. Patrick's tacky dance will be given on March 13.

The degree was conferred upon a class of candidates at Dorcas Lodge last Thursday evening.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

CALENDAR.

Tuesday—Silver Spring Camp.
Wednesday—Oak and Hickory Camps.
Thursday—Mount Vernon Camp.
Friday—Elm Camp.

The leap year banquet given by the Woodmen was well attended by members of all the camps and groves. After the feast a number of brief and witty speeches were made in response to toasts. State Manager L. C. Jones responded for the District of Columbia, Capt. William G. Stott for the National Temple Association, Sovereign Meynell for Oak Camp, D. W. Thayer for Alpha Camp and William Schonberger for Mount Vernon. William Wolfley, of Elm Camp, spoke for the ladies of the Woodmen Circle and Charles N. Merillat for the Boosters Club. Other speakers represented Old Glory, Maple, Fraser and Hickory Camps. A program of musical specialties was rendered, followed by dancing.

There will be a uniform rank dance at the Eastern High School on March 15. The dance is under the auspices of Company C, of Elm Camp.

A large class initiation will feature the meeting of Fraser Camp on March 12, when the Boosters degree team is to confer the protection degree. All members of the uniform rank are expected to be present.

Elm Camp will meet next Friday and consider reports from the employment committee, which has been organized for the purpose of assisting those out of work.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN

Seneca Tribe held an interesting meeting last Friday evening, among the special features being an examination in the unwritten work by the instructor of the tribe and a rehearsal of the adoption degree. Among the visitors was Past Sachem James Dolan, of Boston, Mass., who gave a talk on Redmanship in Massachusetts. Several of the great chiefs of the reservation and two past great sachems were also present.

Pawhatan Tribe met Thursday evening with Junior Sagamore J. L. Barr presiding. The great sachem and the great senior sagamore were present. At the next meeting "honor night" will be observed with the great sachem and his board of great chiefs as guests. Past Great Sachems J. J. McCracken and F. D. Seiffert and the great sachem and great senior sagamore were present at the last meeting. The former was presented with an "orphan." This tribe is getting ready to put on a class adoption and tribes having candidates, who wish the work conferred at this class, are asked to communicate with A. L. Goodall, 504 Maryland avenue southwest. W. H. Jenkins and W. A. Connor have been appointed on the building committee. Among those addressing the tribe at the last meeting were J. A. Enos, of Richmond, Va.; Past Grand Sachem F. D. Seiffert, J. W. Tidler and F. W. Becker.

Osage Tribe had a large number of visitors at its last meeting and after the business session an informal card party was held. Reports of the representatives to the great council session were read. James J. Goff and F. D. Seiffert were appointed to serve the great council on the building committee.

The Past Pocahontas Association held its annual banquet at the Cairo Hotel on February 23. Special guests were the great chiefs of the great council of the District of Columbia, Past Great Sachems F. A. Madison and J. J. McCracken, the directress of the degree, Mrs. Beulah Powell, and the president of the Tri-State League, Miss Helen Abraham. Following dinner addresses were made by a number of the guests. Louis Fridinger gave violin solos, assisted at the piano by Warren Kennedy, and Baby Emory gave song and dance numbers.

Waneta Council, No. 6, will hold a social next Tuesday evening. Members of other councils and tribes are invited.

Idaho Tribe No. 15, held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening with a large and enthusiastic attendance. A number of the great chiefs of the reservation, headed by Great Sachem Dyer, were present. Great Junior Sagamore William Nally officiated at the raising of the chiefs of the tribe. It was decided to move the meeting place to Pythian Temple and to change the meeting night, beginning in April, to every Monday evening. Prizes for bringing in new members were awarded Max Katz and Paul Brashears. The thirty-second anniversary of the institution of the tribe will be observed Monday evening, March 19, in Pythian Temple, and all members are invited to assist in the celebration. The Messrs. Brashears, Hunter, McGuire and C. C. Caylor were appointed a committee to prepare an appropriate program for the event.

Idaho Council, No. 1, celebrated its thirtieth birthday anniversary at the last meeting. An elaborate program was presented by the dramatic club of the council, after which a banquet was served. Mrs. Edith McDonald, chairman of the paraphernalia committee for the degree team, announces a card party to be given in the council hall next Friday evening at 8:45 o'clock.

The American Knights of Nem Der at their last regular monthly meeting had a Washington Birthday party. About 30 members were present and enjoyed a banquet after the meeting. A large party of knights went to Alexandria February 22 and participated in the parade.

The eighty-third great council session of the great council of the District of Columbia was held in Red Men's Hall Monday and Tuesday evenings. Much business was transacted, one of the principal items of which was the consummation of the work of the committee concerned with the compilation of the great council laws. The following are the great officers elected at this session: Great sachem, A. H. Dyer; great senior sagamore, J. A. Laker; great junior Sagamore, William Nally; great prophet, A. E. Thompson; great chief of records, W. M. Alexander; great keeper of wampum, W. B. Garner. The following appointments were made: Great Sannap W. N. Swindells, of Minecola Tribe; Great Mishinewa, W. S. Doleman, of Seneca Tribe; great guard of the wigwam, C. P. Sherrer, of Red Wing Tribe, and great guard of the forest, L. D. Pietrie, of Sioux Tribe.

Logan Tribe is preparing to start an intensive campaign for new members. At the last meeting a convocation of the "senate" was enjoyed by those members of the order who belong to this degree.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA

Camps calendared to meet this week are West End, tomorrow evening, at the Pythian Temple, and A. R. Talbot, Thursday evening at Naval Lodge Hall. Officers who assisted in conferring the degree in West End Camp at the last meeting were Consul A. E. Farquhar, Advisor J. H. Schsbury, Past Consul L. J. Kohlmer, Escort C. E. Miller and Banker, Andrew Lindberg. Earl A. Hunter, of Colorado, made an interesting address on conditions as he found them in the West and John E. Swanger, superintendent at the Woodmen Sanatorium, sent fraternal greetings and best wishes to the members of the camp. Consul Farquhar announced that preparations were practically completed for a 500 party to be given in the near future. Mr. Levisee, of West Virginia, also addressed the camp.

ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians and its ladies auxiliary are making elaborate preparations for the observance of St. Patrick's Day, on March 17. By arrangement with Mgr. Thomas, pontifical high mass will be sung at St. Patrick's Church, at 10 o'clock a. m., and a sermon on St. Patrick will be given by a priest from the Catholic University. In the evening there will be a banquet at the Willard Hotel at 7:30 o'clock. An array of musical talent has been engaged for the occasion. Several speakers have promised to attend and deliver addresses on various subjects, including "The Day We Celebrate." The speakers invited are said to be from various walks of life. Some are clergymen, some laymen, some are Catholic and some non-Catholic. One is a United States senator and another a representative in Congress. The following committees on arrangements meet every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the cabinet room of the Willard Hotel: James T. McCarthy, chairman; Patrick J. Haltigan, Joseph A. Daly, Daniel M. Stanton, James S. Dugan, Michael J. Dowd, James J. Corbett, Francis J. Raftery, Leo A. Craven, Michael E. Buckley, Maurice J. Sheehan, James P. Moriarity, Edward L. Tucker, John T O'Connor, Timothy Hanlon and Thomas McGrath, secretary. The ladies auxiliary is represented by Miss Elizabeth Lynch, Mrs. Catherine Feagan, Mrs. Bessie Lawton O'Leary, Miss Theresa Collins, Mrs. Margaret B. Daly, Mrs. Rose S. Martin, Mrs. Dora George, Mrs. Marie McCarthy, Miss Mary Cleary, Mrs. Ella Stanton, Miss Louise Eckstein, Mrs. Irene Wheatley, Mrs. Marie Frick, Miss Catherine Downing, Mrs. Nellie B. Kelser and Mrs. Margaret Squires.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Franklin Lodge, No. 2, will give a reception and dance, the second of a series, next Saturday evening at the Willard.

Webster Lodge was visited Tuesday evening by Grand Chancellor A. Lacy Embrey, who was accompanied by Grand Keeper of Records and Seal William Alexander Kimmel and Grand Inner Guard Cleveland Kennicutt. Each of the visitors spoke on their vision of Pythianism for the coming year. T. H. Davidson, of Fort Wayne Lodge, No. 104, was also a visitor.

Grand Chancellor Embrey was elected an honorary member of the ways and means committee at a meeting of that committee last evening.

The Dozen Club, sponsored by the Supreme Lodge, is said to be meeting with great success in this domain.

Rathbone Temple, No. 8, Pythian Sisters, held its regular meeting, with Most Excellent Chief Lawson presiding. Mrs. Etting, chairman of the ways and means committee, announced final plans completed for the 500 party. She also announced that a play would be given in May under the direction of Mrs. Lawson, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. King. Mrs. Hooper was nominated to serve on the home board. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Prescott, Mrs. Marks and Mrs Crowthers. A social h

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Blue or gold bordered cloth and 4 napkins stamped in a simple design for embroidery.

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$24.95 carriage of reed fiber. Corduroy lined, reversible gear; rubber-tired wheels. In beaver, buff, or tan. **$19.95**

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$3.95 & $4.50 Velour $1.19 yard

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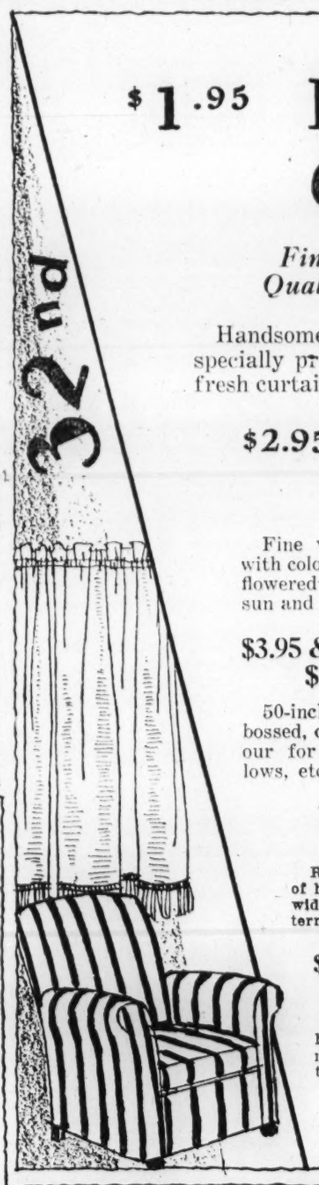
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59c Table Damask 39c yard

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$4.29 Damask Sets $3.39

54-in. cloth and 6 napkins of all linen damask with colored border. Hemmed or hemstitched.

95c Bridge Sets 79c

Linen cloth, 36x36, and 4 napkins of linen crash in blue, rose, gold and green.

$1.15 Pillowcases 79c each

Fine Irish linen pillowcases, hemstitched. Made of round thread linen.

$3.50 Rayon Spreads $2.69

Seamless spreads, 80x105 ins. Scalloped edges, 3 designs. Rose, blue, gold, orchid, green.

$1.79 Krinkle Spreads $1.39

Size 80x105. Good quality white krinkle cloth with stripes of rose, blue, gold, orchid. Scalloped edges.

$1.19 Linen Cloth 89c

50-in. square table cloth of fine linen with colored borders in rose, blue, gold or orchid.

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36x36 cloth and 4 napkins of creamy linen hand embroidered in colors.

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Since taking an extensive trip is a matter which requires some advance consideration, it is not too early to explain in detail the important things to know in carrying out such an alluring and such a comprehensive project as motoring over foreign roads.

The first question to be determined after deciding to make an automobile trip to Europe, points out George H. Fearons, jr., writing in the New York Times, is whether to take a car from this side, hire one in Europe or buy one there, selling it upon completing the trip, or bring it home. There are advantages in each case, he explains.

Engage Space Early.

"If the first, that of taking your own car to Europe, is decided upon," Fearons says, "engage space on a steamship at an early date, because space is limited, and cars carried as baggage must go on the same ship with the owner. Nearly all of the transatlantic lines, as well as those running to Italian ports, carry cars as baggage.

"The day before sailing drive your car to the pier, where you will receive a check. The steamship company's employes drain the gas and water from the car, hoist it to a special hold of the ship for exclusive carrying of motor vehicles, where it is carefully fastened to avoid being thrown about in a heavy sea and protected by a cloth covering.

"When the ship arrives at the designated port your car will be hoisted to the pier, European number plates attached, gasoline and water supplied, and it will be delivered upon presentation of your check, ready for the tour.

Cost of Shipping.

"The cost of shipping a car from New York, Boston or Montreal to Southampton, Liverpool, London, Cherbourg, Boulogne, Le Havre or Antwerp, runs from $150 for cars weighing less than 1,500 pounds to $230 for cars weighing more than 4,500 pounds. Round-trip fares run from $250 to $385. Fares to Italian ports are slightly higher.

"The above rates include the cost of United States customs, registration, loading and unloading, port charges, washing and polishing, foreign registration, plates, driving licenses (additional ones at $2.95 each), carne de passage (international customs pass) valid for the British Isles, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy Spain, Norway Sweden, Denmark, Czechoslovakia, Finland, Poland, Roumania and Luxembourg. The Irish Free State, Portugal, Hungary, Yugoslavia and Syria are not included, but customs documents may be obtained for these countries at a cost of $5 each from the club or agency where your car space is engaged. Practically all of these countries permit touring for a period of one year under these documents.

"The rate also includes associate membership in the Automobile Club of America and the Touring Club of France or in the American Automobile Association of Great Britain, depending upon where space is engaged. This also includes their tourist guides, maps and badges. A deposit of from $100 to $200 is required and will be refunded upon the return of the customs documents correctly vised.

Insurance Is Reasonable.

"A comprehensive form of insurance may be obtained in Europe which gives particularly wide coverage at very reasonable rates. Insurance for three months on a car valued at $2,200 would cost in the neighborhood of $95. The policy covers fire, theft and collision up to the insured value of the car, but, unlike American policies, which have a fixed limit, these policies cover property damage and public liability for an unlimited amount, including law costs.

"Before shipping your car have it thoroughly gone over by a competent mechanic. This procedure will often save delay, worry and expense, as a breakdown may necessitate indefinite delay awaiting the arrival of new parts. It is also prudent and desirable to equip the car with new tires, carry two new spares and keep the tools securely locked in the car."

Fearons then passes on to a discussion of the second plan, that of hiring a car once the traveler has arrived on the continent. He says, first, that rates differ in various countries, and depending upon the style car used and the length of time it is to be in the individual's service.

What Contract Should Include.

"If an extended trip is planned," he advises, "a contract should be made stating that the company will provide and maintain the car rented, provide suitable garaging, gasoline, lubricants, lights, tires and other things necessary for its proper running, insure the car and driver and pay the wages of a competent and trustworthy chauffeur, his uniform, food and lodging.

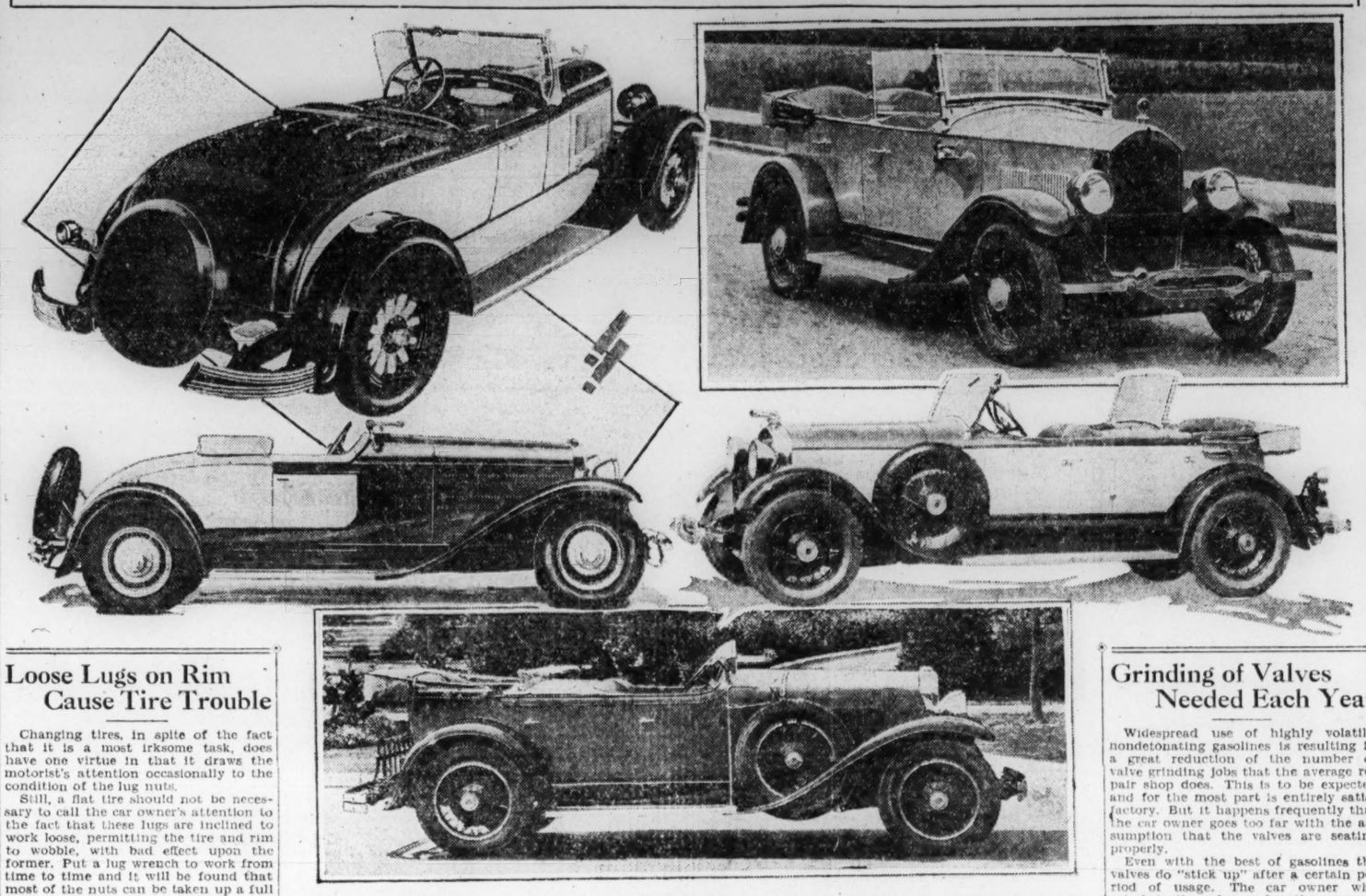
"The contract should state the rate and length of time for which the car is rented, the mileage allowed with a stipulated sum per mile for distance above the allowance, and a per diem charge for the car if held longer than the agreed time. The contract should also provide that in the event of the car becoming, from any cause, unfit for use and continuing in such condition for more than 24 hours, or the chauffeur becoming unable to perform his duties for more than the above period, the company must replace the car or chauffeur and allow for the time not in use.

"The third course, that of purchasing a car on the other side, is considered the least popular or advantageous, except perhaps when the seller obligates himself to buy back the car at a stipulated price within a certain time. Take care to know that the seller is reputed to be honest, is financially able to perform his contract and can be located.

"If you intend to bring the car to the United States at the conclusion of

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FIVE REASONS, AMONG MANY, WHY OPEN CARS ARE STILL POPULAR



Last year saw the closed car climb to more than 80 per cent of the total production, but this year the open car is expected to make some gains on its own account. There are a number of reasons, of which the hoydenish Chrysler (upper left) is one. Another is the clubby Little Jordan on the upper right. In the middle tier, left to right, are two more, the graceful Gardner and the luxurious Lincoln. The low, lithe La Salle (below) is still another. Incidentally, the La Salle celebrated its first birthday yesterday.

Loose Lugs on Rim Cause Tire Trouble

Changing tires, in spite of the fact that it is a most irksome task, does have one virtue in that it draws the motorist's attention occasionally to the condition of the lug nuts.

Still, a flat tire should not be necessary to call the car owner's attention to the fact that these lugs are inclined to work loose, permitting the tire and rim to wobble, with bad effect upon the former. Put a lug wrench to work from time to time and it will be found that most of the nuts can be taken up a full turn.

Owner Should Know Reason for Repairs

Car owners who fail to ascertain the reason why a certain unit of the automobile had to go to the shop for repair or replacement miss a real opportunity to educate themselves against further trouble of the same kind. Asking the repairer for an explanation of the difficulty usually will bring even the experienced car owner new light on the performance of certain parts of the car.

"Why?" is an excellent question and one that the intelligent repair man is happy to answer.

PLAN ROAD BOOTHS IN INDUSTRIAL SHOW

U. S. Bureau Heads to Place Graphic Exhibit in Local Exposition.

Road building achievement and the resultant advance in transportation methods will be depicted in an exhibit which the Bureau of Public Roads will place in the fourth annual industrial exposition which the Chamber of Commerce will hold the week of March 12, at the Auditorium.

An electrically lighted outline of United States highway No. 40, measuring 64 feet in width and 10 feet high, will surmount five booths designed to indicate graphically the benefits of good roads, the accomplishments of the Federal aid system, and the cost of that system so far.

One booth will argue for good roads by emphasizing the harmful effects of poor ones, pointing to worn tires and damaged automobile parts as mute evidence of "bad road taxes." In a second unit of the display, there will be an explanation of the status of Federal aid roads in the Eastern States. "What has Federal aid done for the eleven Western States?" will be answered in a third booth, while another section of the exhibition displaying the legend, "The new freedom of transportation," will point to the emancipation of the farmer and the city dweller from congestion by the building of good roads. A fifth unit will compare pictorially the means of transportation in the days of the prairie schooner with the giant trucks running over paved highways today.

The representation of route No. 40 consists of a trail of electric lights flashing successively from a bathing scene at Atlantic City to a painting of a ship entering the Golden Gate. This route, according to the bureau's statistics, is unimproved for less than 14 per cent of its total length of 3,206 miles. It is paved for 1,234 miles, from Wilmington, Del., to St. Mary's, Kans.

Lubricant Needed By Automobile Horn

It always is an interesting argument, this one as to which unit of the automobile is most regularly and readily forgotten when the car is being oiled. How about the horn? It really does not require much lubricant and for this fact many motorists can be grateful.

Winter driving, which necessitates greater care in every respect, calls for the highest type of horn efficiency. This should begin with giving the device a few drops of light lubricating oil.

NOTES OF THE TRADE

Charles E. Boteler has been appointed manager of the used car department of the Barry-Pate Motor Co., Chevrolet dealers.

C. H. Warrington, Auburn dealer, and Whitney Leary, Chrysler dealer, are reported to be seeking surcease from the strain of selling competition on the Florida golf links, both being ardent devotees of the ancient Scottish pastime

J. V. Divver has been made manager of the Ourisman-Chevrolet Co.

La Salle, little sister to Cadillac, is just a year old today, and as a result there is a big birthday party on at Rudolph Jose's Connecticut avenue showrooms. The party takes the form of a spring salon, embodying a wide array of special Cadillac and La Salle models, together with a stripped chassis of the latter. The celebration will continue throughout this week, and everybody is invited. Mr. Jose will keep open house until 10:30 o'clock every night.

Auto Registration Card Always Should Be in Car

Time Is Sure to Come Along When Certificate Will Be Demanded by Policeman and Not Having It Means Embarrassment.

"Every car shall carry at all times a registration certificate issued by the superintendent of licenses, which shall be exhibited to any police officer on demand. If such a certificate is lost, a duplicate shall be issued on payment of a fee of 50 cents."

There it is on page eleven of the little book that lays down the rules of conduct for motor vehicle owners and operators in the District of Columbia, one of the most unequivocal regulations under which the local driver abides.

But the fact that the rule is absolute and unequivocal does not alter the further fact that there are numerous absent-minded individuals among the motorists of the National Capital who forget their registration cards, others who do not know that the registration card is supposed to be carried, and still others who are indifferent to the whole matter. Some day, of course, for all three types of car owners, there comes an hour of reckoning, a moment of rendering an accounting.

Then, the difference between carrying and failing to carry the inconspicuous little card becomes vast and significant.

An illustration of the dimensions of this difference is given in the New York Motor News which recounts the story of an innocent, law-abiding pickle maker who came to grief over his registration card. Here is the story:

"Once upon a time, and not so very long ago, there was a brawny burglar who fostered a superiority complex within his sullen soul. Of course, he was at loggerheads with the police, whom he regarded with ingrained hatred. To allay his choler and soothe a sense of what he deemed the fitness of things this bandit would boast of his raids to enrage bluecoats. Not that he would meet them face to face and vaunt details of excursions as an uninvited guest. He used the telephone, but the stirring effect was the same.

"One Sunday morning, after having paid an early call to a sumptuous suburban residence and sampled the best jewelry, this wrongdoer cached his haul and journeyed to a phone booth to enjoy a taunting spree. Calling up headquarters, in a certain very large city, he informed those present, through the medium of the officer who answered, his well considered appraisal of all who wore shields or swung clubs.

"Now the policeman on the other end of the wire had listened to this sort of tirade before. Scribbling on a pad for a partner, sitting by his side, to trace the call, send detectives to the location and make a capture, he sought to keep the cracksman in conversation But the wary individual, who also was rich in experience, remained only long enough for the swooping squad to get under way, then departed.

"A short time later a motorist entered the store in search of a telephone book. It was hanging in the booth and he hastened to consult it. He was in a hurry, desiring to reach church on time. For this purpose he had borrowed a neighbor's car, his own having developed a flat tire during the night.

"Imagine the surprise of this motorist when he was about to jiggle the receiver, after waiting for the nickel to be digested, to feel violent hands laid upon him while harsh language volleyed into an unoccupied car. Furthermore, he was dragged from sanctuary, handcuffed, searched and maligned by him a few ticks of the clock. Lack of breath caused a lull in the proceedings.

"Trembling and confused, the bruised autoist, who had toiled through a placid life as a pickle salesman, gasped a query as to what it was all about. Several voices recited the catalogue of his alleged crimes, ending with the offense of 'trying to kid the police.'

"I—I was going to church," faltered the prisoner irrelevantly as he surveyed the array of catchpolls.

"It's no church yer going to. It's the lock-up. Don't try to stall," came the prompt retort.

"There is a cynical quotation implying that the past of none is blameless, but the philosopher who expounded this bit of wisdom did not know the pickle salesman. His was an existence of strait and narrow paths, even to the smallest gherkin offered the public. There was not a heartache in any hogshead of vinegar he purveyed.

"Conciousness of rectitude warmed the courage and thereby the eloquence of this victim of mistaken identity. He urged further investigation before being subjected to the ignominy of a cell and was downright in the assertion that he never had pilfered anything, no, not even a pretzel, which might be viewed in light of perquisite, considering the line of endeavor he followed.

"The psychology of innocence sometimes will make itself felt under most adverse circumstances. Doubt began to creep into the mind of one of the younger detectives. Perhaps this was not the burglar who stole, then taunted.

"'Let's see your automobile registration and operator's license,' he demanded.

"More search and the revelation that they had been left at home in the everyday clothes.

"'I took my friend's car this morning,' mumbled the prisoner, 'and——

"That was enough. There was a brief jostle to the patrol wagon, the clang of a gong and early stragglers were left to speculate on whether it would be 20 years, life or the chair.

"Not until the shades of night had resumed duty on hill and dale did the pickle salesman return to his hearthstone and garden of dill plants, with solemn warnings ringing in a benumbed brain that he must never do whatever he had done, or not done, again.

"So ends the story of the price of carelessness."



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Grinding of Valves Needed Each Year

Widespread use of highly volatile, nondetonating gasolines is resulting in a great reduction of the number of valve grinding jobs that the average repair shop does. This is to be expected and for the most part is entirely satisfactory. But it happens frequently that the car owner goes too far with the assumption that the valves are seating properly.

Even with the best of gasolines the valves do "stick up" after a certain period of usage. The car owner who grinds in the valves or has them ground in after, say, a year of service will recognize this by the difference in the car's performance.

Noises Index to Troubles.

It may help in diagnosing engine troubles to recognize the difference in the noises induced by various maladies; bearings knock, valves tap and piston and wrist pins slap. Each noise is distinct.

THE SUNDAY MOTORIST

An Abridged Magazine for Car Owners

By WILLIAM ULLMAN

The newest models have many good torquing points.

Keen, But Not Bitter.

There is no questioning the intensity of the competitive struggle within the automotive industry this year, but the fact that it is a keen conflict does not mean that it is a bitter one.

Rival manufacturers, contrary to an impression that prevails quite widely, do not go around cutting each other cold on the streets or at the clubs. Quite the contrary is true. They are not merely superficially polite and friendly; they really mean it.

Not so long ago, the presidents of the two largest car producing companies in the world had luncheon together in Detroit. When the weather gets warm in the Michigan, metropolis, golf courses will be dotted with many a foursome made up of representatives of four car companies engaged in the keenest kind of industrial conflict.

Strange as it may seem, a lot of "shop" is talked at gatherings of this character without any one getting especially heated on any subject. As for the engineers, the actual designers of the cars in today's competitive struggle, their get-together sessions resemble an old-fashioned family reunion.

Who ever heard of two competing concerns pooling their purchases of raw materials? Well, it is being done by two relatively small motor makers whose products are definitely competitive.

Yes, competition may be keen—is keen—but it is not bitter as once it was.

Judicial Background.

Germany, long recognized as being highly prolific in ingenious ideas, has come forward with a new one which should arouse immediate interest throughout the length and breadth of American motordom.

The North German Automobile Club at Hamburg, one learns from the Department of Commerce, now is offering free courses of instruction in automobile driving to all judges and public prosecutors before whom alleged motoring offenders are brought.

The idea, of course, is to enable these officials to be in a better position to pass upon the nature and severity of the offense.

Here is a thought which certainly could be adopted, and to splendid effect, in our own land of oppressed motoring millions!

About "Pseudo-Shimmy."

Now it is known why some drivers claim to have experienced the annoyance of front-wheel shimmy without being impressed with its annoyance or danger.

The truth of the matter is there are two kinds of shimmy. To one of the best known French scientists goes the credit of bringing to light the new type, which might properly be referred to as pseudo-shimmy.

Pseudo-shimmy is that which results in bad operation of the wheels on the kingpin bolts. It is not dangerous, simply because it does not result in oscillation of high-enough frequency to cause the front wheels to impart forces to the steering wheel which might lead the driver to believe that he no longer had control of the car.

Those who ever have experienced true shimmy must admit that the sensation is one of complete helplessness, and it is this element which so often results in the driver losing his head and winding up his ride in serious difficulties. The pseudo type occupies a position halfway between wobbling and true shimmy and may be experienced without fear of losing control of the car.

Speeds Up Road Work.

Connecticut's highway department has adopted a new method of curing cement highways so that traffic can be resumed in less than half the usual time following the pouring process. This is accomplished through the addition of a chemical drier to the concrete while it is being mixed.

Ordinarily it has been necessary to wait 14 to 21 days before permitting traffic to use a newly constructed concrete road. With the new method a week is sufficient time to cure the surface and to make it safe from damage by traffic.

The department lists as one of the less obvious advantages of the plan that of saving expense in connection with keeping detours in condition.

Difference Is There.

One of the most interesting developments of the year is the appearance on the highways of several inexpensive cars that look, from a distance, like machines of much higher price. Almost the same similarity is found in the performance of some of the new cars. There is one car priced at $1,100 which performs like a duplicate of one that sells for close to $2,000. But this sensation is experienced only for the first few minutes at the wheel.

Close-ups tell the difference in appearance, performance and price.

Car Buyers Sell Cars.

The air is filled these days with exhortations on the part of those who have bought one of the 1928 models who want to see their friends enjoy the same improved motoring. Word of mouth advertising has sold millions of automobiles. Judging by the pace with which it started, this year is going to show excellent results in this respect.

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WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT...BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

COMMERCE OFFICIAL ANALYZES QUESTION OF ROAD BENEFITS

Individual Who Uses Highways in Automobiles Gains Most, Smith Says.

OWNER OF OUTLYING LAND ALSO PROFITS

Merchants Included Among Those Who Prosper From Patronage of Automobilists.

An erroneous impression as to who benefits most from better roads and more efficient motor transportation is seen by H. O. Smith, chief of the automotive division of the Department of Commerce, who has compiled an authoritative analysis of the subject in which he sets forth his views, based upon detailed study

Smith begins his survey by showing that while the builder of roads is supposed to be rewarded with a profit for his risk and labor, his direct benefits end there. On the other hand, the motor manufacturer makes an average profit of less than $100 a car. It has been found that the modern motor vehicle gives an average of seven years' service, thus representing a pro rated annual benefit to the manufacturer, over the seven-year period, of only about $14.

"Who, then, benefits most?" is the question which Mr. Smith asks. And then he proceeds to answer his own question in this manner.

"The individual who makes use of the road and the motor car transportation

Brought Closer to Market.

"The owner of outlying property, who, in effect, is brought closer to the market centers or his place of business, or whose children are afforded facilities for going to and from school.

"The merchant selling groceries, dry goods and every conceivable article produced and marketed, to meet the needs, tastes and demands of modern civilization. These benefits are constant and continuous. Such benefits can not be fully realized in most parts of the world without good roads and motor transportation."

Mr. Smith is not content to let the matter rest here, but pursues the subject in still further detail, and next asks, "How and why these benefits?" And again he answers his own question, and then continues on to a broad discussion of the question, based on his original premises, thus:

"The individual personally benefits through the enhancement of his time in increasing his possible usefulness through reduction in time and effort in getting from place to place to say nothing of the added pleasure.

Land's Earning Power Increased.

"The selection of a residence is no longer limited to walking distance or street car lines. The potential earning power of land, otherwise limited through being isolated or inaccessible to the market, can be increased to the full productivity of the soil, having become accessible to the markets throughout the year.

"The influence of market centers is enormously and effectively extended.

"Much has been said about the mythical saturation point as applies to the sale of motor vehicles, largely because of misunderstanding or lack of conception of the fundamental facts.

"The real wory of today is not the possible saturation point in consumption of motor cars but the possible saturation point in the consumption of the product of the soil and most every kind of manufacturing.

"Good roads and motor transportation are the most effective agencies we can depend upon to constantly increase the buying power of the individual in most all civilized countries of the world.

"There is little occasion for worry about an outlet for what is produced on the farm or by the factory, if satisfactory progress is made in increasing the income from the land and of the individual.

Standard of Living Aided.

"The standard of living has been greatly increased as it applies to practically all strata of society in America and many other parts of the world, but this has been brought about only as the income of the people has increased.

"Many parts of the world are only starting on the climb to higher production and high living standards, which invariably reflect the greater purchasing power of the people.

"It is interesting to note that this modern development the world over has become evident when and as modern transportation facilities have been developed, and in most every case it is traceable to motor transportation and good roads development.

"With the increase in production in most every line there is great need for continued development of markets and buying power. However, the people of many countries are susceptible of practically as high earnings and buying power and development of a taste for modern things as has been true in America.

"The records show that when the people of a country get the broader vision of the benefits of good roads and motor transportation, and realize the big and constant lasting benefits from same, reflected in the increase in income, buying power and general prosperity, good roads and motor transportation expansion become a definite part of the national program.

"The development of the use and extensive manufacture of motor vehicles in the United States is not so much the result of prosperity as one of the basic reasons for our prosperity."



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Motor Truck Aids Pioneer Settlements in Rhodesia

called to generalities in connection with the tremendous value of the motor vehicle in upbuilding countries and regions, but colorful specific instances of great pioneering efforts seem to be becoming fewer and farther between with each passing year.

One of the most interesting of such examples has just come to hand, however, in the report of the use of six-wheeled trucks in southern Rhodesia. Put into service where railroads are lacking, they are being employed for the express purpose of attracting settlers and to bring assistance to agricultural communities.

One needs but little imagination to picture these modern emissaries of progress bringing new life, new energy and new economic enlightenment to a little-known corner of the world's least known continent. Here, indeed, is all the romance of a pioneer endeavor in this advanced age, yet at the same time it is full of great basic practicality.

Some time ago the government of that region was said to believe that something should be done regarding the development of areas situated away from the rail lines, and entered into negotiations with the railway companies concerning the establishment of road motor services in various parts of the country.

Under the arrangements made, the government has conferred no monopoly on any undertaking, but in certain areas which are being developed for settlement purposes, and where there is little immediate prospect of motor services being put on a paying basis, the government has undertaken to make up any deficiency for a limited period.

In addition to the road motor services which are being operated by the railway companies, the government also has arranged for a private contractor to operate motor vehicles between Salisbury, Beatrice and Eukeldoorn, it is said.

MUCH ADVANCE KNOWLEDGE NEEDED TOURING EUROPE

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the tour and keep it for six months or sell it, remember that duty must be paid on arrival. The minimum duty is 33 1-3 per cent ad valorem. This rate increases to a figure corresponding with the amount of duty charged on American automobiles by other countries. For example, a British car is dutiable at 33 1-3 per cent ad valorem, while the duty on a French car is 45 per cent ad valorem.

"Spare parts for many foreign cars are not obtainable in the United States, necessitating a long delay while they are coming from Europe or are made to order here, both of which are expensive.

"If a trip of several months' duration is contemplated it is cheaper to take your car. On the other hand, if a trip of several hundred or a thousand miles is to be made, it will cost less to hire a car in Europe and be relieved of all responsibility.

When to Pass Cars.

Traffic regulations are not rigidly enforced, but drive to the right, and, in overtaking a car, pass to the left in all countries except Austria, Czechoslovakia, Great Britain, Portugal and Sweden, where the order is reversed.

"The police are polite, helpful and well informed as to the best routes.

"Gasoline ('petrol' in Great Britain, 'essence' in France, 'benzine' in Germany, 'benzina' in Italy) and oil are obtainable at every town, as are competent mechanics.

"To the man who understands and prefers to drive his own car a chauffeur is a nuisance, as a mechanic's assistance may usually be had promptly. To the man who dislikes driving, or who is fearful of motor trouble he would be unable to solve, a chauffeur is a friend and a necessity.

"Particular attention must be paid to the fact that foreigners neglect to sound their horns at places or turns in the road where their approach is hidden.

"Do not select too large a car, as gasoline and oil are expensive in Europe, ranging in price from 40 to 75 per cent higher than in America. They are sold by the liter (10 liters equaling 2½ gallons). Some of the Alpine roads have hairpin curves which are difficult to negotiate with a large car. Be sure your car, whatever the make, is a good hill climber.

"Do not carry firearms; they are unnecessary and are prohibited."

In describing the pleasures of European motoring, Fearons becomes enthusiastic. He revels in the quaintness and the picturesqueness of the surroundings; one immediately is infected with his delight in the beauty of Italy, the "gemutlichkeit" of Germany and Austria, the brilliance of France.

Roads on Continent Good.

"Usually the roads on the continent are good," he declares. "In England always so. France, Germany and England are noted for their small inns with excellent cuisine, inexpensive when compared to our hostelries. Do not, however, expect the modern conveniences at low prices.

"Picture one day running over the long, level, straight roads of France lined with Lombardy poplars, stopping for the night at one of those quaint provincial 'auberges,' where the welcome is warm and pleasing and Monsieur le Proprietaire cooks and serves dinner the deliciousness of which is proverbial, while Madame makes sure your every wish is gratified; the following day climbing the curving, twisting, but good surfaced roads of Switzerland, the land of mountains, lakes and excellent hotels—one hour in a pleasant valley where the children tend the flocks and the peasants wave a cheery greeting from the well-cultivated fields; the next, perhaps 9,000 or 9,000 feet above sea level, with nothing as far as the eye can see but rugged, rock mountains, here and there a patch of snow sheltered from the direct rays of the sun, or crowning the heights of mighty peaks sparkling like diamonds in the sunlight.

Then, leaving these entrancing scenes, slip down past the lovely Italian lakes to the sunny plains of Lombardy, with Milano and its great Duomo—most beautiful church in the world—in their midst, run over those roads smooth as a billiard table, 100 feet wide in places, many built by Napoleon and untouched since his day except for fresh surfacing now and then to preserve them.

"Visit Genoa, principal seaport of Italy and birthplace of Columbus; follow the Italian Riviera, with its delightful resorts, Rapolla, Santa Margherita, Chiavari, Spezia, a great naval base; Viareggio, and turn inland through Pisa, famous for its leaning tower, thence via Volterra and Sienna, home of St. Catherine, to Rome, capital and treasure city of Italy and maker of history for twenty centuries; or from Viareggio go by way of Lucca, Florence, art center of the world; Orviato and Viterbo to Rome.

"If your fancy calls, continue south over the Via Appia to that city of which Italians say "See Naples, then die." Otherwise turn north at Rome and run along the backbone of Italy, the Appennines, visiting en route Terni, Spolito, Foligno, Assisi, monastery home of St Francis, and Perugia. It was in these and neighboring towns that the records of history were preserved when the Huns overran Italy and sacked Rome.

"Pass through Florence, Bologna, Ferrara, with its marble quarries; Padua, home of St. Anthony, to that wonder city and paradise of pleasure seekers—Venice.

"From Venice north follow the great natural highway formed by the Piave and Bolte Valleys through the Dolomites, with their wonderful rocky peaks and rugged crags, varying in shape from jagged pinnacles to great solid fortresses, where nestling in their bosoms amid flower-carpeted meadows are gems like Pieve di Cadore, birthplace of Titian; Cortina d'Ampezzo, Misurina, Karersee and Merano.

"Enter the Austrian Tyrol, with its forests of spruce and pine, where one so often sees the sign, 'A good man never hurts a tree'—its mountain lakes of gorgeous colors, its racing rivers and the quaint towns of Innsbruck, home of that daring patriot, Andreas Hofer; Salzburg, noted for its Schloss and musical festivals; Portschach and Lechl on the lakes and countless other charming resorts, all with splendid hotels, always clean and serving excellent food and wine. Austria, after Italy, is the cheapest country in which to travel in Western Europe. Vienna, the capital, lies on the banks of the Danube, still beautiful though having lost much of its gayety and life since the war, a noble city with broad, well-kept streets, lovely parks, museums, palaces, theaters and chic shops for women's wear quite as smart as Paris and far cheaper.

Along the Danube.

"Follow the Danube through Melk, with its great monastery; Linz and Aschacher to Passau, in Germany; then to Munich, noted for art and beer, an interesting place and a good starting point for tours through the Bavarian Alps.

"To the north lie Nuremberg and Rothenburgh, standing as they did during the Middle Ages, untouched by time or the modernist, two of the five German cities which escaped destruction during the Thirty Years' War.

"Heidelberg, a university city with a famous castle, is a day's drive west. Near Frankfort, a great industrial center, is Mainz, and here begins the renowned drive beside that famous River Rhine. Follow it through picturesque towns with quaint "Gasthauser," past ruined castles and storied hills to Cologne. Turn here and continue to Paris.

"The trip as outlined can be made comfortably in two months, with several days' stay at places of interest.

"A shorter tour is south from Paris, visiting the chateaux district, Orleans, Tours, Poitiers, Bordeaux and Biarritz, on the Bay of Biscay, a fashionable winter and summer resort; thence to Toulouse and Marseille on the Mediterranean. Continue along the world-famous Cote d'Azur, with its resorts—Cannes, Nice and Monte Carlo, smart gambling centers of Europe. Turn north through the French Alps and stop at Grenoble, Lyons, Vichy, Bourges and return to Paris. Ample time for such a tour would be three weeks.

"Of the hotels in France and Italy, those displaying the badges of the Touring Club of France and Italy, respectively, are invariably the best. The following is the approximate cost of a double room and storage for the car in the various countries. France—Room, francs, 70 to 150; garage, francs, 7-12. Switzerland—room, francs, 12-50; garage, francs, 3-5. Italy—Room, lire 40-100; garage, lire, 5-10. Austria—Room, shillings, 20-38; garage, 3-5 Germany—Room, marks, 16-40; garage, 2-4.

"It can not be too strongly emphasized not to attempt too much. Europe is so full of beauty and interest in every form that the natural inclination is to see as much as can be crowded into a given time. Much pleasure and many benefits are lost by doing so."

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STABILIZATION OF AUTO INDUSTRY IS PREDICTED

Chandler Says Replacements Expected to Reach 75 Per Cent of Business.

LIFE OF CARS INCREASED

During the next few years the automobile industry should reach a point of relative stabilization, and as a result the rise rise and fall of the curve of its business should be smoothed out to a very considerable degree.

This forecast is made by F. C. Chandler, head of the motor car producing company bearing his name, who has set forth in detail the specific reasons for his confidence in the verity of his prediction.

"The industry," Mr. Chandler points out, "is assured each year a basic demand of between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 cars, which represent replacement sales. Nearly 50 per cent of the automobiles sold in the United States today replace old ones. Within the next five or six years the replacement business is expected to reach 75 per cent of the total.

"New business will be developed automatically by the normal increase in the population, by increasing family requirements, which necessitate the purchase of two or more cars by the development of suburban life and by increasing wealth. Foreign trade, which accounts for a substantial part of the entire automobile production, just now is being developed systematically and should show a steady rise in the next few years.

"The average life of an automobile is estimated by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce at a little less than eight years. Manufacturers are working to increase this figure, but the average is likely to be reduced due to the much harder service to which cars are now exposed. More mileage will be obtained, but the service in number of years will be reduced.

"The replacement business should show a marked increase in the next five years because the big volume production began only in 1922, and these cars are not being retired in large numbers as yet. When retirement begins, replacements should grow by leaps and bounds. In 1921 only 1,514,000 cars were produced in the United States; by 1922 this number had grown to 2,406,396.

"In 1923 the output was 3,694,237; in 1924, 3,243,285; in 1925, 3,839,302; in 1926, 3,936,933, and in 1927, approximately 3,500,000.

"Obviously the trend of industry is toward a stabilized production with new sales, replacements and exports all sharing with a more nearly definite percentage than has been the case in the past."

JOHN SMITH and HIS CAR

Being the Experiences of a Typical Motorist

By FREDERICK C. RUSSELL

Camber, Castor and Toe-in.

Premature wear on the front tires of his car turned Smith's thought to wheel alignment. He always had known that wheels should run true, that the rear ones ought to line up with the front and that the front pair should toe in a little, but it was not until he got right down to fundamentals that he discovered how little he really knew about the subject.

What Smith took for the cause of his tire wear proved to be a condition which is necessary to long tire life! That well illustrated the situation. He was ready to suspect the bow-legged appearance of the front wheels as the reason for the wear on the tires, not realizing that this is essential to easy steering, safety and tire economy.

"Those wheels are 'way off,' he had observed to the mechanic. "Just step out here and see for yourself."

"That's just camber and toe-in you're seeing," the repairer told him. "Didn't you know that front wheels of all cars not only toe-in but are given a pitch by being mounted on the axle a little off the vertical?"

Without this camber and toe-in, the mechanic explained, a car would steer with great difficulty and one or the other of the front tires would have a tendency to pull sideways much of the time. Since in steering a car it is necessary to jockey the wheel considerably, drawing in the front wheels is necessary to keep them running more truly in a straight line.

How Pitch Is Obtained.

Naturally, Smith was interested in the basic principles of camber and toe-in.

The camber, or pitch, of the front wheels is obtained by the design of the axle ends and the spindle. Instead of placing the spindles parallel with the road and at right angles to the springs and frame they are inclined downward so as to be at a slightly different angle to the plane of these parts. The spindles are held to the axle ends by means of king pin bolts, and it is only when these become damaged or worn that the degree of camber or spindle angle is apt to vary.

This explained to Smith why a car which has seen a great deal of hard service without proper lubrication is certain to develop a tendency toward front wheel shimmy, or at least those vagaries of steering which result from variation in the pitch of the wheels as they travel over rough paving.

One of the leading car manufacturers has reduced the amount of camber in his 1928 models because it is his belief that with cars traveling over so many flat roads without the usual crowns it is not necessary to pitch the wheels to the customary degree.

Toe-in is a simpler arrangement. In the first place, the front wheels necessarily must be held together so that they will steer in unison. This is accomplished by runing a tie rod between the wheels. Obviously, the lengthening of this tie rod pushes the rears of the front wheels wider apart and thus provides more of a toe-in, while shortening the rod pulls the rears together and spreads the fronts.

If there is wear in the tie rod connections, or if the special springs used in these connections are weak, there will be a variation in toe-in which is likely to affect steering and result in increased tire wear.

Cause of Tire Wear.

The mechanic who worked on Smith's car conceded that a tire will wear prematurely if the wheel is out of true or if the rim has been put on carelessly and unevenly. But here he used a little common sense to disprove the theory that Smith's trouble might have come from so simple a cause.

"Both of your front tires are badly worn," he explained. "There is little chance that both of the front wheels are out of true or that the tires and rims have not been mounted carefully. We must look to some deeper cause."

Before they finished, it was found that front brakes were too tight and that the wheels had been dragging a little. This is a frequent cause of front tire wear on some of the more modern cars, and is one which, if considered carefully, appears entirely logical. It was in searching around for this particular cause, however, that Smith came to learn something about "castor."

This is the term applied to the angle of front axle pitch. A careful study will reveal that there is a slight upward and forward tilt to the front axles. The spring ends are higher at the front than at the rear. As a result of this, steering is greatly eased and much of the shimmy and wobbling is overcome. Since the introduction of the balloon tire, this entire subject has been reopened and much additional work has been done in improving the castor.

Another thing that Smith learned was that if wheels continue to wobble, and other remedies fail, it is possible to increase the castor by putting a wedge under the fronts of the front springs just above the axle. This tilts the axle and steering assembly, with the result that the wheels take the road more firmly.

Sometimes a tire lost is a lot of information gained.

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LEFT-HAND TRAFFIC PLAN USED ABROAD

14 Foreign Territories Abide by System; 28 Hold to Right-Hand Drive.

Motorists in this country, accustomed to the system of driving to the right of the road, often forget that in many countries the other system prevails, with the stream of traffic proceeding down the left hand sides of the streets and highways.

A survey just completed by the foreign department of the American Automobile Association shows that in fourteen foreign territories the regulations call for obedience to the "left-hand" stipulation. On the other hand, however, the system in use in this country is making much headway, with 28 countries and principalities abiding by the right-hand plan.

Here are the left-hand drive regions: Alderney, Argentine, Austria (except Voralberg), Czechoslovakia, Gibraltar, Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Guernsey, Hungary, India, Irish Free State, Jersey, Malta, Portugal and Sweden.

Following are the places in which the American, or right-hand, system is a part of the traffic regulatory system:

Algeria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Dantzig (Free City), Denmark, Egypt, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Holland, India (French)), Italy, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg (Grand Duchy), Monaco (Principality), Morocco (French Zone), Norway, Poland, Roumania, Russia, Serre Basin, Spain, Tunis, Voralberg (Province of Austria).

Washers Needed to Secure Auto Tags.

During the first month or so that your new tags are on the car, there will be a tendency for the nuts that hold them to work loose. When the bolts have rusted it is impossible to get the nuts free but this usually doesn't occur for some time after the new tags have been attached. Much trouble can be saved by the proper use of washers.

AUTO FIRMS ADOPT VISCOSITY STANDARDS

Manufacturers Approve Use of Numbers to Designate Oil Grades.

Satisfactory progress is reported in the adoption by automobile manufacturers and oil distributing companies of the Society of Automotive Engineers' viscosity standards, a newly developed standard list which is of direct interest and importance to every motor car owner.

According to the Society of Automotive Engineers, the use of these viscosity numbers by the lubricant distributers will not interfere with their present system of trade names, but will supplement them and enable the purchaser to be certain that he is getting precisely the grade of oil he needs and wants.

The most important property of an oil in determining suitability for use is the viscosity or "body." The real lubricating value of an oil is dependent on its viscosity at the temperature at which it is used. Viscosity is a factor in cold-weather starting. It is also a factor in oil consumption.

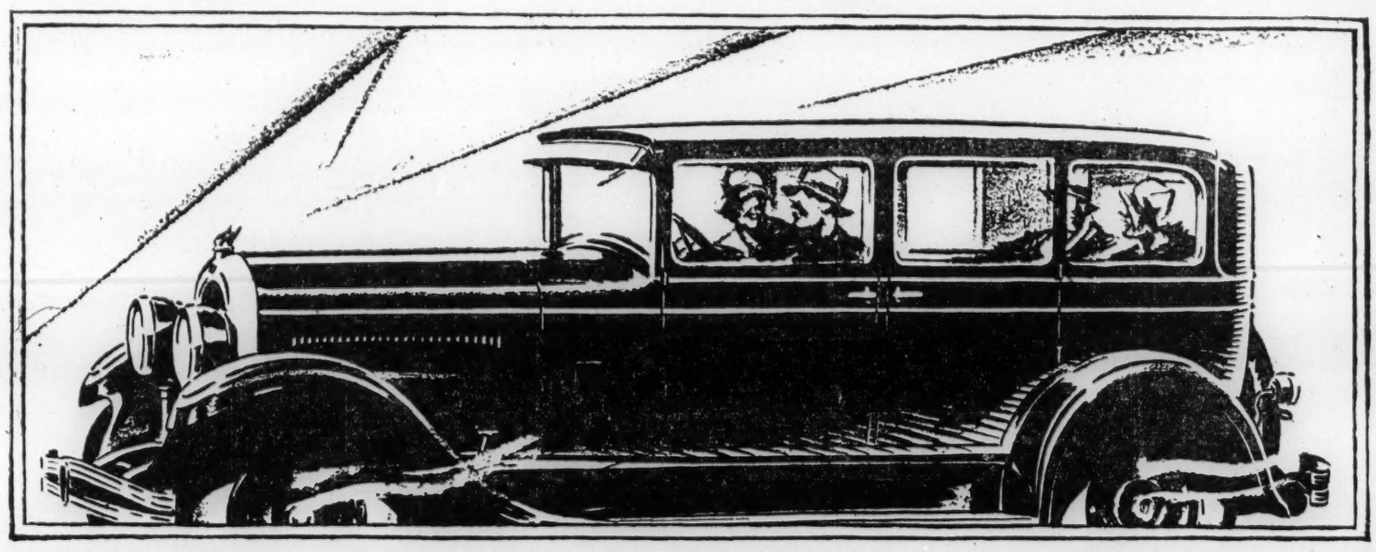
This has long been recognized and viscosity was made the basis for the grading of lubricants by the refiners and the oil distributers. The terms "light," "medium" and "heavy" to name the grades were naturally chosen. As the demand for more grades grew, names for higher and for intermediate ranges were added, such as "extra heavy," "special heavy," "super-extra-heavy" and "extra medium," "medium heavy" and "special medium." The result was confusing. One company's "extra heavy" would be of higher body than their "special heavy," while this order would be reversed with another. Some adopted the letters of the alphabet as an index to their grades, either at the beginning or at the end of the alphabet; others used numbers.

Owner Should Know Price of Repair Job

Casting a glance here and there about one's favorite repair shop or service station is a profitable occupation at times. An instance is to be found in the case of the price schedules that are posted in those places which go in for "flat rate work."

Under the impression that it is too expensive, the car owner frequently defers having a necessary repair made to the automobile. The shop's price schedule often teaches the error of such a surmise. Repair prices are well worth knowing and every motorist should arm himself with this knowledge.

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EUROPE TO FIGHT AMERICA TO HOLD ITS AUTO MARKET

Quantity Production to Be Undertaken as One Means to Meet Competition.

APPEARANCE OF CARS VERY MUCH IMPROVED

England to Introduce Fabric Body on Large Scale; Many More Styles.

By WILLIAM ULLMAN.

European motor car manufacturers are not going to lose their domestic or export markets to American automotive producers without a struggle. This is the fact of most outstanding significance in current continental motor developments, according to American observers, who are astonished at the host of new makes and models now being offered by manufacturers whose names have been renowned for conservative craftsmanship.

French, British, German and Italian motor car makers apparently have taken many leaves out of the book of American motor car practice—leaves which deal with design, production methods and marketing technique. Most outstanding among these adaptations is that which deals with production in quantity. Apparently this idea, which many believe hard to reconcile with continental and British temperament, at last has caught on and will be a factor definitely to be reckoned with by the American car exporter.

The advantage of a multiplicity of models has won many converts in Europe, and firms whose names long have been associated with fine cars in the high-price class now are to be found introducing products in the medium and even in the low-cost fields. And, stranger still, some makers who have specialized in low and medium price tiers today are going higher. An especially noteworthy case is that of one of the most popular small French cars.

In thus reaching out for every possible market with cars designed with low production costs obviously in mind, the European car maker is evidencing a conviction that the way to meet American competition is to adopt similar weapons.

Many of the strictly American car features which have contributed to the popularity of these creations in Europe now have been adopted by the native manufacturer. These include not only engine units of identical design, but engine accessories, among them oil purifiers, air cleaners, and gasoline filters.

The magneto, which has remained in vogue for years in European design, at last is giving way to generator and battery lighting and starting, a change that many declare has been dictated entirely by the popularity of this feature on American cars sold in Europe. Intake manifolding practice also has undergone changes that makes it more consistent with the American idea, in that exhaust gases are being utilized for "hot spot" purposes.

The array of new cars and the more or less sudden exhibition of radical progressiveness on the part of many makers whose reputation for sound conservatism was the product of years, is said to be truly astonishing. In France, something very much comparable to American developments is noted in the presence of many new "inline" eight-cylinder cars. At least twelve such creations now are available to the French motorist, and the variety is indicated in the fact that they range from 91½ cubic inches piston displacement to 445 cubic inches.

Meet American Competition.

Of the 50-odd six-cylinder cars to be seen in Paris showrooms, W. . Bradley, writing in Automotive Industries, declares that "nearly half have been produced with the direct object of meeting American competition on the foreign, and, to a certain extent, on the home market."

If American practice has followed in certain ways, it has been ignored and transcended in others. This is held most evident in the introduction of the fabric body on a grand scale in England. Virtually every manufacturer, from the low to the high price class, is offering closed cars, particularly the sedan, in fabric, a type body which has yet found comparatively limited support in the United States. In addition to the fabric-bodied closed car, certain British manufacturers are showing open cars with flexible exterior surfaces.

Supercharged passenger cars, which never have passed the "talked about"

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LANE PLAN ADVOCATED TO SPEED UP TRAFFIC

Dealer Holds Adequate Signals Essential to Avoid Tie-Ups.

SWEEPING REFORM URGED

Keeping in one's proper lane and giving completely adequate signals are two essential rules of modern driving which the Washington motorist must obey in the interest of the safe and expeditious movement of traffic.

This is especially true, according to Oscar Coolican, local motor car distributor, since the volume of traffic in the National Capital is so large, and is growing so significantly all the time. Washington's wide, main arteries of travel are especially adapted to this form of "intelligent driving," he says, pointing out that widespread pursuance of the policy would result in a vast betterment in all driving conditions.

"Every motorist has experienced the delay and annoyance of being cut-off by the other driver making a right-hand turn from the center of the street or a left-hand turn from the right curb," says Mr. Coolican. "Likewise thousands have found themselves, through their own carelessness, blocked behind turning traffic when their intention was to proceed directly ahead. Unthinkingly, they got into the wrong lane of travel at a considerable expense of time and mental calm."

Experience of this kind, it would seem, would be emphatic instruction in the wisdom of finding one's proper place on the street, Mr. Coolican asserts. However, continuation of the situation, or, even worse, its growing acuteness, indicates that experience is failing as a teacher, at least in this important respect, he ponts out.

"Being victimized by the same mistake over and over again, whether it is the other person's error or one's own, would be absolutely unnecessary if proper heed were paid to this fundamental of good driving," he declares. "Scientific traffic research still may have a long way to go, but at least it has proved beyond dispute that much of the delay in motor-vehicle movement is due to wrong-lane, signaless driving.

"The solution of the problem is a sweeping reform on the part of the individual. He can benefit himself and others immeasurably if, at all times, he will see to it that he makes his turns from the proper lane and after giving an adequate signal. For right turns the car should be as close to the right curb as possible. For left turns the center of the street is the proper place, although a proposal now is before the District Commissioners to change this. Until they act, however, the present left-turn regulation stands, and must be obeyed."

In this and in many other ways traffic can be speeded up if the individual will conform to conditions which are quite obvious, Mr. Coolican is convinced.

The Old Mechanic Says:

More and more of my business is comin from those car owners who like to boast about never botherin' to inspect the points of their spark plugs. They don't come in here and complain about ignition trouble or anythin' quite so simple as that. They just say, "There's somethin wrong with this car—no power on hills—no speed. Guess I've bought a lemon."

They almost force me to get into the car and see for myself, and when I start checkin' up on the plugs they laugh at my simple-mindedness.

Well, I guess we'll all learn sooner or later that we can't get along without the essentials, and good spark certainly is one of the most important of these. Without good spark there can't be efficient combustion, and what is an automobile if it's weak on the internal combustion?

Most of us seem to forget that we've got to have good spark over the car's entire speed range. I recall one owner who said he was perfectly satisfied with the way the car ran when he was just runnin' around town, but that it was no good when he got 'er out on the open road and stepped on the gas.

If the points are over .025 inch in clearance the engine will not perform right on hills, unless it is such a big car that you can't tell whether it's 75 per cent "there" or 100. Too wide gaps will cut down the speed also, and if one tries to get top speed under these conditions one is sure to have the engine strugglin'.

You don't want the points too close, otherwise you'll have trouble with the idlin'. Just have the clearance enough so that the engine idles all right and then you'll know ignition will be right for high speeds and hill climbin'.

DEMANDS FOR UNIFIED TRAFFIC RULES GROW

Motorist Confused by Various Regulations in Different States.

What has been described as "intelligent unity of action" in the regulation of motor vehicles and motor vehicular traffic, is declared to be the growing demand in automotive circles, and, for that matter, it is the "growing demand" of the world at large—as much so as automobile and merchants' associations can make it.

Motor cars have been pouring out of factories into the streets and roads of the country for a quarter of a century now. There are more than 23,000,000 of them in service in the United States. Distances have been reduced until a trip that used to require all day is made in an hour or less. Towns, cities, counties and States are no longer isolated entities. Boundary lines have become even more imaginary than the equator used to be in school geographies.

But all this time the political subdivisions of the country have preserved their identity in a confusing individuality of laws. In the various States of the Union, the highway speed limits vary from 20 to 45 miles an hour.

In some cities it is illegal to pass a trolley car while it is discharging or receiving passengers; in others it is lawful to go by if a safety zone of eight or more feet is left between the automobile and the car. Signs and lights vary as to meaning and position from town to town, and parking regulations not only differ in different cities, but are often left undefined for the visiting motorist to guess at.

Even in the same metropolitan areas streets are laid out in one section without reference to the streets and traffic conditions in another section, despite the fact that motor cars pass by the thousands from one end of the district to the other.

In the laying out of city and suburban streets, for instance, things are going along in pretty much the same old hit-or-miss way. This is the subject of the current monthly report of the street traffic committee of the National Automobile Chamber fo Commerce.

Edwin S. Jordan, the chairman of the committee, points out in this report that "in most of our large metropolitan areas we have often twenty, sometimes four times twenty, different municipal, borough and city authorities, each running its own street plan."

"Even the most selfish interests," he goes on, "would dictate that these authorities should have a clearing house so that at least the streets of one section of the metropolitan area could be laid out in some harmony with the streets of the other sections."

But the authorities prefer to go it alone, and for this reason, Mr. Jordan thinks, they are likely to encounter public impatience sooner or later. For "once the public learns that its money is being wasted because no effort is being made to lay out a consistent metropolitan system the reaction will make itself effectively heard."

Great Britain Resents Appearance of U. S. Cars

Not so many years ago, British motor car makers were inclined to look deprecatingly upon the appearance qualities of the American automobile.

Today, that situation has been reversed. Authority for the statement is found in remarks made before the Metropolitan Section of the Society of Automotive Engineers by A. E. P. Phillips, an officer of the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, of London.

"You beat us all hollow in the matter of appearance," Mr. Phillips declared. "There is no question of it and they are feeling that very much in England."

Location of Keys Vital to Motorist

More frequently used than any other keys, those which unlock various features of the automobile—transmission, ignition, spare tire and the like—deserve the most prominent places on the motorist's keyring. According them such position makes for efficiency.

An excellent practice used by many far-seeing car owners is to place ignition and transmission keys at the extreme ends of the keyholder. In the next two places the spare tire and door keys are to be found. The method is simplicity itself.

INDIFFERENCE LEADS AS CAUSE OF STALLS

Motorist's Attitude Toward Basic Car-Care Features Is Held Too Casual.

Indifference to the fundamentals of car-care is responsible for more than 50 per cent of the calls for assistance that come from motorists stalled on the street, highway, or in their own garages, according to an analysis of the emergency road service records of the District of Columbia division of the American Automobile Association. Pointing out the results of the survey, T. F. Behler, manager of the local division, declares that its purpose is to indicate to car owners the wisdom of giving the car the proper kind of attention.

The concrete way in which the analysis shows that the motorist may benefit himself starts with a discussion of tire troubles, which cause the greatest number of S O S calls.

"Of 25,000 such calls for help 25.2 per cent are due to tire troubles," says Mr. Behler. "A study of these calls by service experts indicates that, beyond punctures, which are almost inevitable at times, more than 60 per cent of the trouble is due to continued running with tires that either are overinflated or underinflated, mostly the latter, of course."

Next come battery and ignition ills. This malady accounts for 24.2 per cent of the emergency service requests.

Third in importance as a source of emergency service calls comes the "can't start" case, the records of the club show. Dirt in the carburetor or feed line, water somewhere in the fuel system, disconnected choke rods, frozen radiators, and water jackets—all troubles about which the motorist should have sufficient knowledge to take the necessary preventive steps had he the inclination—are responsible for such emergency needs, Mr. Behler says.

In spite of the fact that the car manufacturer and accessory maker have produced vastly superior measuring devices than ever before, 7 per cent of the calls were of the "out of gas" variety.

It is not altogether a matter of removing the noise in tightening the timing chain. The intermittent strains on the loose chain are likely to result in breakage.

ENGINEER DECLARED BENEFIT TO INDUSTRY

Shows Value of Standardization, Drake Asserts to Automotive Association.

The greatest thing that the automotive engineer has done for the benefit of American industry is to demonstrate through the great force of cooperation that the engineer can do for an industry something which an industry can not do for itself in any other way.

This was pointed out by J. Walter Drake, former Assistant Secretary of Commerce, in a recent address before a New York meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers. It is Drake's conviction that the S. A. E. has proved that in standardization lies the whole success of the industry.

Regarding the future and the mission of the engineer in the period in our economic life which we are now facing, Mr. Drake said that business men also have learned their lesson of cooperation. The most striking illustration of this is the existence of hundreds of trade associations which have united for a common purpose and, through human contact, established a basis of sympathy and a common understanding, in the light of which they have attacked the problems of their industries and gone a long way toward solving them.

The leadership of the engineer in the future, he declared, will consist in a continual development of the cooperative spirit which has marked the whole course of progress of the society and made the success of the automotive industry possible. Continued exertion of this kind is needed, and the enlistment of the other groups of manufacturers and producers, in an effort to lead them down the pathway of science on which, and only on which, lies the future success of this country in its great industrial development.

Battery Acid Puts Holes in Gloves.

Don't ruin a pair of gloves when you test the battery. There is an excellent chance for some of the water and acid to be spilled on the top of the battery and in replacing caps the gloves are likely to come into contact with it. Inevitably, they will be a mass of holes the next time you put them on. Acid that gets on the hands during the process will not injure the skin. It will be well, however, to wash the hands thoroughly after the job is finished.

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With the greatest single month's shipments in all Hupmobile history, February—shortest month in the year—hangs up a new high record for Hupmobile sales.

February marked a new high point in a sales curve that started sharply upward last October. November shattered all previous records. October, November and December proved the greatest last quarter in Hupmobile's 20 years of manufacturing. January 1928 exceeded January 1927 by 32% in total volume of business.

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LAFAYETTE OVERRATED, GRAPHOLOGISTS THINK

Rancor Seen in Most Signatures of His Era, They Contend.

SPELLING IS MENTIONED

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—"Lafayette," for a century the reigning toast at Franco-American gatherings, was after all but a paltry personage, judging from his signature, say graphologists.

The experts who profess to tell character from handwriting profiting by the opportunity afforded them by the mass of manuscripts among the relics of the French revolution now on exhibition at the French National Library, are busy reversing the verdicts of history.

Rancor is the characteristic which strikes them most among the celebrities of the epoch. It stands out in almost every signature Rancor and atrocious spelling, Charlotte Corday being one of the worst offenders in the latter respect.

By way of compensation Robespierre emerges almost whitewashed. His writing shows him as in every way preferable to Danton, whom he sent coldbloodedly to the guillotine.

King Louis XVI writes himself down as good, kind and pious, while Marie Antoinette appears as brutal and passionate. As for Talleyrand, he was a mystic with a consistent and coordinating intellect.

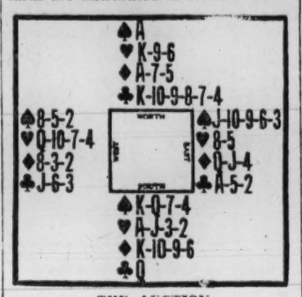
Hindenburg, Schurman Talk of Heidelberg

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—When President von Hindenburg and Ambassador Jacob Gould Schurman get together for a chat, the conversation almost invariably turns to Heidelberg, the Associated Press is informed by one of the president's closest coworkers.

"I have never seen an alumnus of a university speak with greater love and veneration of his Alma Mater than your ambassador when the word Heidelberg is mentioned," he said. "His eyes flash, his gestures become animated, his words are pronounced with great feeling." President von Hindenburg, too, loves Heidelberg, even though, as a military man, he has never been a student there He is, therefore, quite happy to have a distinguished American strike common ground with him in extolling the praises of this ancient German seat of learning.

Mr. Work's Pointer On Auction Bridge

ONE of the best practical tests for Bridge players is to show the thirteen cards in Dummy and thirteen in Closed Hand and ask how the Declarer should plan his campaign Today's hand furnishes that test; the reader should look at Closed Hand and Dummy, and decide how to handle it. Then the full play, which furnishes a fine example of the advantage of planning a campaign, should be noted. The cards are distributed as follows:



THE AUCTION

Round	South	West	North	East
1.	1 Spade	Pass	1 No Trump	Pass
2.	Pass	Pass		

South has the high-card strength for a No Trump declaration and has three suits safely stopped (indeed it may be said that all three probably are stopped twice; but the fourth suit is a singleton. If that singleton were an Ace or King, No Trump probably would be the wisest declaration; but with a singleton Queen, there is grave doubt as to whether No Trump should be bid or the higher-valued of the Major suits (Spades) should be named. It is a close question but the Spade bid is more conservative.

North, although holding the Ace of his partner's suit, has that Ace alone; he has the two red suits stopped and is long and reasonably strong in Clubs His hand looks as if No Trump would work much better than Spades, so he denies his partner's Major with the No Trump declaration.

The Play.

The Spade Jack is, of course, the opening lead and, with the singleton Ace in the Closed Hand, the Declarer plays small from Dummy. Planning a campaign, as our readers are asked to do before they read further and as they should do with each hand in real life, the Declarer can see three Spade tricks, two heart tricks and two Diamond tricks that can be run off the reel. An extra Heart could be made if the finesse went right, and a thirteenth Heart might be set up; but the chance in favor of the former is only even, and in favor of the latter much less than even. The sure play of the hand is to make up the long Clubs in the Closed Hand. This can be done with the loss of only two Club tricks, and doing it assures fou Clubs in addition to the seven tricks above named, or a total of five-odd. The point concerning which Declarer must exercise care is his ability to cash his Clubs after he establishes them. He originally had three entries, one in each of the other three suits; but one is now gone. Should he lead a small Club and play the Queen from Dummy, it would work perfectly provided the adversaries took it with the Ace; but if they allowed the Dummy to win that Club trick, the Declarer's hope of running Clubs would vanish because there still would be two Club tricks left for the adversaries, and while he has two entries which would enable him to establish the Clubs, he would not have an entry to run them after he had established them. Declarer can meet this situation by leading the King of Clubs from the Closed Hand; of course Dummy's Queen will fall under it, but there seems to be little chance that the adversaries will not make two Club tricks no matter how Declarer plays his Clubs. If North lead out his King as suggested it does not matter whether an adversary takes the first Club trick or not. If not, North will be the leader and will continue the Clubs, consequently, as East and West can take only two Club tricks, North's two entries will be sufficient for Declarer's purpose. The first will put him in after he losses one Club, and the second will put him in to run the remaining good Clubs after they have been established.

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Oil Filler Pipe is Breathing Tube.

The oil filler pipe in the average engine also serves another purpose This purpose is to allow for "crankcase breathing." The pistons tend to compress the air in the case and so there must be a breather tube Some engines have a separate tube for this purpose, while others combine the breathing feature with the oil filler pipe.

AUDIENCE SETS UP HOWL AT 'META MUSIC' CONCERT

Listeners Revolt at Storming Piano and Wailing Wood Instruments.

CONDUCTOR ASKS ORDER

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—"Meta-music" has come to town and even ear-hardened modernists rose and howled and stamped when the wild, weird noise of Alban Berg's "Chamber Concert" assailed them at its recent presentation in Paris.

Walter Straram, the notable conductor, twice had to stop his "orchestra" of one storming piano and thirteen wind instruments and protest against the public uproar. Much of the audience and most of the critics praised his courage.

"Perhaps it isn't music," says Emile Vuillermoz, a leading musical authority. "so let's call it meta-music."

Admittedly, the thing is too long, say partisans of the Viennese composer, but they see in it a new mastery of noise, free of all relation with the "obsolete definition of music as an assemblage of sounds pleasing to the ear."

When one of the horn-blowers, playing the part of Orpheus, caused strange sounds to be bellowed out at the piano and the twelve other hard-working noise makers, who represented wild animals, a goodly percentage of the listeners, hand over ears, bellowed in reply.

"Meta-music," says a critic, "got its baptism of fire." "It may not be pleasant and doubtless we don't understand it," says another, "but it's interesting."

Man Victoria Kissed Dies at Irish Home

Ballymoney, County Antrim, Ireland, March 3 (A. P.).—Daniel McCoy, whose proudest boast was that he was kissed by Queen Victoria, is dead.

The great queen was inspecting the Sherwood Foresters regiment in 1863 when she spied the young McCoy, a trumpeter and not yet 16 years old. Stooping, she gave the lad a motherly kiss, then said:

"I think you are too young to be a soldier yet. It is at home with your mother you should be."

Prince of Wales Now Much Better Talker

London, England, March 3 (A.P.).—The Prince of Wales is believed to have been under the training of experts in public speaking, as many of his mannerisms have disappeared, and in recent speeches he has shown far greater repose. He now speaks at dinners with one hand in his pocket and the other in repose on the table.

Formerly he used to pull at his coat in a manner which became so noticeable that picture records of his public appearances were often laughable. Hands, with the prince, as with all persons who speak or sing in public, were a serious problem. But he has learned how to keep them out of his way.

MOVIES ARE TOO NEW FOR FRENCH DEPUTIES

Raise Uproar at Attempt to Take Motion Picture of Poincare.

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Psychologists are puzzling over why the Chamber of Deputies recently raised such an uproar that the attempt to take a motion picture of Poincare mounting the rostrum had to be abandoned. It was the first time the movies had been admitted, it is true, but the occasion was notable and the picture was not a film company stunt but an official picture for posterity.

"There are two backward peoples in the world that will not let themselves be filmed," says one humorous writer. "The first is a tribe south of Lake Tanganyika, in East Africa; the second is a tribe of politicians just south of the Seine." The deputies themselves aren't very clear as to why they objected to being in the movies. Most of them say they instinctively reacted against the battery of cameras and calcium lights "because it was new," something that hadn't yet been done in the traditionbound chamber.

It took years of argument for newspaper men to get a press gallery and even for the chamber to have a stenographic record made of the proceedings. Ordinary people, therefore, think the deputies eventually will wake up to find themselves in modern times and let the movies show the people how parliament looks in action.

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MODERN FRENCH GIRL SHOCKS HER PARENTS

Taking Sandwiches to Dances Is Latest Craze of Foreign Flapper.

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—Modern youth is flabbergasting French papas and mammas with a new set of party manners. Girls of high school age go alone to dance now and they meet there, their "dancers," often unknown to the hostess but invited at the suggestion of the girls. In definite contrast with their parents, who look askance at foreigners, the girls show decided preference for all nationalities of the globe, except their own.

Instead of the time-honored method of the hostess providing the buffet lunch, each girl brings sandwiches, cake and so forth and the boy is expected to bring a bottle of champagne. That sounds rather wicked for young people but as champagne is expensive a goodly proportion of the boys bring only their own charming selves. Those who bring wine get a cheap variety that is a first cousin to apple cider and there rarely is any intoxicating quantity.

Introductions are getting to be a lost art but if a boy is a good dancer, the girls inquire his name and address and he shortly receives invitations to other parties at houses where he has never been. The girls scorn the boys their families know and they completely upset the old French notion of decorum which requires a girl to be chaperoned everywhere until her debut.

How to Order New Parts.

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EUROPE TO BATTLE AMERICA TO HOLD ITS AUTO MARKET

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stage in America, are being offered by British, German, and Italian manufacturers to provide another point of departure from conventional procedure in the United States.

The overhead valve engine which found many proponents among the European car makers for years after many Americans had begun to turn to side valves is noticeably less prominent among the continental and British products this year Hypoid and worm type final drives are gaining increasing attention both in France and England

Goals of Manufacturers.

Throughout the entire European industry, it is evident that objectives of so much concern to the American car maker have made a definite appeal Better appearance, improved performance, economy of upkeep and operation, and lower initial cost are goals toward which energies are being concentrated.

In connection with the former, it is interesting to note that color as a means toward the end of individuality has impressed itself upon the manufacturer who formerly seemed committed to the theor that the only way to achieve this desirable sales quality was through varied body designs. Daring, exceptional even when measured by American standards, is to be found in the finishing of European cars on which the most igorous of shades are used with startlingly harmonious effect.

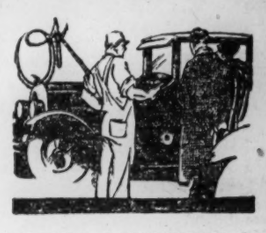
Several changes incorporated in a number of the new European cars are directly attributed to the desire to simplify the problem of keeping the cars serviced. American practice in this respect always has been regarded as considerably in advance of its competition, but the margin of superiority apparently is diminishing.

In summation, it is apparent that the American car maker whose export trade established a new record in 1927, will face a stiffer fight in the future. But, the greatest industry of the United States thrives on competition, if its past is a criterion.

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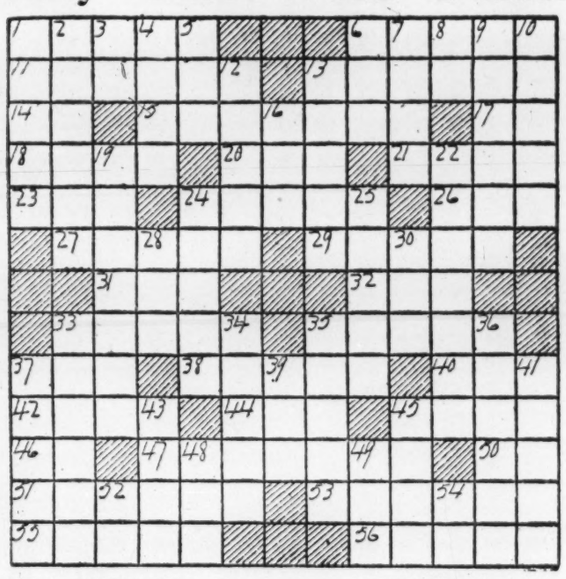
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6 An ait
11 Small village
13 Animate
14 Alias
15 Demanded as a right
17 Daddy (baby talk)
18 Open or pasture land in South Africa.
20 Posed
21 Kind
23 Ostrich-like bird
24 Dried grain stem
26 Possesses
27 Reptile
29 "Saint" after whom some hotels and restaurants are named
31 Yell
32 Game of cards
33 Glittering brightness
35 Covered colonnades
37 Definite article
38 Painful places
40 National Education Ass'n (abbr.)
42 Be silent!
44 Prefix: "above"
45 Makes a practice of
46 Forward
47 Jacks or better (poker)
50 Prefix: "doubly"
51 Occupies a chair
53 Appeared
55 Ethereal salt (chem.) compound
56 Buy and sell

VERTICAL.

1 Push
2 Oriental woman's quarters
3 Exist
4 Ran away
5 The "Lone Star State" (abbr.)
6 Anger
7 Pieces of turf
8 Lutecium (symb.)
9 Apocrypal Book of the Bible
10 Mammary glands
12 Flavor
13 Fragrant oil made from rose leaves
16 Automobile
19 Takes a light meal
22 Persons living in the "Buckeye State"
24 Variety of dogs
25 Part of a shot (pl)
28 Have existence
30 Sticky substance (slang)
33 Polishes
34 Discovered by prying
35 Withers
36 Sowed
37 The persons or things mentioned
39 Brook
41 Away
43 Carry
45 The exercise of a right (law)
48 Through
49 To steep
52 Near
54 Mother

SOLUTION OF PRECEDING PUZZLE.

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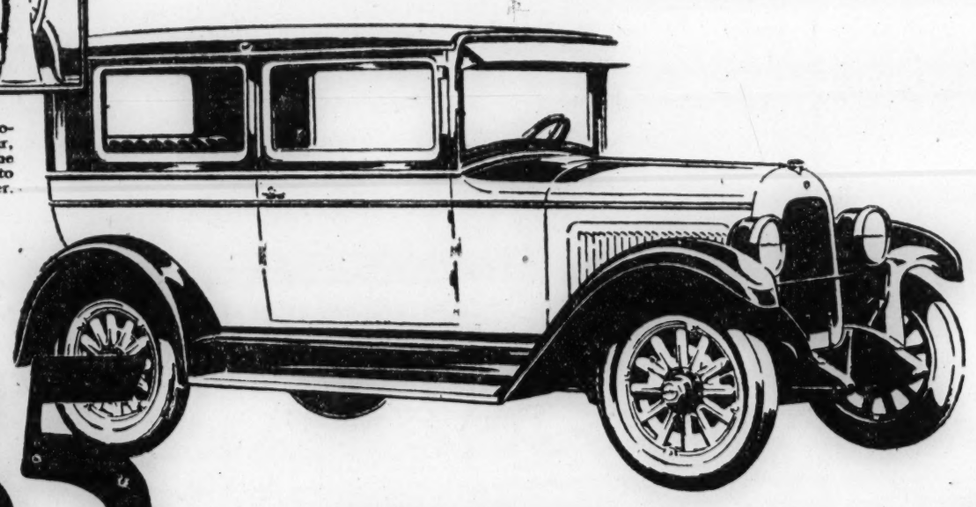
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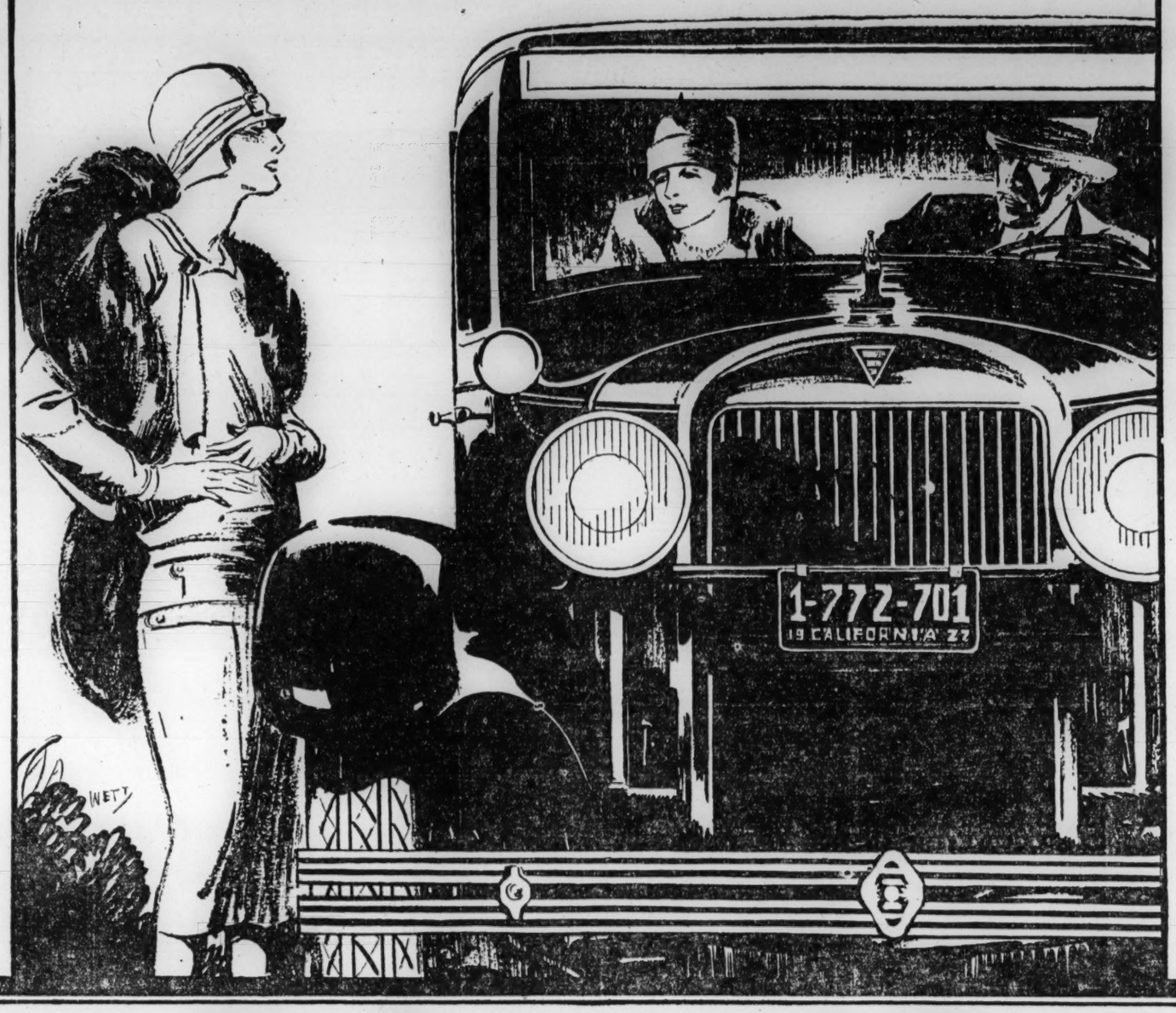
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Familiarity With Your Product.

At the speaking contest of the Washington Real Estate Board held in connection with its regular meeting on last Tuesday night a number of members of that organization made addresses on the subject of "Why Washington is the Best City in Which to Reside." These addresses required a large amount of preparation by the contestants. In fact, the committee of judges, which was composed of prominent citizens of the city, in rendering their decision, commented upon the amount of preparation which the speeches disclosed.

The addresses of the men who entered this contest were interesting in the extreme and the enthusiasm displayed by the audience indicated the fact that those present were proud of the outstanding features of Washington as a residential city as stressed by these speakers. We are of the opinion, however, that the persons reaping the most benefit from this speaking contest were the speakers themselves, for the reason that it required of them an intensive study of the advantages of the city and accordingly a greater familiarity with the product with which they deal.

The editor of this column is therefore prompted to propound these interrogatories to those engaged in real estate activities: "Are you familiar with your product—real estate?" "Have you a knowledge of the selling points of your city?"

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Petty, John A.
Petty & Petty.
Petty, Thomas E.
Philips, William S., & Co.
Quick Realty Co., Inc.
Quinn Co., Inc., John.
Rawlings, Jesse W.
Riker Realty Co.
Russell Co., Percy H.
Rust Co., H. L.
Sager, Charles D.
Sansbury Co., N. L.
Saul Co., B. F.
Saunders Co., Inc., Wm. H.
Schwab, Valk & Canby.
Schiavone, Joseph.
Scrivener & Bro., John.
Seay, Harry A.
Shannon & Luchs, Inc.
Shapiro Co., The Joseph.
Shea, James F.
Shoemaker, Louis P.
Shreve, Charles S.
Simpson & Co., C. W.
Small & Co., C. H.
Smith, E. Quincy.
Stone & Fairfax.
Story & Co.
Sullivan Bros.
Swartzell, Rheem & Hensey Co.
Takoma Park Realty Co.
Terrell & Little, Inc.
Thompson & Co., Inc., John W.
Thornton, H. L.
Turner, Lloyd R.
Waggaman & Brawner, Inc.
Walker & Co., Inc., Allan E.
Walker, J. Curtis.
Walker, William H.
Walshe, Inc., P. J.
Wardman Construction Co., Inc.
Lewis, H. Latane.
Lincoln National Bank.
Warren, Monroe & Robert Bates.
Washington Loan & Trust Co.
Weaver Bros., Inc.
Weedon & Co., J. C.
Weeks, Ernest P.
Welch, Harry S.
Weller, Joseph I.
West Company, W. H.
Westcott & Co., Horace H.
Wilcox, Hane & Co., Inc.
Woodward, James Morris.
Worthington & Son, George Y.
Zantzinger, O. B.

BOARD WILL REWARD SERVICE OF CITIZENS

Realtors to Present Watch for Outstanding Aid to Community.

As an evidence of its interest in civic affairs and as an incentive to the citizens of the District of Columbia to be more active in matters which tend to the benefit of our community, the Washington Real Estate Board announces that it will present each year to the citizen of the District who has been most active in the affairs and who has accomplished the most outstanding thing for our community a gold watch, which is to be known as the Washington Real Estate Board's Service Watch. The award of this watch will be made by a committee which will be selected by the board and whose duty it will be to review the civic activities of the District and to select the person whose efforts have been most beneficial to the community. This committee will be selected from among the civic organizations and the distinguished citizens of Washington.

An award of this watch each year will be made at the board's annual banquet, which is usually held in the spring. The first award will therefore be made for the year 1928.

The board and its members are intensely interested in civic affairs and the uplift of the community and desires in this way to recognize the services of the persons who have the interests of Washington at heart and who are willing to sacrifice time and personal convenience for their community.

CAPITAL EXTOLLED BY LOCAL REALTORS, SPEAKING FOR CUPS

"Why Washington Is the Best City in Which to Reside," Topic at Meeting.

CONTEST IS SPONSORED BY PRESIDENT MILLER

A. C. Houghton and H. T. Gibson Declared Victors in Their Respective Divisions.

The meeting of the Washington Real Estate Board which was held on Tuesday evening at Wardman Park Hotel was one of the most exceptional meetings ever held by this organization.

The principal feature of the session was a five-minute speaking contest on the subject "Why Washington Is the Best City in Which to Reside." The prizes for this contest were silver cups given by the president of the board, W. C. Miller, one to be presented to the best speaker in the active division of the board and one to the best speaker among the associate members. The rules require that in order to obtain permanent possession of these cups the speakers must win them on three occasions.

The attendance at the meeting was large and a great deal of enthusiasm was in evidence. The efforts of every speaker were received with long applause.

Only One in One Competition.

There were several entries from the active membership, but when called upon the only entrant to respond was Arthur C. Houghton, and accordingly the cup was awarded to him. There were five entries from the associate division, as follows: Henry T. Gibson, William I. Irby, jr., Albert George Hughes, C. Eugene Doyle and Howard R. Stewart. Mr. Gibson, of the office of Boss & Phelps, was considered by the judges as the best speaker from the associate division, and accordingly the cup was presented to him. Mr. Hughes, of Hedges & Middleton, was awarded honorable mention for his efforts.

The judges of the contest were Jesse C. Atkins, president of the Bar Association; George O. Walson, president of Liberty National Bank, and Arthur Bishop, president of the District, Washington and Lawyers Title Insurance Co., and in making their awards the judges complimented all of the speakers on the large amount of careful preparation which the speakers made in outlining their addresses.

This speaking contest is a new feature on the part of the Washington board and was initiated by Mr. Miller. From the indorsement which was received at this meeting it is likely that there will be a larger number of entries in the contest to be held next year.

Address by Houghton.

Mr. Houghton's address is as follows:

"I am going to paint for you tonight a word picture of our Nation's Capital, the city beautiful.

"Located in a great amphitheater, the sides of which gently rise to a height of 300 feet, above the Potomac River, whose tidal waters bound it on the South and West, it occupies a place of prominence, where the sun finds its way into its deepest valleys.

"Free from all marsh lands to cause disease, supplied with an abundance of pure, cold filtered water, with the most scientific sewerage and drainage facilities, Washington is above the average city in health reports.

"An average temperature in the winter of 35 degrees and in the summer of 75 degrees, allows but few uncomfortable days.

Grandeur of Streets Thrills.

"One thrills with the grandeur of the wide, clean streets and avenues lined with stately shade trees. In some places the graceful elms completely arch the wide thoroughfares. The cherry blossoms in the spring and the natural scenery in Rock Creek Park at any season of the year are an added charm to the city. Its 70 public playgrounds and its parks are all within ten or fifteen minutes from the heart of the residential section.

"The city takes high rank as an educational center. The 168 public schools and the many private schools are entirely modern and adequate to the needs of the population. Among the universities, Georgetown, George Washington, American and Catholic stand out prominently in the life of the city as well as the nation. Its Governmental institutions offer students unparalleled opportunities for research and study.

"With a population of over half a million, and steadily growing, property values continue to increase.

"Excellent transportation facilities bring one into the heart of our up-to-date shopping district from the remotest corners of our city in less than 30 minutes. The wealth of our city is administered through 42 progressive banking institutions.

Gateway of Six Trunk Lines.

"As the gateway of six trunk lines leading from the sunny South into the Northland, the city is well supplied with southern fruits and vegetables throughout the winter months. These are supplemented by fresh supplies from nearby farms and orchards, and with an abundance of fresh and salt water fish and game from our own waters by two steamboat lines plying the Potomac and Chesapeake Bay.

"Essentially a residential city, the seat of our Federal Government, about 40 per cent of our working population is employed in the administration of our Federal and District affairs. The other 60 per cent is employed in manufacturing, trades, and the professions.

"Many legation buildings and handsome homes adorn its boulevards and avenues. The social life, with its Presidential, Congressional, Army, Navy and diplomatic circles, keep the city in a whirl.

"It is a city of beautiful churches, many of them national in their scope.

"In the shadow of the great cathedral, on the heights of Mount Saint Alban, face the south and look out as from the first balcony of the amphi-

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FIGURES IN SPEAKING CONTEST



Winners and contestants in the five-minute speaking contest on "Why Washington Is the Best City in Which to Reside" at a meeting of the Washington Real Estate Board Tuesday night. Upper, left to right—A. C. Houghton, winner in the active member group, and Henry T. Gibson, winner in the associate division. Lower—C. Eugene Doyle and William I. Irby, jr., two of the speakers in the associate division.

REALTY BOARD ENDS SCHOOL FOR SEASON

Many Students Obtain Certificates—Will Be Enlarged Next Semester.

The annual Y. M. C. A. school in real estate has closed its semester. Monday, in pursuance with the regular curriculum, examinations and tests were held in order that the students in the class might qualify to obtain the certificates which are awarded annually. The school has been unusually popular. The Washington Real Estate Board was a pioneer in starting the educational movement, which has grown to include State universities and institutions of high educational learning.

The board will continue this work on an enlarged scale next year, as members feel the advantages offered, not only to members of the real estate profession, but particularly the younger members to become competent, thus better able to look after their interests and the interest of the citizens, and by affording the general public an excellent opportunity for a thorough knowledge of the basic principle of the realty profession.

It is also a valuable asset not only to the person contemplating investment in real estate securities or real estate property, but to the home owner who is investing perhaps his life savings in property which he hopes will increase in value.

REALTORS CHECK UP ON MISLEADING ADS

Is Part of Board's Service to Investment Public of Community.

Checking misleading advertisements in the field of real estate is a part of a real estate board's service to the investment public of its community. Newspaper cooperation with real estate boards is proving useful in stopping publication of advertising claims that are found to be misrepresentations, a number of member boards report to the national association. Here is what two board are doing: The MontclairVerona Real Estate Board in New Jersey has adopted a resolution making it imperative for members to avoid any hint of misrepresentation in their advertising. The resolution is as follows:

"That no member, active or associate, for himself or others, shall insert, publish or circulate in any form, printed or otherwise, any misleading or deceptive information or advertisement, and should such information or advertisement be circulated or published in error, the same shall be corrected within a reasonable time, and failure to do so shall be subject to charges for unethical conduct."

The Westchester County (N. Y.) Realty Board has offered its cooperation to the press of the county and New York City in checking up copy submitted for real estate ads about which there may be doubt as to veracity. One New York City paper has already submitted a batch of advertisements for the board's vise.

Manhattan Realty Assessed at 7 Billion

Irvin Cobb's book about Manhattan, "An Island That Cost $24," has drawn an editorial comment in Magazine of Business (System) to the effect that "Mr. Cobb's bill of sale was presumably dated 1626. Had that $24 been allowed to ride at 4 per cent interest, compounded annually, it would today amount to a paltry $3,091,811.66.

"We have done much better as a nation because the money was put into metropolitan real estate and the returns reinvested in a broad real estate and commercial development program stretching west to the Pacific and south to the Gulf."

The assessed value of the land and buildings on Manhattan Island today is officially given at $7,785,110,325.

ADDRESSES BARRED AT REALTOR DINNER

All Entertainment Acts Are Expected to Be Obtained Out of Town.

Plans are now being made for the third annual banquet of the Washington Real Estate Board to be held at the Willard Hotel March 31, which promises to be by far the most popular and elaborate function yet conducted by the organization, according to announcement made yesterday. Clarence F. Donohoe, general chairman of the committee, has announced that the entire evening will be devoted to entertainment and no speeches will be permitted.

The entertainment committee is in correspondence with out-of-town people and it is expected that every act will be obtained from other cities. The announcement of this banquet has brought to the offices of the board reservations of 30 per cent of all available seats and as the committee has limited the sale of tickets to 600, there will be unquestionably a great demand for the remaining seats.

The chairmen of the subcommittees in charge of the banquet, Messrs. Donohoe, A. H. Lawson, Ben T. Webster, Lloyd F. Gaines, Fred A. Smith, T. L. Phillips, L. H. Brodie, Joseph A. Petty and William R. Ellis, will hold their next meeting on Wednesday March 7, at 1:30 o'clock.

BOWLING TEAMS TIED FOR LEAGUE HONORS

Shannon & Luchs and J. Dallas Grady Men Are in First Place.

As a result of losing two of the three games played with the Joseph Shapiro Co., the J. Dallas Grady Team now finds itself tied for first place with Shannon & Luchs. Wednesday night Hedges & Middleton took two games from Wardman, Cafritz took two games from Boss & Phelps, Shannon & Luchs took three games from the J. E. Douglass Team, the Title Co. took three from Edward R. Carr and the Jarrell Co. Team took two from M. & R. B Warren.

High team game for the evening was rolled by Humphries, of the Grady Team, with a score of 136. Shoemaker, of the Jarrell Team, rolled high individual set with a score of 341.

The Cafritz Team rolled high team game and high team set for the evening with scores of 574 and 1,579, respectively.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

	W.	L.
J. Dallas Grady	44	25
Shannon & Luchs	44	25
Hedges & Middleton	43	26
Joseph Shapiro Co.	41	28
Cafritz	40	29
Edward R. Carr	35	34
District Title Co.	34	35
Boss & Phelps	33	36
J. E. Douglass	31	38
M. & R. B. Warren	29	40
Wardman Construction Co.	28	41
Thomas E. Jarrell Co.	12	57

Free-Lot Schemes Held Big Menace

The Washington Real Estate Board and the local Better Business Bureau have from time to time published many articles condemning the free lot schemes engaged in by operators from time to time and have succeeded in driving out of the local community many undesirable ventures of this character.

The free lot schemes have been receiving the attention of real estate boards throughout the country, and the National Association of Real Estate Boards has considered the matter as a grave menace to the public.

CLARENCE C. HIEATT TELLS OF CHANGES IN REALTY BUSINESS

Unprecedented Activity Experienced Since 1921, Declares Retiring President.

NEW TRADE FRONTIERS ESTABLISHED, HE SAYS

Asserts Realtor Boards Have Taken Lead in Framing Safety Laws.

By CLARENCE C. HIEATT,
Retiring President, National Association of Real Estate Boards.

We have been experiencing, since 1921, a time of unprecedented activity in real estate and in building. Great areas of the country have undergone a tremendous development. They have become new real estate frontiers.

Our nation within these same years has passed over a great dividing line. The census shows it to be no longer a nation predominantly rural, but instead a nation predominantly of urban communities. Population pressure is piling our cities skyward.

The spectacular rapidity of these changes has given an unprecedented interest in real estate as an investment.

These years, and particularly the last five years, have been years in which real estate boards have come to a new consciousness of what could be done to make the most intelligent use of our land resources. They have begun to gather a vast body of facts as to real estate and its trends. They have begun to build a literature of real estate, which would open the accumulated experience of leaders to the use of their business fellows. They are imposing self-made regulations as to the ethics involved in real estate transactions. They are developing their knowledge of real estate values, their acquaintance with the shifting of a city's use zones and their ability to estimate a building's rent roll before its foundation cassions are sunk. Through such accumulation of specialized information they have brought the business of real estate to the status of an emerging profession.

With all this, real estate boards, the only organizations which can speak for real property, have taken the lead in framing legislation that would safeguard real property development.

The past year has been a year in which we have soundly consolidated our gains in all these undertakings.

Federal Revenue Act.

Changes profoundly affecting real estate have been included in the Federal revenue bill of 1928 as the bill has passed the House and will shortly come before the Senate. While they do not affect tax rates they involve considerations involving millions of dollars to the real estate interests of the country. They include:

1. Definite exemption of real estate boards from Federal income taxation.

2. Privilege of making return on the instalment basis for real estate sales wherever the initial payments do not exceed 40 per cent of the selling price.

3. Extension to cooperative apartment owners as home owners the right to deduct for interest or tax payments on apartment homes.

4. Clarification to some extent of the status of real estate syndicates and trusts as to whether taxable as trusts or as corporations.

5. Provision that the seller of real estate who makes in the contract of sale an obligation for future purchase be permitted to deduct from his return an allowance for this future liability.

McFadden banking act enables national banks for first time to make five-year loans on both urban and farm real estate. Some $1,181,000,000 is expected thus to be made available for real estate investment.

Uniform State mortgage act adopted by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and indorsed by the American Bar Association. Uniform State law will enable investment capital piled up in one State to be drawn upon for real estate investment in other States.

Supreme Court Victory.

The United States Supreme Court in a case argued before it by the National Association of Real Estate Boards sustained the California real estate license act. The decision is a notable victory for the principle of license legislation in that it specifically upheld the provision, now found in the laws of a number of States, making one act sufficient to bring a broker under license requirement.

Three new States, Alabama, North Carolina, and Delaware, have enacted real estate license laws. A fourth, Ohio, has passed legislation putting such a law, passed last year, into effect. (Twenty-two States and one Canadian province now have such laws.)

Our newly organized States council is now considering pivotal points upon which State real estate groups may best concentrate in a concerted national advance toward modernization and equalization of our antiquated State tax systems. Amendment of State constitutions to permit classification of property for taxation, separation of the source of State and local tax revenue, and State taxation of intangible personalty, together, we believe are the wedge toward tax equalization.

Realtors of the State of Washington have this year won submission of a constitutional amendment for tax classification. (Kansas and Virginia already have such provision. Illinois realtors are asking for it.)

Four Long Strides Toward Better Appraisals.

1. A standard appraisal certificate has been drafted for central business property. The standard form lists every fact and factor needed for the making of a proper judgment of valuation.

2. A special appraisal division has been created within the association, in which every realtor interested in giving his experience to the development of accurate appraisal methods or sharing in the experience of appraisal specialists is invited to become a member.

3. A brief course in real estate appraisal methods has been developed. It is arranged so that it may be given as a real estate board class or, so that individuals may take the course directly under the national association's supervision. The University of Indiana has announced that it will use the course as official text for its newly opened course in real estate appraisals.

4. Twenty-four boards have this year been added to the list of those reporting official appraisal committees. More than 360 boards of the association now have appraisal committees.

To protect the good name of real estate appraisal against venal testimony the association has drafted a model bill which would empower the judge of the trial court to appoint a committee to give expert testimony on real estate valuations. Such a bill was passed by the Ohio Legislature, but was vetoed by the governor.

Safeguarding Real Estate Mortgages.

In order to safeguard the general public and the whole real estate business against unsound practices in the issuing of real property mortgage bonds, which, unknown seven years ago, are now issued at the rate of approximately $900,000,000 a year, the association has made definite and comprehensive recommendations to all houses issuing such bonds. The recommendations were made after long study and constitute a platform for property mortgage bond practice.

Pointing out that haphazard development of the fringe outside the city's corporate limits is bound to entail expensive recutting of arterial streets and the permanent blighting of valuable areas, the association has made definite recommendations to cities as to the form of control which should be set up over subdivision development in outlying regions. These recommendations have this year been adopted by the National City Planning Conference and by that body recommended to all cities. This joint action has been generally recognized as one of the largest accomplishments of the year in the advancement of sound city development.

Holding that outdoor advertising has a legitimate place, but should not be allowed to destroy community values, we have set up twelve proposals for billboard control. As earnest of our spirit we have included proposals for voluntary limitations of size and placement of our own advertising signs. (The proposals have already been incorporated in the regulations of some member boards.)

Standards in Home Building.

Establishment of standards by which homes may be classified is under study by the association's housing committee. Since a class A house, combining good architecture, material, workmanship and location, should secure more liberal financing than a jerry-built house, development of such standards, encouraged by the United States Department of Commerce, should mean better home building at lowered financing cost.

Multiple listing methods are now being studied through a special section of the association. Eight boards added multiple listing bureaus during the year. (More than 214 boards now have such bureaus.)

Imposition of income tax on such activities was threatened by Revenue Bureau officials in the case of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Rochester, N. Y., boards. The national association has joined in a test case, but in the meantime has secured a provision written into the revenue bill of 1928 as it has passed the House, a provision definitely exempting real estate boards from income taxation.

Three Pressure-Gauges for Market.

Giving the realtor a pressure-gauge or barometer with which to read business trends and so guard himself and his commodity against overproduction, the association compiles the following:

1. A monthly index of real estate market activity as shown by the transfers and conveyances recorded in 41 typical cities.

2. A semiannual survey of real estate market conditions including trends for every section in prices, rents, money supply for real estate development, interest rates and degree of overbuilding or underbuilding.

3. An annual survey of the farm lands market. This survey has done much to establish the fact that farm prices have begun to rise.

At the request of the Bureau of Internal Revenue the association is gathering the opinion of its members as to the actual length of useful life which they find may be expected for buildings. All types are to be covered. Tabulations are needed to determine allow-

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Schedule Washington Real Estate Board

Tuesday—Ticket committee of the banquet, offices of the board, 11 o'clock a. m.

Sales managers' luncheon, blue room, Hotel Hamilton, 12:30 p. m. meeting, offices of the board, 1:30 p. m.

Realtors Bowling League King Pin alleys, 8 p. m.

Thursday—Executive committee Meeting, offices of the board, 1:30 p. m.

Friday — Appraisal committee meeting, offices of the board, 2 p. m.

REALTORS APPROVE REMOVAL OF SIGNS

Board Members Promise Aid in Drive to Eliminate Unnecessary Display.

Last Sunday this page contained a story in regard to a letter which had been addressed to members of the board by its president, calling attention to the excessive number of "For Sale" signs on display and requesting their cooperation in eliminating many signs in order that the appearance of the city might not be unduly marred by unnecessary advertisements.

The response received to this letter by Mr. Miller is gratifying to him and the executive committee. The replies from members of the Real Estate Board have been numerous and the proposal has met with approval and the assurance of a hearty cooperation in this respect.

The members of the Real Estate Board are to be congratulated not only in their desire to enhance the beauty of our community but in the promptness with which they have accepted the proposal of the board. Reports coming to the board's office indicate that many signs have already been removed and this action on the part of the realtors indicates that they are sincere in their expression of willingness to cooperate in this respect.

RADIO COMMISSION ASKED TO PROHIBIT FREE LOT SCHEMES

National Board of Realtors Writes Secretary Asking Broadcasting Be Stopped.

ACTION BY FIVE STATES ENDING PRACTICE CITED

Instances Recalled in Which Buyers of Homes Have Suffered Losses.

Action by the Federal Radio Commission to prohibit broadcasting of so-called "free lot" schemes employed by irresponsible operators as a method of selling real estate is asked in a letter addressed to the Commission by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

The request, addressed to Carl Hawes Butman, of Washington, secretary of the Commission, by H. U. Nelson, executive secretary of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, was made in accordance with a resolution adopted by the association's board of directors January 27.

"'Free lot' schemes, employed by irresponsible operators, usually manage to keep within the wording of the law," the association states. "But the activity is essentially fraudulent and misleading."

The State real estate license commissions of New York, New Jersey, Ohio and Wisconsin, it points out, have adopted a policy of revoking the license of any real estate broker or salesman who engages in such free-lot schemes.

Aims of Association.

"It is the aim of the national association to protect the purchasing public from misleading statements in advertising matter, and the unscrupulous methods employed by many development organizations using the 'free-lot' scheme to dispose of their property," the resolution of the directors states.

The resolution requests that the Federal Radio Commission "prohibit the broadcasting of 'free lot' schemes by any development company, corporation or partnership, or individual engaged in this field of endeavor."

In a case now before the Superior Court of Cook County, Ill., suit is being brought for the recovery of $3,[illegible]8.56, which one victim of an unsolicited "gift" alleges he paid in attempting to avail himself of "the $500 free lot" he was given.

Here the recipient found the lot a 20-foot frontage, too narrow for actual building use. But the adjoining lot, of course, was for sale—at the developing company's price. He bought. The victim in this case paid for "improvements," he states.

Jail sentences for manipulators of "free lot" swindles were secured in more than one instance in a round-up of promoters of such schemes carried out some time ago by the district attorney of New York City.

Profits of 700 Per Cent.

Active warfare against "free lot" operations is being carried on by member real estate boards of the National Association both alone and in cooperation with better business bureaus and with State real estate license commissions.

Public warnings that "winning a lot may mean losing a lot" have been sent out by the local real estate boards with detailed pictures of how the "winner" of the prize is induced to pay in "necessary title paper fees" an amount that well covers the actual acreage value of his free tract, and how, when he goes to look the place over he finds the lot to have a 20 or 25 foot frontage, so narrow that if he is to build he must buy the adjacent lot. Such adjacent lots are unloaded upon the victim at prices in some cases ten times the real value after making allowance for the "free" lot.

Methods by which persons who are "lucky" enough to "win" a lot "given away to advertise a wonderful new subdivision we are developing," are explained in an official statement issued by the Ohio State Board of Real Estate Examiners.

The lottery, the prize ticket handed out at a motion picture show, the gold certificate, the advertising scheme which allows the recipient so much in dollars because of the value of his name among the first to buy lots, are typical.

"The profits on lots on which such generous offers are made range in some instances as high as 700 per cent," the board states.

"In almost every case brought to our attention the lots are located miles beyond the corporate limits, are of small dimensions, without street or other improvements, such as light, gas, water or sewer, and as soon as the sale campaigns are over will degenerate into weed patches. In most cases the promoters buy farm land which they plat into ten or fifteen lots to the acre.

"To's board is of the opinion after careful investigation that every one of these schemes bears on its face the badge of fraud."

"Free lot" entanglements are costing the Chicago public alone approximately $15,000,000 a year, according to a survey of the prevalence of free lot practices which has just been completed by the Chicago Better Business Bureau.

First-Class Building Area Worth Price

That the increase in the rental value of the building will more than offset any additional cost incurred in leaving more land for garden and recreation space around the apartment house, is the opinion of John Taylor Boyd, jr., who is consulting architect to the New York State Board of Housing and also to the New York Commission for the Revision of the Tenement House Law.

Comparative figures of land costs per room and per family prove that the apartment house on low-value land is so economical of land that it can support, with but very slight extra financial charge as compared with the existing custom of high coverage, a larger proportion of unbuilt-on area of site than can either the single-family or row house, Mr. Boyd holds.

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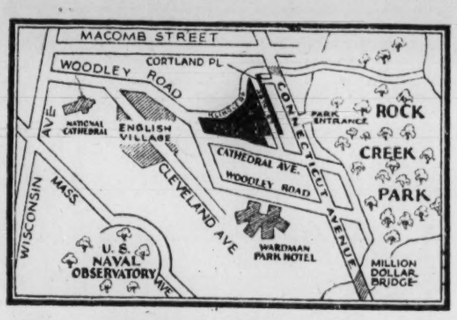
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REALTY SECURITIES DISCLOSE BIG DROP IN FEBRUARY SALES

Total Was $63,991,750, or About $14,306,950 Less Than During January.

GREAT BUILDING VOLUME IS REPORTED UNDER WAY

Chicago Leads Country, With New York Second—Interest Held at 5 and 6 Per Cent.

First mortgage real estate securities offered investors during February amounted to a total of $63,961,750, according to statistics gathered by the Economic Research Bureau of the American Bond & Mortgage Co. This volume is a decrease of 18 per cent from February, 1927. It is likewise a decrease of 17 per cent from the figures shown in January of this year. This decrease in the volume of realty financing is undoubtedly due to two factors: First, the slowing up of building operations during the latter part of last year, the recovery from which, although plainly shown in the figures of building volume for the first two months of this year, has not yet been felt in the realty financing field. The record is because some of the houses offering mortgage bonds are confining their offerings largely to completed buildings.

Much Building Under Way.

There is a tremendous volume of new building now under way which will undoubtedly bring the figures later in the year up to high totals.

Mortgage bond houses generally are in strong financial positions today, and are watching their assets diligently to keep them liquid. From all indications the industry is undoubtedly on the eve of one of the greatest real estate bond markets which has yet been known. In February there was a total of eighty-six realty issues, the dollar decrease amounting to $14,306,950 from the figures of January.

The Chicago district led in volume of real estate securities offered, having over $20,000,000; New York was next with a volume of nearly $17,000,000; St. Louis was next with a volume of over $7,000,000 and Cleveland next with a volume of nearly $7,000,000.

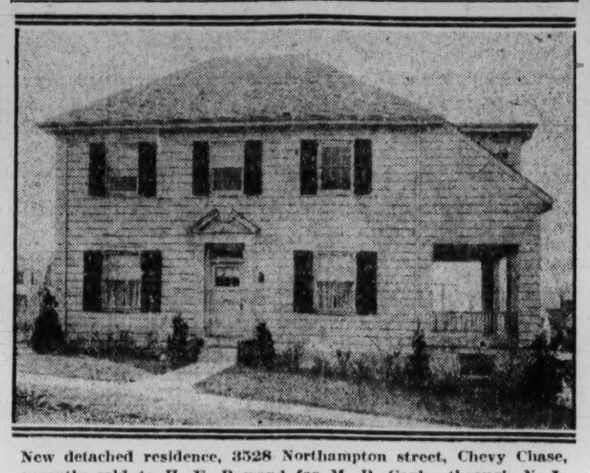
Chicago Leads Country.

In the Chicago district the outstanding issue was one of $10,000,000 secured by the Stevens Bros. Corporation properties. The Chicago district furnished 31 per cent of the entire total for the country, while the New York district comprised 26 per cent.

The prevailing rate of interest is between 5 and 6 per cent, with an indication that these rates may soften to an even lower point within the next few months, provided, of course, the building program does not increase so rapidly as to make the demand for money outrun the sale of first mortgage securities.

The various types of buildings represented by the securities offered are stated below: Apartments, $14,668,750; office buildings, $11,908,000; hotels, $6,775,000; theaters, $8,950,000; commercial and semicommercial, $19,725,000; clubs, churches, hospitals, &c., $2,085,000, making the total $63,961,750.

CHEVY CHASE HOME SOLD



New detached residence, 3528 Northampton street, Chevy Chase, recently sold to H. E. Rowand for M. P. Canby through N. L. Sansbury Co., Inc. The house contains seven rooms and two baths.

BUILDING PERMITS

Maintaining the high figure which characterized January, building permits authorizing new construction and repairs to existing buildings for the month of February attained a total of $4,153,740, according to the monthly report of Col. John W. Ochmann, building inspector. This compares with the figure for January which was $4,629,895.

According to the report, 302 permits were issued calling for new construction and repairs to 456 buildings of all types. New work was distributed over the sections of the city as follows: Northeast, $242,700; Northwest, $3,631,375, and Southeast, $98,600. There were no new buildings erected in the Southwest section.

Repairs to existing structures were classified as follows: Northeast, $40,705; Southeast, $7,680; Northwest, $127,855, and Southwest, $4,825.

A total of 134 brick, 2 stone, 5 concrete and 18 frame dwellings were erected during the month.

Building permits issued to noon yesterday follow:

Messaponax Sand and Gravel Corporation, to install loading and unloading equipment and conveyancing and storage equipment, Benning and Bladensburg road northeast; estimated cost, $27,500.

F. B. Moran McConihe, to erect two-story and basement brick and hollow tile dwelling, 2446 Belmont road northwest; estimated cost, $50,000.

J. J. Noonan, to remove present columns and support loads on new girders and columns, 608-10 Ninth street northwest; estimated cost, $1,500.

Mrs. Olive B. Taylor, to erect two-and-one-half story rubble stone dwelling, 5120 Thirty-ninth street, northwest; estimated cost, $29,000.

E. T. Lindner, to erect three-story brick and tile dwelling, 3836 Garrison street northwest; estimated cost, $14,500.

Boss & Phelps, to erect fourteen two-story brick dwellings, 4432-58 Q street northwest; estimated cost, $91,000.

J. H. Bell, to erect two-story brick dwelling, 342 Bryant street northwest; estimated cost, $4,000.

Clarence A. Aspinwall, to erect three-story brick dwelling, 2340 Kalorama road northwest; estimated cost, $75,000.

Henry T. Rodier, to erect three-story brick and concrete printing plant, 717 Sixth street northwest; estimated cost, $20,000.

Thomas J. Lane, to erect two-story brick apartment, 1603 Eighth street northwest; estimated cost, $4,500.

Leon H. Restig, to erect one-story brick public garage, rear 1350-52 H street northeast; estimated cost, $1,000.

Thomas A. Jameson, to enclose upper rear porches, 510-20 Central avenue northeast; estimated cost, $1,000.

S. M. Biron & Sons, to erect six one story brick and tile stores, 4938-42 Georgia avenue northwest; estimated cost, $18,000.

Cooley Brothers, to erect nine two-story brick and tile dwellings, 2401-17 Tunlaw road northwest; estimated cost, $50,000.

A. F. Stearn, to erect two one-story stone and brick stores, 5014-16 Connecticut avenue northwest; estimated cost, $7,000.

Randolph Dodd, to erect two-story frame dwelling, 906 Forty-eighth street northeast; estimated cost, $4,000.

Raymond Pagliochini, to erect two-story brick dwelling, 2801 Thirty-third street southeast; estimated cost, $20,000.

John M. King, to erect two two-story frame dwellings, 2000-54 Perry place northeast; estimated cost, $10,000.

John M. King, to erect one-story frame dwelling, 3725 Twentieth street northeast; estimated cost, $5,000.

Breuninger & Sons, to erect four two-story brick dwellings, 3724-36 Yuma street northwest; estimated cost, $33,000.

Terrell & Dinger, to erect two-story brick dwelling, 6121 Western avenue northwest; estimated cost, $10,000.

Thomas A. Jameson, to erect eleven metal garages, 510-30 Central avenue northeast; estimated cost, $1,600.

Federal-American National Bank, to change show window and install metal ceiling, 1317 F street northwest; estimated cost, $1,000.

Lincoln Theater Co., to remodel building and erect show window, 1215 U street northwest; estimated cost, $1,000.

W. W. Neligan, to erect one-story addition for salesroom, 2012 Fourteenth street northwest; estimated cost, $2,000.

E. S. Beall, to erect two two-story brick dwellings, 3193-95 Porter street northwest; estimated cost, $25,000.

B. F. Hamilton, to erect two-story frame dwelling, 5521 Caroline place northwest; estimated cost, $4,500.

Poretsky, Silver & Rosen, to erect two-story brick-and-tile dwelling, 5801 Sixth street northwest; estimated cost, $6,000.

MAJ. COVELL OUTLINES PROPOSED ZONE CHANGES

Auto Sales Rooms Would Be Construed as Garage by Ruling.

TRADE SIGNS ARE CITED

Proposed changes in the zoning regulations to come before a public hearing of the zoning commission March 28, which, if approved, are to be included in the new edition to be published, were yesterday outlined by Maj. W. E. R. Covell, Assistant Engineer Commissioner.

One revision introduces a new definition of a public garage. It also construes as a public garage a "service station" or "automobile sales rooms." The change requires that all of these uses be located in second commercial districts, or in first commercial with consent. This permits an automobile repair shop to be located in first commercial with approval of nearby property owners, and simplifies, it was pointed out, the administrative control over garages with repair facilities, as well as over show rooms.

A second revision adds a definition of a mezzanine story and the main or first story. This removes differences in interpretation what shall be considered the first story or the basement or cellar.

Another proposed change is to eliminate the displaying of hair dressing, manicurist, millinery and other signs in residential districts, with the exception that a name plate of a physician, dentist or other person would be permitted in these areas.

A paragraph has been added to section 3 to enable the zoning commission to deal with existing interior lots which can not be used for purposes permitted by the zoning regulations, except under nonconforming permits. The date incorporated in the new regulations prevents the use thereof for laying out new squares or relotting present squares in order to take undue advantage of the proposed regulation.

In the revision of the regulation of a side yard in the "A" area district has been couched in the same terms as in the case of "B," "C" and "D" area districts. This way of stating the definition is believed to remove all uncertainty as to the required width of any side yard permitted by zoning regulations. By placing last the requirement that there shall be at least one side-yard the clearance as to width is still more increased. In the event the definition of side yard under "A" area is not sufficiently clear, it would be necessary to require that the two side yards in "A" restricted shall be each not less than 3 feet.

Bowling alleys under the proposed change would require the consent of owners the same as gasoline stations. This new revision, however, would not affect projects already under way for which authority has been given, said Maj. Covell.

Meeting Is Planned By Sales Managers

The sales managers' division of the Washington Real Estate Board, which is composed of the sales managers of the realtors' offices, will hold its bi-weekly meeting in the blue room of the Hamilton Hotel on Tuesday at 12:30 o'clock.

J. A. McKeever, the chairman of the sales managers division, will preside and the division will continue its discussion of a number of important matters affecting sales departments.

Okie Buys Historic Home in Georgetown

Howard P. Okie has purchased the historic old Georgian house at the northeast corner of Thirty-fourth and O streets, Georgetown, from John Roy Stake, which is to be extensively remodeled for the new owner, according to Charles Keene, who handled the transaction.

Mr. Okie proposes to take down the existing frame structure that hides the original colonial brick facade and make a driveway from O street that will go around the house with an exit on Thirty-fourth street. The existing stone and brick retaining wall will be raised to a height of eight feet from the street and will inclose a garden which has magnolia and fruit trees and an old boxwood hedge. Several months ago Mr. Okie sold the colonial home on P street, near Wisconsin avenue, to Elinor Glyn, the novelist.

Slasher of Prelate's Beard Is Acquitted

Athens, Greece, March 3 (A.P.).—The barber who last year tried to cut off the beard of the Archbishop of Athens, as a protest against the introduction of the Gregorian calendar in 1923, and actually wounded that eminent prelate, has finally been acquitted by a jury. The jury also exonerated several nuns who were involved in the incident.

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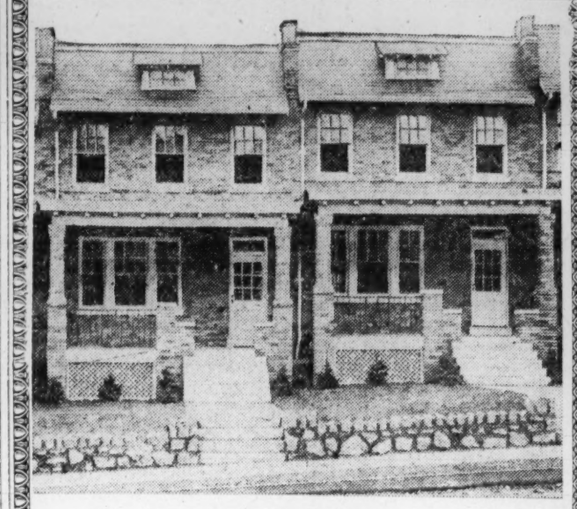
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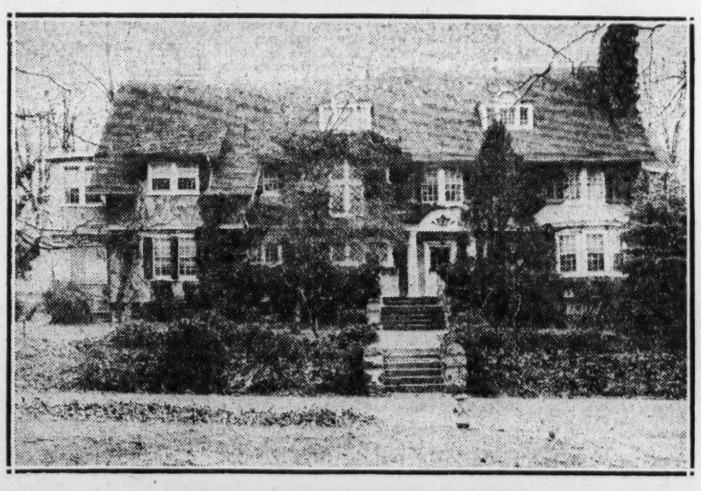
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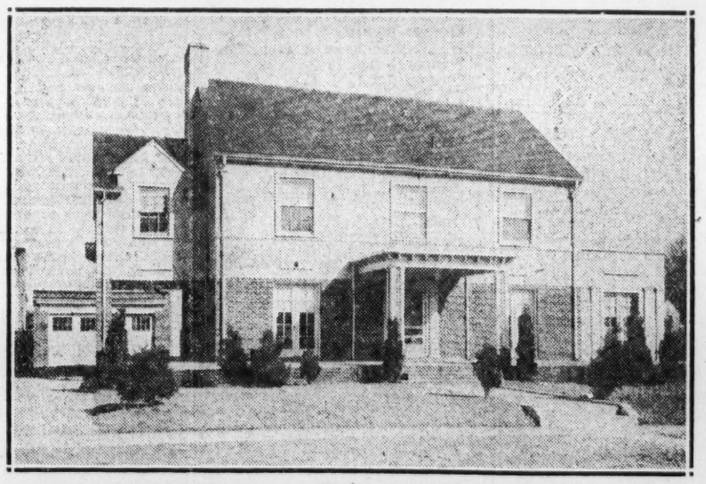
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HEDGES, MIDDLETON SALES SHOW LARGER DEMAND FOR REALTY

Residential, Investment and Unimproved Properties Are Sold by Company.

FIRM'S RECENT SALES REACH $717,230 TOTAL

Deals Completed by Concern Affect All Sections of the Capital.

An increasing demand for residential, investment and unimproved properties is indicated in a report of recent sales announced yesterday by Hedges & Middleton, aggregating $717,230.

The following sales were announced:

A new detached, nine-room and three-bath, colonial residence, 4511 Cathedral avenue, Wesley Heights, built by W. C. and A. N. Miller, was purchased by Katherine Hamilton.

John Hafford bought the three-story nine-room and two-bath residence, 3656 Warder street northwest.

The property located on the southeast corner of First and H streets northwest, consisting of a two-story brick building, a gas station and two dwellings, acquired by the Columbia Construction Co. from Charles H and Shirley Chidakel, who acquired the eight-apartment building, 129 Webster street northwest, and a residence in Capitol Heights, Md.

A modern seven-room and two-bath dwelling, 1705 Kenyon street northwest, was bought by Agnes S. McKenny from Francis M. Savage.

The Title & Investment Co., of Maryland, acquired the six-story limestone-front building, 923 Fifteenth street northwest, opposite McPherson square, from the National Capital Mortgage Co., who acquired the property, 1512 K street northwest, which was formerly occupied by the Title Co. This transaction was negotiated jointly through the offices of J. Curtis Walker and Hedges & Middleton, Inc.

12-Room House Purchased.

Mrs. Luzetta Sparks purchased from A. M. Callaghan the twelve-room and three-bath residence, 1436 Fairmont street northwest.

The modern colonial residence, 1307 Spring Road, was sold for Albert B. Niess in connection with the office of Morris Cafritz.

A lot on Moorland lane, near Glenbrook road, in Edgemoor, Md., was sold for J. R. Crutchfield to Charles W. Morris.

The two stores, located on the corner of Twelfth and Douglass streets northeast, was sold for Phillipo Baldi to John Pouget, who will hold them as an investment.

L. Browdy purchased from Edward Garvey an apartment-house site on Sixth street northeast, near L street, which is now improved by detached frame residences.

A large detached nine-room and two-bath residence, 1311 Emerson street, Saul's Addition, was sold for Beulah D Dayton to A. E. Burch.

Two lots on Carolina place northwest, near Galena, were purchased by Charles Benton from Edward Smith.

A two-story six-room dwelling in the first commercial zone, 3504 Connecticut avenue, was bought by J. E. Gatti, from Loretta M. Farr.

Joseph M. Milburn purchased from Stephen L. De La Mater the eight-room and two-bath Dutch colonial residence, 3741 McKinley street, Chevy Chase.

A home in Massachusetts Avenue Heights, 3537 Edmunds street northwest, containing nine rooms and three baths, was sold for Libby Foer.

Industrial Site Purchased.

An industrial site containing approximately 16,000 square feet, located in the Bethesda district, was purchased by the United Clay Products Co. from A. C. Ketcham.

A new five-room and bath bungalow, 4638 Clark place northwest, was bought by Raymond F. Haines from the estate of Samuel H. Dalton.

One of the new six-room modern homes recently completed by Morris Cafritz, 430 Delafield street northwest, was sold to William L. Bryan.

Melvin Allpress purchased from E. H. Bogley, attorney, a lot in Bradley Hills, while Ormsby M. Ballauf purchased the nine-room and bath residence, 2231 First street northwest.

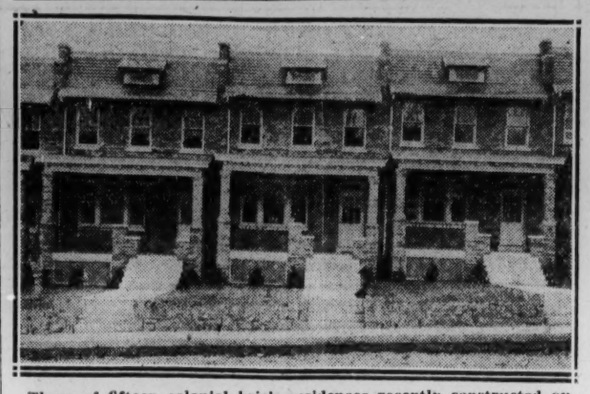
The property, 124 Del Ray avenue, corner of old Georgetown road, Bethesda, was sold for Walter Tuckerman to a local investor.

Louise A. Schmidt purchased a lot on Linnean avenue, near Ellicott street, while John F. Briden purchased a lot in the same section on Thirtieth street, just south of Ellicott street.

Another site on Thirtieth place, near Ellicott street, was bought by A. E. Landvoigt.

One of the sites in Forest Hills, located at the end of Chesapeake street was resold for A. E. Helmick, to Alfred T. Newbold, who will improve the property with a new home of English design.

THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET HOUSES



Three of fifteen colonial brick residences recently constructed on Thirty-seventh street, near Tunlaw road, by J. S. Gruver, which have been turned over to Boss & Phelps for selling. Some of the features of the homes are screened double rear porches; tiled baths with showers, large front porches, built-in fireplaces, hardwood floors throughout, hot-water heat, instantaneous water heater and built-in garages.

WOODLEY PARK AIDED BY ITS SURROUNDINGS

Security of Investments and Beauty Result in a Big Demand.

Surrounded by the Phipps estate, Twin Oaks and the Parmalee estate, as well as the Causeway, Washington Cathedral and Rock Creek Park, the development of Woodley Park as an area for security of investment and beauty of architectural ensemble has resulted in steady demand for homes in this section, according to an announcement made yesterday by the Wardman Construction Co., developers.

The immediate proximity of these various estates tends to make secure the value of the property for many years to come, as well as to meet every requirement of location. Transportation to the congested areas of the city is unparalleled in ease and rapidity, by motor, trolley and bus, and also is within walking distance of several schools and churches.

The streets have been artistically planned and laid out so as to enhance the beauty of the homes. Variety in architectural design has been arranged to meet the individual tastes of discriminating purchasers, and final decorative touches have been left to the choice of the home owner.

1,000,000 Each Year See Field Museum

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—Fourteen expeditions searched in out-of-the-way corners of the world last year to bring to the Field Museum of National History, in Chicago, the new evidences of strange peoples and vanished culture.

During the year, D. C. Davies, director of the institution, said in his annual report, fourteen additional halls were created for exhibits.

Other public halls which may be opened shortly will house additional collections. More than 1,000,000 persons visited the museum during the year, the greatest number in its history.

REALTY REPORTER

Ernest W. Farley, for the past eight years with the firm of Boss & Phelps, has been named salesmanager of the J. E. Douglass Co. Inc., according to an announcement made yesterday.

A native of Richmond, Va., where he was in business for himself, Mr Farley came to Washington and has been in real estate for about ten years here. He is a member of the Board of Trade and also a member of civic and fraternal organizations. He resides at 3515 Quebec street.

The Douglass firm has been engaged in the real estate and building business here for several years and during the past year has been located in their office building at 1621 K street northwest. Their operations are now being concentrated in Chevy Chase and other of the better class home communities.

According to the deed filed with the recorder of deeds, S. Kann Sons & Co. purchased from Dulin & Martin 1216-18 G street and 1217 F street northwest, for a price of $550,000, subject to three encumbrances amounting to $4.0,000.

William K. Hartung, director of sales of Shannon & Luchs, has left to spend two weeks in Miami, Fla.

Weaver Brothers have leased 1317 F street to the jewelry firm of Edwards & Zanner, who will take possession after present remodeling is completed.

Norman Brown, of the office of Shannon & Luchs, who has been in Pinehurst, N. C., is expected back at his desk tomorrow.

George Sohos has leased to Ray F. Baughman premises 2100 New York avenue northwest for a period of five years, beginning March 17, 1928, and expiring March 17, 1934, at a rental of $175 per month.

Charles H. Tompkins & Co. have leased their warehouse, now in course of construction at Ninth street and Rhode Island avenue northeast, to the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., for a period of ten years, beginning July 1, 1928, or as soon thereafter as the building is completed. The lease, which ends September 30, 1938, calls for an annual rental of $26,800.

R. Lochridge, formerly of New York, is now associated with the office of William R. Ellis, and will specialize in the handling of rentals.

Paul Frizzell, of Shannon & Luchs, is spending a few days at Virginia Beach, Va.

W. McAden Jones, formerly with the J. E. Douglass Co., is now a member of the house sales department, and William J. McDonald has been added to the business properties department of the N. L. Sansbury Co.

A lease has been executed between J. M. Himes and W. O. Brown for 32-34 G street northwest for a five-year period, which was effective March 1.

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EXHIBIT WINS SILVER CUP

New York, March 3.—The National Lumber Manufacturers Association achieved double first place in the "Own Your Own Home" Exposition, which has closed here after eight successful days. The association's exhibit was awarded the silver cup as grand prize for first place in the whole list of 105 exhibits. Not content with that, it received the gold medal in acknowledgment of first place in its respective group of the seven general classifications of the show.

The exhibit took the form of a cottage built entirely of lumber, three walls being complete, with three roof gables. One side was left open in order to display the structural features and emphasize proper construction and good materials.

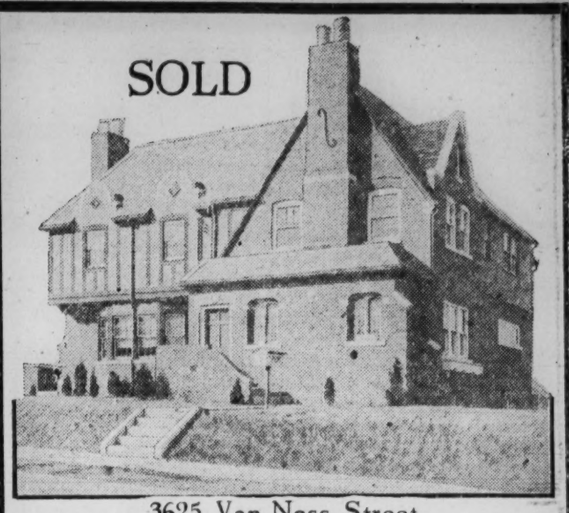
The prize-winning cottage had two kinds of shingles in its roof, namely, unstained and colored, both variegated and uniform. There were four kinds of side wall coverings: 10-inch bungalow or colonial siding, 6-inch bevel siding, unstained shingles and 6-inch drop siding. The siding was painted white, except that one gable end was dark stained. The windows were of two types—double-hung wood sash and casement wood sash. The door frame and entrance were in colonial style, but the door was omitted to facilitate ingress and egress during the show.

A part of the interior wall was left open in order to show the details of good frame construction, and the rest was finished to demonstrate several different methods of using wood as an interior surface, namely, plywood ceiling panels, random width, V-edged vertically stripped panels and both natural-finish and paint-finish trim. There was no exhibit floor. No feature of the show made a deeper impression on the visitors than these demonstrations of the superiority of wood for interior mural surfaces. Observing the surprised delight of people at the wood surfaces, officers of the National Lumber Trade Extension staff declare that it ought not to be difficult to create popular favor for wood for this purpose.

May Learn Esperanto by Mail.

A correspondence course in Esperanto, supplemented by radio talks, is given by the general extension division of the University of Minnesota. It may be taken individually or in study groups. In 1926 a radio elementary course in Esperanto was given to 2,000 persons. In an advanced course 500 enrolled.

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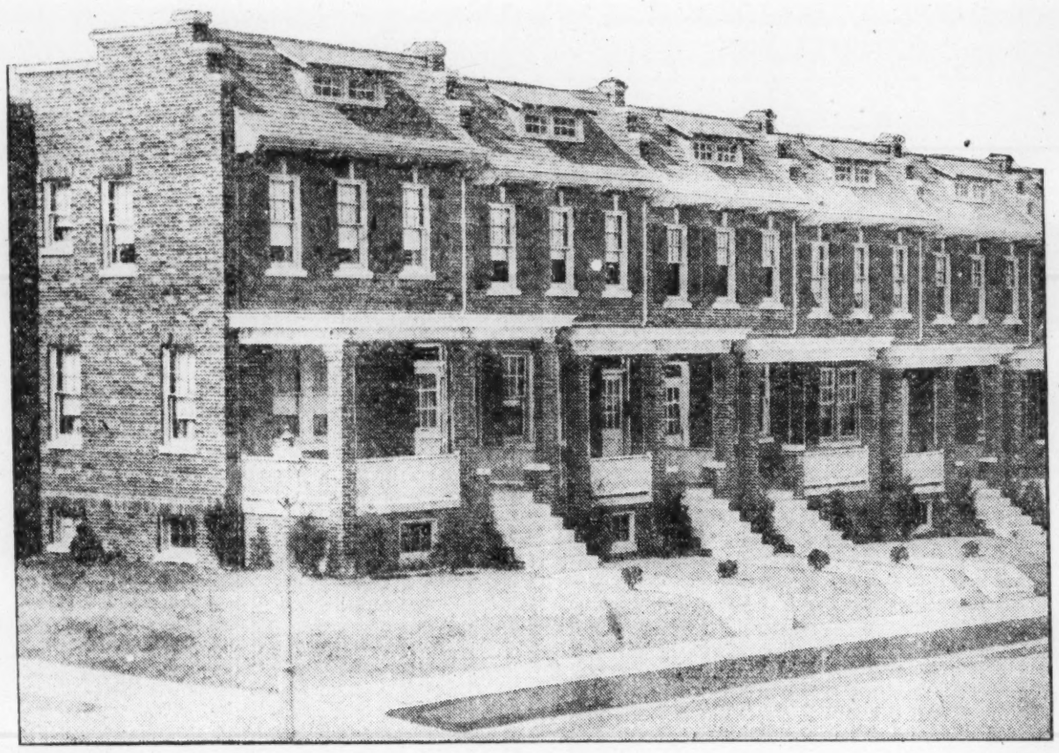
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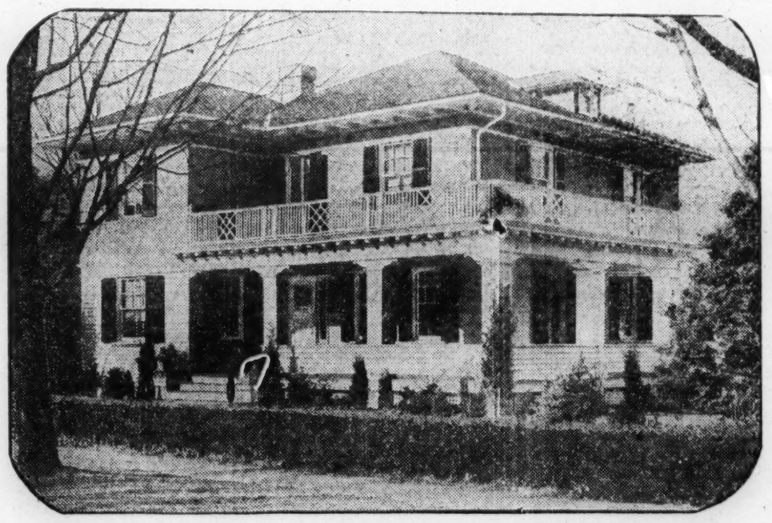
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ACACIA'S NEW HOME READY FOR TENANCY IN MAY, HEADS SAY

Mutual Life Insurance Association Soon Will Have One of Finest Buildings.

EACH OF DEPARTMENTS WILL HAVE OWN FLOOR

President William Montgomery Lauded for Widely Extending Business.

With the new home office building of the Acacia Mutual Life Association, located at First street and Indiana avenue northwest, now rapidly nearing completion, it is probable that the organization will be transferred from its present headquarters in the Homer Building around May 1, according to an announcement yesterday.

The Acacia's new home will be ten stories in height, and thoroughly modern in every respect It is the first unit of a group of three buildings which the association has projected to take care of its future growth.

Completion of the new home office building is the first fruit of far-sighted plans laid by William Montgomery, president of Acacia, who now is in his thirty-fourth year as executive officer of the association. Under his guidance the organization has grown steadily, with $55,057,500 of insurance placed last year and $264,258,116 of insurance in force at the end of the year.

Fireproof floors and a fireproof roof have been installed in the new building, which will be supported by steel framing and steel columns. Interior partitions are of hollow tile and all exterior walls above the basement have been provided with hollow tile furring.

Building All Fireproof.

The structure is faced with limestone on each street front, while the end and rear elevations are faced with brick matching the limestone in color Molded courses will run along the face of the front, sides and rear of the building at the head of the third-floor windows and below the fourth and ninth-floor windows.

The new home of the company will contain the latest equipment provided for taking care of a large life insurance business, and emphasis has been placed upon the inclusion of special conveniences for employes. In this connection, the tenth floor of the new building is being provided with a cafeteria, men's and women's recreation rooms, an assembly room with raised platform and other conveniences. Shower baths will be located on various floors.

Writing rooms, a library and lounge, and a checking room for coats and packages are to be installed on the street floor. The foyer and elevator lobbies are to be finished in marble, as will also the main stairway to the second floor.

The president's offices will be located on the sixth floor of the new building. On this floor also will be the offices of the vice president, treasurer, legal department, financial department, investment department, board and conference rooms and other offices.

Floors for Departments.

As at present planned, most of the major departments of the company will have a complete floor to themselves Thus, the recording and posting department will be on the second floor, the fourth floor will be used for the company's files, the eighth and ninth floors will be used by the actuarial department and stenographers

The third floor will house the mailing room and the auditing department and the fifth the field and conservation departments, as well as the home office agents. On the seventh floor will be located the photostat department, the policy and underwriting departments and the medical division of the association.

Dedication of the new home is to be accompanied with ceremonies which will be in keeping with the importance of the event in the history of the organization Prominent Masons and persons of national importance, as well as employes of the company from all parts of the country, will attend these ceremonies.

Agents throughout the country at present are competing in a sales contest, the winners of which will be brought to Washington on this occasion at the company's expense. Branch managers and assistant branch managers also will be present, and plans include a banquet, a ball and other entertainment features.

Birkenhead Pokes Fun At "Lipstick" Flying

London, March 3 (A.P.).—Lord Birkenhead thinks the attempts to fly the Atlantic would be few and far between if the press "failed to advertise all the preparations of the fliers, all their efforts and their lipsticks." In a humorous speech delivered at the annual diner of the Newsvenders Provident Institution, he made merry with the chase of newspapers after sensationalism and the various channel swimmers and transatlantic fliers.

"Any man, woman or child who in existing conditions tries to fly over the Atlantic is obviously mad. He may be a valiant maniac, but that does not in the least come into the argument," said Lord Birkenhead. "In my judgment there is nothing being advanced in aerial navigation by these rash and dangerous exploits."

Big Profits Are Seen In Fine Rabbit Fur

Paris, March 3 (A.P.).—France's annual crop of 700,000,000 rabbits might just as well be hoity-toity bunnies with fine fur as the common garden variety say experts. They are publicly urging French rabbit raisers to develop the blue-blooded varieties whose fur masquerades under many fancy names.

The fancy animals, it is asserted, are quite as easy to raise, the flesh is as good and the fur will bring twenty times the price of ordinary rabbit skins.

Rabbit meat already nets raisers $80,000,000 a year and the skins $30,000,000 Periodicals devoted to farm and garden believe the hundreds of thousands of French families that raise a few dozen rabbits would show excellent profits if the furs were better.

Lace on Underwear Aids Manufacturers

Nottingham, England, March 3 (A.P.) Nottingham lace manufacturers are much elated over the decision of fashion makers that women's underwear is again to be trimmed with lace, even though the lace be very narrow.

Most of the 18,000 lace-makers thrown out of employment by the abandonment of lace for almost everything except curtains have been absorbed in other industries but are anxious to return to the lace trade.

NEW HOME IN BLAGDEN PARK



Spanish type home, 4705 Blagden terrace, Blagden Park, recently sold to W. Elkins Reed, Capital representative of the Gaeal Co., by Charles E. Wire & Sons, owner and builder.

CLARENCE C. HIEATT TELLS OF REALTY TRADE CHANGES

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ances to be made for depreciation and obsolence in income tax returns.

Exact facts as to rates now being charged for second mortgages and land contracts over the country and as to actual practices in making junior liens are being gathered by the association in order that the present handicaps on the making of second liens may be brought to public attention, and our State laws adjusted to remove these handicaps. Standardization of second mortgage practices should do much to decrease the cost of financing the home buyer

Notable publications made available to every realtor includes (1) an 891-page volume covering authoritatively the whole subject of real estate law and written for the practical business man. (2) "Annals of Real Estate Practice," six volumes bringing together 211 articles covering the best ideas of the year on every phase of real estate.

The seven divisions have become every man's chance to get the best ideas used by specialists in his field. Some typical division work for the year has been (1) publication of a notable national directory of chain stores. To secure such a list each individual member of the divisions would have to expend $140. (2) Initiation of a consultation bureau for persons organizing cooperative apartment projects, expected to protect the whole cooperative apartment movement against loss of confidence through failures of badly organized projects. (3) Periodic mailing to members of practical business ideas, such as model letters that sold lots, and ideas for real estate advertising. (4) Initiation of a consultation service, through which the individual may draw on the association for help with his specific business problems. (5) Comprehensive study of the cost of doing a real estate brokerage business.

Tremendous Interest in Education.

Two brief courses, one on real estate selling and one on real estate appraisal (mentioned above) have been developed by the association for the use either of member boards in their real estate educational work or of individuals or firms who wish to study directly under the association's supervision.

The American Real Estate Institute, organized three years ago, has now an enrollment of 1,809, has given criticism on 7,773 selling plans, and has been an educational instrument for 5,700 persons.

Largely through the initiative of the National Association of Real Estate Boards leading colleges and universities of the country are coming to take a great interest in real estate education. 67 of them already having introduced courses in real estate and land economics.

Enlargement of Legal Service.

To safeguard real estate interests in every State from adverse court action or legislative action incurred in other States, the association has added a full-time assistant to the staff of its general counsel.

Centralized information and advice is of particular importance in guarding the valuable right of member boards in the term "realtor," in safeguarding real estate license laws.

A decree sustaining the right of the National Association to exclusive use of the term realtor was handed down by the Michigan Circuit Court for the County of Kent, October 15. The case was brought by the Grand Rapids Real Estate Board. This is the ninth permanent injunction to be issued by the courts of various States against unauthorized use of the term.

During the year approximately 50 cases of unauthorized use of the term "realtor" have been acted against through the association's general counsel. Four cases are now before the courts. In every case upon which a court decision has been made the right of the association to the term has been upheld.

In enforcing the realtors' code of ethics we are constantly clarifying that code and accumulating a record of decisions which is coming to constitute a case system on practical business ethics

Officers of member boards are showing an increased tendency themselves to initiate action where there has been violation of the code rather than to wait for some individual to bring complaint.

Ohio's State real estate commission, in adopting an official code of ethics for all licensed brokers of the State, has adopted, as nearly as possible word for word, the code set up by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Advertising and Realtor.

Realizing that business competition has become a giant struggle between commodity and commodity, the association is drafting a new series of advertisements to be used by member boards in bringing to public attention the security of real estate investment and the service of the realtor. A series already prepared has been used in 43 cities.

Contact With Members.

In direct contact between the association and its members the president of the association has traveled thousands of miles during the year, visiting 94 local boards, taking part in 14 State and provincial association meetings and 31 meetings of other associations and organizations.

The extension division of the association through two field secretaries has visited 250 member boards and helped them to renewed effort. It has taken part in the annual conventions of nineteen State associations.

The library of the association, now the depository of the most complete information available on real estate organization and methods, has answered by letter 1,600 inquiries for information made by member boards or by individual realtors.

Periodicals.

During the past year a count by the Consolidated Press Clipping Bureau showed that news releases sent out by the National Association emphasizing the value of real estate investment and the professional quality of the realtor's services were given space equal to the combined space used in announcements of all local board and State association activities This is a tremendous reinforcement in acquainting the public with the local board's work

Leading financial magazines, building journals and general magazines also are using the association's news statements constantly.

The associations issues (1) a weekly news service, which goes to all member boards and the 700 selected newspapers and 200 selected financial, economic and business journals; (2) the Round Table, a biweekly pamphlet giving member boards news of what other boards are doing; (3) a news letter giving State real estate associations an account of what other State associations are accomplishing.

The National Real Estate Journal, through the courtesy of its publishers, is open to all news of real estate progress. Through close association with the National Association it is able to scan for its readers the whole field of real estate methods and make an authoritative presentation of the best in real estate ideas

Cooperation With State Association.

Closer cooperation between the National Association and the various State real estate associations has been an outstanding growth of the past year Cordial and effective coordination of the work of national, State and local real estate bodies has been advanced through: (1)A notable national conference for secretaries of State real estate associations. (2) Additions of fifteen members to our national board of directors directly to represent the State realtor groups. (3) Establishment of reciprocal membership agreements with State associations desiring such an arrangement, thus permanently unifying local, State and national memberships in those States. (4) Creation of a new body to develop a unified opinion on real estate needs as they affect the States. This body is the new States' council.

Growing strength of real estate organization is shown by the membership growth of the National Association, which in 1908 consisted of 20 boards and which ten years later—in 1918—had a membership of only 149 boards The membership as of January 1, 1928, is 666 boards, with approximately 24,412 active members. Forty-eight boards have been dropped and 56 new boards elected to membership during the year just passed.

In the real estate business the past year has been a time for consolidating our gains. As I look over the field of real estate organizations, it seems to me that our local boards and our State associations have been doing the same thing. In this process the National Association has attempted, and I believe largely succeeded, in playing a workmanlike part, at times as a leader, at other times as a clearing house and in the rendering of those services to member boards which it is organized to perform.

WARNS OF TOO MUCH COMMERCIAL ZONING

Park and Planning Commission Reports on Conditions Here.

A warning about the danger of too much "first commercial" zoning is sounded in the 1927 report of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, of which J. C. Nichols, of Kansas City, former chairman of the city planning committee of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, is a member.

There would be four times as large a commercial area as necessary for the anticipated population, if the tendency to zone for commercial purposes the property fronting on streets used as major thoroughfares were to receive the definite approval of the zoning commission, according to the report. This tendency is natural, because the noise of traffic makes such property less desirable for residential purposes, the commission finds.

The National Capital Park and Planning Commission was instituted in 1924, for the purpose of regional planning and zoning for the territory in and around Washington.

Its findings as to proportion in commercial areas are made following a study of the effects of the zoning act which has been in force in the District of Columbia for over seven years.

COSMOS CLUB BUYS ADJOINING BUILDING

$82,500 Paid for Property Held at Present for Investment.

The three-story and basement office building on the south side of H street which adjoins the Cosmos Club on the corner of Madison place, has been acquired by the club, it was announced yesterday by the office of Arthur C Houghton, who handles the transaction, from Mrs. Julia Grange Porter. Consideration involved was about $82,500

An odd-shaped parcel, the plot has a frontage on H street of 28 feet and a depth of about 58 feet, and contains in all 1,568 square feet. The property has been placed in the hands of Mr. Houghton and James J. Becker as trustees for the club.

While the Cosmos Club may ultimately improve the parcel as an addition to the sleeping quarters of the club, for the present it will be held for investment purposes. The club is now housed in the historic residence of Dolly Madison, and it is believed the purchase of the adjoining property will greatly add to the value of the historic corner.

CAPITAL REALTORS PRAISE CITY AS BEST FOR HOMES

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theater To the southeast you see the Congressional Library and the Capitol and from that point runs historic Pennsylvania avenue to the White House The Federal Government is now clearing out all that section on the south side of the Avenue between these two points and building in the place of those dark and unsightly buildings magnificent structures to house the many departmental activities. What a beautiful city and what a future!

"There is the Washington Monument, erected in memory of our first President, and across the reflecting pool the national memorial to Lincoln stands Just to the right of this is the Memorial Bridge connecting the city with Arlington, that sacred spot where rests the Unknown Soldier of the great war and our other illustrious dead.

"Washington must be seen, it must be felt by contact, to realize its greatness It is an inspiration. It is the soul of America, the vision of the future expressed in marble and granite, bronze and copper, flowers and trees.

"In this environment you will find our well-planned subdivisions, developed along lines to attract any purchaser rich or poor.

"Washington is unique among the capitals of the world in that it was planned for the express purpose of becoming the center of the national life of a great people. London, Paris and Rome became great capitals through circumstances; Washington through design of its very founders."

As Seen By Gibson.

Mr. Gibson, winner in the associate division, spoke as follows:

"Washington is the best city in which to reside because it is the heart of the Nation.

"To live in the Capital of the United States is a liberal education in itself, because Washington is becoming more and more the center of art, music, science and learning.

"The public school system of the District of Columbia has enjoyed a marvelous development within the past seven years and with the completion in 1931 of the five-year building program it will take its proper rank among the finest school systems in the world.

"Excellent preparatory and finishing schools abound, which together with Georgetown, George Washington, American and Catholic Universities offer unusual opportunities for advancement to ambitious students of all ages.

Our library facilities are unrivaled, including the Congressional Library, an educational asset which can not be duplicated in any other community, the Public Libraries and those of the Government departments and establishments, which supply invaluable information to those engaged in research work.

"In the development of the physical side 70 playgrounds have been established on District-owned property, in public parks and in school yards to accommodate the boys and girls daily, while the high schools have their gymnasiums and athletic fields.

"Washington's park system, developed as a national play ound and a place to enjoy the glorious touches of nature, is destined in the not distant future to become one of the wonder spots of the world. More than 200,000,000 square feet of territory in the District of Columbia are laid out in parks, the two largest being Rock Creek Park and Potomac Park.

"The National Zoological Park contains more than 3,000 distinct specimens of animals, many the only ones of their kind in any zoo.

"During the summer weather the parks are keenly appreciated. However, Washington's all-the-year-round pleasant climate allows it to lay claim to being Nature's most favored world capital According, to the Weather Bureau records Washington's average maximum temperature for the four warm months over a 53 year period was 82.6 degrees while the average minimum temperature for the four cold months was 28.7 degrees.

"The parks are easily reached by electric railways or bus lines which provide transportation service that is not excelled in any city of the United States.

"The absence of the unsightly overhead trolley from the closely built-up sections of Washington undoubtedly has much to do with the unspoiled magnificence and beauty of our unusually wide thoroughfares. Lined as they are with majestic trees, which add a charm that can not be surpassed. The total number of trees throughout the city is estimated at 100,000 An automobile ride through Rock Creek and Potomac Parks always retains its attraction, while nearby Maryland and Virginia furnish delightful routes for an afternoon drive.

"The relations between the public utilities companies and their customers compare most favorably with the conditions in other sections of this country

"Our filtration system is a model for the Nation.

"Home owners are protected by the zoning laws, which are directed toward the correction of haphazard development. Numerous civic organizations foster the community spirit.

"Due to the fact that Washington draws its strength from noncommercial sources we have comparatively no foreign population with its tenement sections or the crowded condition and ugly construction of the large cities. Nowhere do you find better dressed or more cultured people. What city in the country has as many distinguished representatives of the foreign powers in its midst, and in what other city can one see the President, the Supreme Court and the Congress, constituting the heads of the three great divisions of our American form of government?

"Washington is rapidly becoming the greatest religious center the world has ever known, with the establishment of national churches of every denomination.

"Organizations in increasing numbers are setting up headquarters here.

"The Federal building project, originally limited to $50,000,000, but which is expected to reach $350,000,000 before completion, will certainly aid in maintaining prosperity in the District.

"The activities of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission during the ensuing five years will call for the expenditure of approximately $15,000,000 for the further beautification of this already beautiful city.

"Washington is growing steadily in population a the Capital of the richest country in the world, ever increasing in importance. It stands foremost as a newspaper center, having more newspaper correspondents than any other city on earth. As a result Washington and the events that happen here are broadcast over the whole country thereby aiding in making of this city a national shrine to which every patriotic American wishes to come and pay homage."

BUILDING SOLD



Six-story office building, 923 Fifteenth street northwest, recently purchased by the Mortgage & Title Co. of Maryland, from the National Capital Mortgage Co., through the offices of J. Curtis Walker and Hedges & Middleton, Inc.

AT THE CHESS TABLE

By WILLARD H. MUTCHLER.

The advent of amateur radio into the field of chess has aroused Nation-wide interest in the possibilities of staging intercity chess matches at frequent intervals. Curiosity has been expressed on the part of a number of readers as to the method in which these matches are conducted from the radio viewpoint. William M. Smith, local station 3-GP, and past president of the Washington Radio Club, has kindly consented to attempt to clear up the matter in the following article:

Chess and Amateur Radio.

"'3-GP nu 8-NR gm om vy psed qso ur sigs R 6 es vy stdl qrv chess match K.'

"'8-NR nu 3-GP R gm ob sure gld hr u ga chess match K.'

"'3-GP nu 8-NR hr brd a p dash k4 k.'

"The ether, on r about 40 meters was, on last Christmas Day and on February 12, 1928, full of amateur high frequency radio signals and characters like the above. The signals could easily be read by any one who understands and can copy international Morse code but they, it is believed, could not be understood by any but those initiated into the abbreviated lingo of the amateur radio operator. For the benefit of the "uneducated" the following is the translation:

"'U. S. A. radio station 3-GP calling U. S. A. station 8-NR. Good morning, old man. Very much pleased to be in communication with you. Your signals very strong and very steady. Are you ready for the chess match? Go ahead'.

"'U. S. A. Station 8-NR calling U. S. A station 3-GP. Transmission received O. K. Good morning, old boy. Sure glad to hear you. Go ahead with chess match.'

"Then Station 8-NR replies: 'Here move on board A is P-K4.'

"On Christmas Day transmissions of this kind kept up from 1:30 p. m. until 5 p. m. only one board being played On February 12 they continued steadily from 11 a. m. until 8 p. m., two boards being played. Both games were, from the radio viewpoint, eminently successful A new field was opened for use of amateur short wave radio and it is hoped that in the very near future intercity chess matches will become popular.

"From the radio operators' viewpoint the transmission of such matches might seem laborious and monotonous However, such is not the case. All the chess enthusiasts (or "chessnuts" as the writer has chosen to dub them) are well equipped with a broad and free sense of humor, and are far from above being made the subject of a quib. For instance, during the Chicago match on Christmas Day, when nearing "resignation" the Chicago operator said to the Washington operator: 'Deep stuff? You must have my man on the run He has a funny look in his eyes.'

"One of the chess players, who never saw an amateur transmitting and receiving station before Christmas Day became very interested in the radio signals and by the time the match was over was able to read some of the incoming moves with remarkable accuracy. If many more radio chess matches are played from Washington he, at least, will be able to relieve the operator at the receiving end. Such interest in the radio end on the part of the chess players gives the operators much encouragement in their endeavors to help to promote interest in intercity chess.

"A radio chess match is being arranged between Los Angeles and Washington. It is hoped that station 6-AM will transmit for Los Angeles, while the writer's station will be used in Washington. Owing to the phenomena of skip-distance when using high frequency such a match can not be started before 7 p m., Eastern standard time, and may continue to 3 or 4 a. m. of the following day. Experiments may be made with daylight transmission on 20 meters, and it may develop that such coast-to-coast matches may be held during the day. Let us hope so.

"If foreign governments would be more lenient with their amateur radio stations international matches could very easily be undertaken and carried through, as amateur stations in this country are in nightly two-way communication with their foreign fraternity brothers. A knowledge of English on their part is unnecessary. Two-way conversation is carried on by means of 'Q' abbreviations. Some of those combinations are as follows:

"QRA—What is your location?

"QRH—What is your wave length?

"QRK—How do you receive me?

"QRM—Are you being interfered with?

"QRU—Have you anything for me?

"QTA—Please repeat your last message.

"The writer in his comparatively short experience in the field of amateur radio has had many novel and interesting experiences. He has "talked" frequently with a leper confined to a small British isolation island in the Lesser Antilles; he has sent messages to stations on the Pacific Coast for friends and such stations telephoned to these friends and a real conversation took place between the writer and such friends with only one relay. In other words, it was almost instantaneous. The other evening station 3GP was in two-way communication with an amateur station in Haiti. 3GP discovered that the Haiti operator's wife lived in Washington

"The telephone was again resorted to and a message delivered to the lady in Washington. It was arranged then and there that the Haiti operator's wife would on prearranged nights go to the radio station in Washington, and without the use of any relay whatever, have as long a conversation with her husband in far-off Haiti as she and he desired.

"As far as distance is concerned, there is no limit. 3GP is not a Dx hound (long-distance fan). He has been in two-way communication with all continents and many countries, except Asia, but he has received reports as to the reception of his signals from that continent on many occasions.

"The average amateur radio station is always glad to receive and transmit messages by radio for any one to all parts of the world. They are always standing by for service in any emergency, local, State or national They are at the service of the community in which they live and the country of their birth or adoption. So far we are all proud indeed of their record: may nothing happen to cloud something yet unblemished.

"The chess enthusiasts have honored them by association: the radio 'ham' (amateur) hopes that such enthusiasm will not wane but will grow to a point beyond all present hopes and dreams of the amateur. We are with the 'chessnuts' with all our dots and dashes and lingo and hope that some day at least some of the 'chessmen' will be radio amateurs."

Notes.

A make-up occurred in the standing of the players in the club championship tournament at present in progress at the local club as a result of the games contested during the past week Byler dropped from undisputed possession of first place when he lost his game to Perkins, which was adjourned from the first round, despite a victory scored over Bishop. Perkins also won on a forfeit from Fouts, which allowed him to go into a tie with Knapp for the lead. Sullivan defeated Perry and Walker and Roberts reached an adjourned position in the remaining games played. The standing:

	Won.	Lost.
E. M. Knapp	4½	½
N. S. Perkins	4½	½
C. C. Bettinger	5	1
J. W. Byler	5	1
F. B. Walker	4	1
G. E. Bishop	4½	2½
A. Y. Hesse	3	2
W. M. Sullivan	2	3
C. A. Hesse	1½	4½
J. Roberts	0	5
G. W. Perry	0	6
R. M. Fouts	0	7

Our apologies are due Lester Reese for reporting last week that he lost one game and drew one against Newell W Banks in the latter's recent exhibitions here. Mr. Reese contested only one game with the checker champion, which was drawn.

The appended game is one which was contested in the recent Washington-Baltimore intercity match. W. B. Mundelle played steadily and carefully throughout, outmaneuvering Dr. Di Paula completely in the endgame.

FOUR KNIGHTS

	W. B. Mundelle Washington White	Dr. F. Di Paula Baltimore Black
1	P—K4	P—K4
2	Kt—KB3	Kt—KB3
3	Kt—B3	Kt—B3
4	P—Q3	B—Kt5
5	B—Q3	Castles
6	B—K2	P—KR3
7	P—KR3	P—Q3
8	Castles	B—R4
9	P—R3	B—K3
10	P—QKt4	B—Kt3
11	B—K3	Kt—Q4
12	BxB	KtxB
13	Kt—KR2	P—B4
14	PxP	RxP
15	B—Kt4	R—B3
16	BxB ch	RxB
17	Kt—K2	Q—K2
18	P—QB3	P—R3
19	P—KB4	PxP
20	Q—Kt3	K—R2
21	KtxP	R—B3
22	QR—K	Kt—K4
23	P—Q4	Q—B2
24	Q—B2 ch	Kt—Kt3
25	P—Kt3	R—K
26	RxR	QxR
27	Kt—Kt4	R—B
28	Q—Q3	Q—B2
29	K—Kt2	Q—B4
30	QxQ	RxQ
31	Kt—K3	KtxKt ch
32	PxKt	R—B2
33	P—KR4	Kt—R5
34	P—B4	P—B4
35	QPxP	PxP
36	P—B5	R—K2
37	K—B3	PxP
38	PxP	Kt—B6
39	R—B	Kt—K5
40	R—B2	Kt—B3
41	Kt—Q5	KtxKt
42	PxKt	R—K4
43	K—Q2	RxP ch
44	K—K4	R—B
45	P—Q6	R—Q
46	K—Q5	K—Kt
47	P—Q7	K—B2
48	K—Q6	Resigns

Solutions to Problems.

The key to No. 253, three-mover by John A. McIlvane, is Q-B2. Among those sending in solutions were Jacob Frech, Harvey W. Wiley, jr., C. C. Bettinger, J. W. Harris and Charles C. Taylor.

Concerning No. 252, a two-mover by the same author, Dell Floyd comments: "This two-mover is one of the finest. Mr. McIlvane is certainly a big-league composer of problems. His three-movers are good two-move problems to me after I have been given the key." Harvey W. Wiley termed this one "a very pretty problem." Charles C sends the following praise: "I must add that I discovered but one escape for black after each of the following key moves for white, Q-QB, B-K3 and P-K3. More praise to the composer." And of No. 253 he say: "Guess my solution of No. 252 reached you too late for your column. However, I am batting about .333 against this big leaguer, McIlvane, and I don't hesitate to admit I am boasting."

J. W. Harris terms No. 253 "quite a pretty problem, but nothing like so difficult as the last two or three." Harvey W. Wiley, jr., writes: "Though not a difficult problem, the three variations are pretty. There are several enticing tries with the queen, notably Q-Q; Q-Kt3; Q-B6."

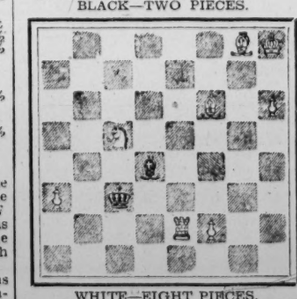
Today's offering is a three-mover suitmate by the same author. In other words, white elects to force black to mate him in three moves while black attempts to delay the mate as long as possible. Readers are requested to submit comments, criticisms, and make suggestions as to how they like this type of problem.

Problem No. 254.

Composed for The Washington Post By John A. McIlvane, Pittsburgh, Pa

K on QB6; B on Q5.

BLACK—TWO PIECES.



WHITE—EIGHT PIECES.

K on KR3; R on K2; Bs on KB6 and KKt8; Kt on QB5; Ps on KR6, KB2 and QR3.

White mates in three moves.

SHEEP MADE GREEN BY GROWING GRASS

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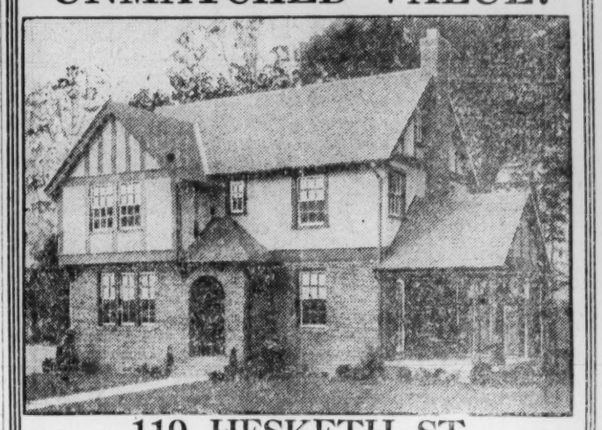
Bromsgrove, Eng., March 3 (A.P.).—Green sheep in the pastures of W. E. Dodd have been attracting much attention. Automobilists and others who had fleeting glimpses of the animals assumed that they had been treated with some new colored sheep dip.

Investigation, however, revealed that the green was natural grass in a flourishing condition. For months the sheep at Dodd's Copton Hill farm have been running in an old hay field in which there were several stacks of last season's hay.

Investigators reported that the sheep, in feeding around the hay stacks, had shaken down large numbers of seeds which took effect in their wool. Aided by the rains and the bodily heat of the sheep, the seeds germinated rapidly and began their natural growth. The grass has not reached maturity by any means, however, as it was nibled off each sheep's back by the other sheep as fast as it reached a length where it could be nibbled.

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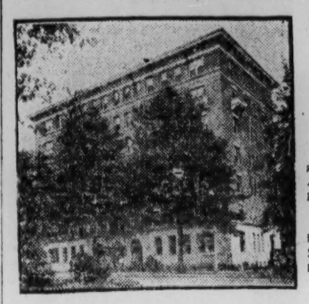
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2 rooms, bath, electricity, $40.00.
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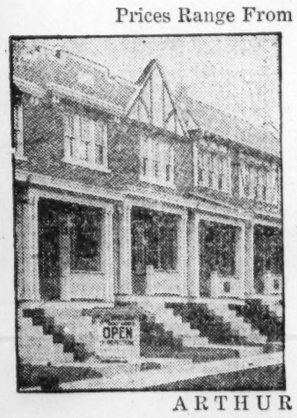
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Y. W. C. A. ACTIVITIES

The usual twilight music and at home hour will be held today at 4:30 p. m. in Barker Hall, of the Y. W. C. A., at Seventeenth and K streets. Miss Irene Gladys Deuterman, assisted by Miss Mary Fox, of the staff, will be the hostess.

At the vesper service this afternoon at the Elizabeth Somers Residence, at 5:30, the speaker will be the Rev. John W. Rustin, jr., pastor of Mount Vernon Methodist Church. The leader will be Miss Kathryn Norwood.

Miss Isabel Stabler, the secretary of the friends' meeting, will speak at Gallaudet College today.

Miss Eileen Richey, membership secretary of the Atlantic City Y. W. C. A., will visit the Washington association this week and make a study of the methods in use here.

There will be a meeting of the membership committee in the board room tomorrow at 5 p. m. Miss Eileen Richey will be a guest and Mrs. William Adams Slade will speak on the "International Aspect of the Y. W. C. A." Tomorrow also there will be a meeting of the health education committee at 2:15.

Tuesday there will be a meeting of the K street house committee at 11.

The Elizabeth Somers committee will meet on Thursday at 10:30 a. m., and at 2 p. m. there will be a meeting of the Camp Kahlert committee.

Friday there will be a meeting of the food service committee at 10:30.

Business and Professional Department.

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock the booklovers' section will meet in the assembly room on the fourth floor. The subject of the evening will be "The Miracle of Words." Miss Alice Hutchins Drake, leader of the group, will sketch briefly the background of our speech, point out words mispronounced and misused and read fragments of prose and poetry illustrative of her points.

Tuesday evening the Amicitia, Hitika, Premiere, Tip Top and Wohelo Clubs will hold their regular business meetings. Supper will be served as usual at 6:15.

The Blue Triangle Club of young girls in business will have a "music hour" Thursday evening. A quartet of students from the Papas' Studio will render a program of special music on fretted instruments, and there also be singing by the whole group.

Friday night the first of a series of monthly dinners will be held. The guest speaker will be James J. Davis Secretary of Labor. The Secretary will be introduced by Mrs. Wilson Compton chairman of the department. The theme of the evening will be "Advancement—How It Comes." The advisory board sponsoring these dinners are Mrs Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney General of the United States; Dr Elizabeth Kittredge, Miss Mary Winfree of the board of directors of the Continental Trust Co.; Miss Jessie La Salle, assistant superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Sallie Pickett, society editor of the Evening Star. The sponsors will make brief addresses. The dinner will be held in Barker Hall, at Seventeenth and K, at 7 o'clock.

Girl Reserves.

The March number of the "Girl Reserve Gleam," the new paper of the Girl Reserve departments, has been mailed to all clubs.

The Senior High School Girl Reserve Council will meet tomorrow at 5 p. m. in the Girl Reserve Club rooms. Plans for the operetta, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin" to be given March 23 and 24 will be completed at that time. On Monday, also, the Adelphi Girl Reserve Club of Western High School will meet at the school at 2:45 p. m.

Tuesday the Girl Reserve Clubs at Columbia, Powell and Langley will hold regular meetings at the schools, and the Macfarland Club will go to the "Y" Building after school to bowl.

The Tri-Hi Girl Reserve Club of Business High School will have a service meeting in the Girl Reserve Club rooms Wednesday at 3:15 p. m. On the same day, the Junior High School Girl Reserve Council will meet at 4 p. m. in the Girl Reserve Club rooms to complete plans for the Junior High School song contest which will be held in Barker Hall, Tuesday afternoon, March 20, at 4 p. m. The Dennison Council will meet for luncheon at the school Wednesday to discuss plans for the month of March. The five clubs at the Dennison Vocational School will hold business meetings at 2 p. m., and the club at Fillmore School will meet at 3 p. m.

The two clubs at Stuart Junior High will meet in the school at 2:15 on Thursday. One of these clubs has just been organized. On Thursday also, the three clubs at Jefferson Junior High School will meet at 2 p. m. and Les Camarades and Fidelis clubs at Eastern High will meet at 2:45.

Friday the three clubs of Hine Junior High School will meet at 2 p. m. Bon Secour Club of Central and Semper Fidelis Club of Tech will hold special meetings in the Girl Reserve Club rooms at 3:15 p. m.

The four Saturday Morning Girl Reserve clubs will meet in the clubrooms at 10 a. m.

There are now 20 active Girl Reserve clubs meeting regularly each week. Any girl between the ages of twelve and eighteen is invited to join the club in her school or the Saturday morning clubs at the Y. W. C. A. building.

Industrial Department.

The members of the industrial committee will serve luncheon to the girls working at the Price Wilhoite factory Tuesday at 12 o'clock.

The recently organized French Supper Club will meet Tuesday at 5:30 p. m., followed by bowling at 7 p. m.

Wednesday the K. E. Y. Club will meet at 6:30 p. m.

The Thursday Club will meet at 4:30 p. m. for swimming and after supper there will be bowling matches.

The regular meeting of the industrial committee will be held on Friday at 6:30 p. m.

General Education.

The subject for Drew Pearson's lecture for Wednesday night at 8 p. m. will be "China in Revolution." Men and women are welcome and single tickets may be secured.

Tuesday night at 7:30 the general education committee and the education council will have 25 guests meet with them to discuss the new classes to be put on in April and to hear a report of part of the recent education conference held in New York.

Miss Minnie V. Sandberg, education director, will leave on Saturday to address the girl reserve conference which is being held in Lancaster, Pa., over this week-end.

Chapters.

There will be a meeting of the chapter council tomorrow at 11 a. m. at Seventeenth and K streets. Miss Minnie V. Sandberg will report on the education conference recently held in New York, having for her theme, "An Analysis of Religious Trends in the United States as Reflected in the Association." Miss Richey also will be a guest at this meeting.

Chevy Chase Chapter held its executive committee meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. F. M. Hoadley, where primary plans were made for the fall bazaar. The chapter will meet on Tuesday at 2:30 at the Presbyterian House, 5838 Chevy Chase parkway. Mrs. Hubert Snoke, Mrs. H. DeC. Adams and Mrs. Clifton E. Chandler will be the hostesses. The Rev. J Hillman Hollister, pastor of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, will give a Lenten talk. The chapter has assumed the responsibility of building a senior cottage at Kamp Kahlert as a gift to the association.

Piney Branch Chapter will hold its Bible class every Monday in March at the home of Mrs E. J. Fox, 1615 Buchanan street northwest. A benefit luncheon for the Mantel fund will be given tomorrow.

Health Education Department.

The local group of women's division, N. A. A. F., will have their monthly meeting Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m. in the corrective gymnasium.

Food Service Department.

Beginning today there will be regular cafeteria service each Sunday evening from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock in the cafeteria at Seventeenth and K streets.

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Dr. A. H. Mackin, who has had experience as an arctic explorer, says: "One can not too strongly condemn rubbing the frozen part with snow or ice. In the arctic this is the standard joke to play on a tenderfoot. Dirty snow, or even clean snow or ice quickly rubs the skin off and leaves a raw place which develops into a weeping sore."

He advises holding the frozen part against the warm skin. A frozen hand can be slipped into the shirt and held against the warm skin of the body. A frozen nose or ear can be warmed by cupping the bare hand over it. A frozen foot can be thawed by holding it in the hands or by placing it inside the clothing and against the body of a comrade.

Light, dry massage is allowable. The sole of the foot, and especially the heel, can be vigorously rubbed without harm. After the circulation of the injured member has returned it should be wrapped loosely in clean cotton batting. Rest is highly desirable. If blisters have formed they should not be pricked if it can be avoided. Dry dusting powders should be used.

To prevent freezing, the clothing should be warm, dry, airtight and loose. Contact with metal and also with grease and moisture should be avoided. The garments should consist of a windproof and waterproof outer garment or outer layer, and within this an open, air holding garment or fabric. Furs meet these requirements, particularly when the leather part is on the outside. The leather turns wind and water and the fur holds warm air next the body. Any cloth garment should be fabricated on the same principle. All garments must be loose. This applies especially to gloves and footwear. There must be no air channels around the neck, wrists, ankels or waistline. Undergarments must not be allowed to remain wet or even damp.

For a person who is reasonably intelligent and careful there is no difficulty with any garment except the shoes or boots. Getting foot gear that is loose, does not constrict in warm weather, that is waterproof, and that does not cause the feet to sweat is not an easy matter. But it can be done.

Dr. Mackin is opposed to greasing the feet as a prevention of cold. It was all right for the soldiers in the trenches in the World War because they had to stand ankle deep in water and mud for hours on a stretch. It is absolutely contra-indicated except when the feet are constantly wet.

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Col. Philip M. Bannon, lately in command of Marine Barracks, Puget Sound, Wash., has been ordered transferred to the retired list on March 12.

Maj. Howard C. Judson is detached from Marine Barracks, New York, and directed to proceed, via U. S. S. Sirius, from that place March 8 to duty with the second brigade in Nicaragua.

Capt. John T. Walker is ordered detached from U. S. S. West Virginia and to duty on the staff of the basic school, Marine Barracks, Philadelphia. His relief on board the West Virginia will be directed to report before the ship leaves the West Coast for the maneuvers in Hawaiian waters.

The resignation of Capt. Wethered Woodworth became effective March 1, and as a result First Lieut. John C. Wemple and Second Lieut. Lawrence R. Kline became due for promotion on March 2.

Sergt. George O. Van Orden, who was examined in December, has been appointed a probationary second lieutenant, with rank as of January 20.

The following warrant officers, upon completion of six years' service as such, have been commissioned in the grades indicated: Chief marine gunner, M. Wodarczyk; chief quartermaster clerks, M. Halladay, J. R. Morris, A. E. Potts, C. Wiedmann and W. E. Yaecker, and chief pay clerks, F. R. Powers, F. H. O'Neil, J. D. Erwin, E. J. Donnelly, jr., and A. A. Zarracina.

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Orders have been issued by the War Department for transfer of the Fifth Photo Section of the Army Air Corps from Chanute Field, Ill., to Selfridge Field, Mich. A qualified photographic officer will be placed in command of the section, which will have a strength of not exceeding twenty men. The unit will work in connection with the Fifteenth Observation Squadron, which recently was ordered to be reconstituted at Selfridge Field.

Capt. Charles R. Lehner, Field Artillery, and Second Lieuts. James A. Williams, jr., Infantry, and Kennth P. McNaughton, Field Artillery, have been detailed to the Air Corps for instruction at the primary flying school, Brooks Field, Tex.

Transfer of Officers.

The following officers have been relieved from detail in the Air Corps and assigned as indicated: Second Lieuts. Robert H. Taylor, jr., to Second Engineers, Fort Logan, Colo.; Kingsley S. Anderson to Eighth Engineers, Fort Bliss, Tex.; Paul Hamilton to Infantry, Second Division, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and William H. Minter to Twenty-ninth Engineers, Fort Sam Houston.

Bombing Match Plans.

The Secretary of War has extended an invitation, through the Secretary of the Navy, to the personnel of the Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Department, and the aviation section of the Marine Corps to participate in the various events of the annual machine-gun and bombing matches of the Army Air Corps, which are to be held at Langley Field, Va., May 28 to June 15.

These events will include pursuit aerial gunnery, observation aerial gunnery and heavier-than-air bombing.

SERVICE ORDERS

ARMY ASSIGNMENTS.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS — Capts. Lawrence L. Simpson to Fort Bragg, N. C.; Louis de Jussewicz to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; First Lieuts. Doc E. Lowry, jr., to Washington, D. C.; Claude B. Luncombe to Fort Bliss, Tex.; Wayne M. Pickels to Fort Sill, Okla.; Capt. Rufus G. Vaughan to Marfa, Tex.; Maj. John F. Daye to Washington, D. C.; Capt. Ernest A. Reynolds to Fort McDowell, Calif.; Lieut. Col. William F. Herringshaw to Fort Lewis, Wash.; Maj. Rigby D. Valliant to Washington, D. C.; Capts. Ernest A. Kindervater to Fort Barrancas, Fla.; George W. Rees to San Francisco, Calif.; Murdock A. McFadden to Rockwell Field, Calif.; George F. Spann to Jeffersonville, Ind.; First Lieut. Arthur E. Dewey to Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; Capt. Anton Zeman to Selfridge Field, Mich.; Capt. James C. Longino to Philadelphia; First Lieut. James G. McFadden, reserve, to active duty in this city; First Lieut. Maurice P. O'Connor, retires; Capts. William T. O'Brien, Lonnie H. Lee, Charles H. Evans, Lewis J. Bennett, Lieut. Col. Harold K. Weidenfeld, Second Lieut. Harry A. McBride, First Lieut. William C. Haswell, Capt. William J. Nichols, Maj. Jesse McComas, reserves, to Fort Mason, Calif.; Capts. Alston B. Ames to Camp Meade, Md.; James W. Foss, jr., to Fort Riley, Kans.; Gordon H. Steele to Fort Benning, Ga.; Bernard E. McKeever to Washington, D. C.; Oliver L. Overmyer to Fort Robinson, Nebr.; Franklin D. Shawn to Fort Slocum, N. Y.; Glenn A. Ross to Fort Niagara, N. Y.; Fletcher O. Leitch to Fort Screven, Ga.; Harvey Edward to Fort Adams, R. I.; Milton O. Boone to Fort Hayes, Ohio; First Lieut. Alan D. Oppenheimer, reserve, to New York; Capt. Lewis M. Bullock to Walter Reed Hospital; First Lieuts. Lawrence B. Morris to Walter Reed Hospital; George P. Newmyer, reserve, to Fort Mason, Calif.

INFANTRY—Col. William S. Faulkner to retiring board; Maj. George E. Waugh retired; Col. Fred R. Brown to San Francisco; First Lieuts. Albert G. Phillips to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; William D. Schas to Brooks Field, Tex.; Eduardo Andino to Fort Wadsworth, N. Y.; Second Lieut. Emmett H. Emanuel to China; First Lieut. Henry H. Fay to Manila; Capt. Mark G. Grislawn to Walter Reed Hospital; Col. Ralph E. Ingram to Syracuse, N. Y.; Capt. Walter L. Mitchell to Manila; Col. Ernest E. Haskell to Oklahoma City; Lieut. Cols. Harry A. Wells to Fort Benning, Ga.; Channing E. Delaplane to Camp Meade, Md.; Col. Ephraim G. Peyton to Washington, D. C.; Capt. Alexander N. Stark, jr., to Atlanta, Ga.; Maj. George F. N. Dalley to Camp Meade, Md.; Capt. Raymond L. Shoemaker to Washington, D. C.; First Lieut. Chester E. Gruber to New York; Lieut. Col. Oliver P. Robinson to Bloomington, Ind.; Majs. John W. Leonard to Chester, Pa.; Robert C. Cotton to Washington, D. C.; Lieut. Col. John R. Brewer to Washington, D. C.; Capts. Ben-Hur Chastaine to Manila; Harrison B. Beaver to Fort Benning, Ga.; Lieut. Col. Norman Meranus, reserve, to Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

ENGINEERS—Capt. William V. McCray, reserve, to active duty in this city; Lieut. Col. Elliott J. Dent to Washington, D. C.; Col. Edward H. Schulz to Cincinnati; Maj. Donald H. Connolly and Lieut. Col. W. Willing to Washington, D. C.

AIR CORPS—First Lieut. Willis R. Taylor to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; Second Lieuts. Matthew J. Deitchelman to Coast Artillery, Fort Monroe, Va.; Reginald R. Gillespie to Hawaii; First Lieuts. Howard G. Davidson and Arthur L. Bump, jr., to Manila; Maj. Henry C. Pratt to Mitchell Field, N. Y.; Capt. Ralph H. Wooten to Fort Crockett, N. Y.; First Lieuts. Charles S. Ward to Engineers, Fort Bliss, Tex.; Charles H. Dowman, William C. Goldsborough Isaac J. Williams, and Second Lieut. Wilfrid H. Hardy to March Field, Calif.

CAVALRY—Lieut. Col. Harry L. King to Boston; Capt. Frederick F. Duggan, to Fort Meade, Md.; Lieut. Col. John K. Kerr, to Fort Riley, Kans.; Col. Leon B. Kromer, to Monterey, Calif.; Second Lieut. Theodore Kalakuka, to Air Corps, Brooks Field, Tex.

MEDICAL CORPS—Majs Herbert L. Freeland, to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; Wood S. Wolford, to Rockwell Field, Calif.; Capt. Louis M. Field, to Bolling Field, D. C.

COAST ARTILLERY — Lieut. Col. Franc Lecocq, to Manila; First Lieut. Verne C. Snell, to Fort Monroe, Va.; Porter T. Gregory, to Fort Monroe, Va.; Lieut. Col. Henry C. Merriam, to Atlanta, Ga.; First Lieut. Harry W. Lins, to Fort Preble, Me.; Second Lieut. Pierre J. Stagliano, to Hawaii; Majs Robert M. Perkins, to Fort Monroe, Va.; Louis L. Pendleton, to Washington, D. C.

FIELD ARTILLERY—Lieut. Col. Walter H. Smith, to Fort Bragg, N. C.; Maj. Richard E. Anderson, to West Point, N. Y.; Capt. Horace Harding, First Lieut. Edmund W. Searby, to Fort Riley, Kans.; Maj. Kenneth S. Perkins, to Fort Bragg, N. C.; First Lieut. Stuart A. Beckley, Second Lieut. Everett C. Meriwether, to Fort Monmouth, N. J.; Maj. Herbert S. Clarkson, to Washington, D. C.; Second Lieuts. Ronald I. Pride, Harold H. Hunt, to Air Corps.

NAVY ASSIGNMENTS.

CAPTAINS—John G. Church to Asiatic station; Robert Morris to U. S. S. Rigel; Luther L. von Wedekind to home.

COMMANDERS—Patrick N. L. Bellinger to Rome as assistant naval attache; Claude B. Mayo to Newport, R. I.; William R. Smith, jr., to U. S. S. Vega; Leslie E. Bratton to U. S. S. Sirius; Stuart S. Brown to Asiatic station; Bert B. Taylor to U. S. S. New Mexico.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS — Arnold H. Batement to Naval Academy; Ralph E. Davison, Ralph F. Wood, assistant attache, Rome, to Washington, D. C.; Ernest W. Broadbent to U. S. S. Thompson; Raymond Burhen to U. S. S. Pennsylvania; John W. Gates to U. S. S. Kidder; Donald W. Hamilton, naval attache, Mexico, to U. S. S. Farenholt; Herbert S. Jones to Washington, D. C.; Robert P. Hinrichs to U. S. S. Reno; Archibald N. Offley to San Francisco; Virgil H. Carson to Baltimore; Lynde D. McCormick to U. S. S. V-2; John G. Meyer to U. S. S. Altair; Lloyd J. Wiltse to Cambridge, Mass.; Colin Campbell to Washington, D. C.; Thomas F. Downey to Naval Academy; Richard S. Bulger to Fourteenth naval district; Joseph H. Hoffman to Norfolk, Va.; Harry J. Retue to U. S. S. Utah; William E. Miller to New Haven, Conn.; James B. Ryan to Boston, Mass.; Hubert E. Paddock to Philadelphia; Lisle F. Small to Mare Island, Calif.; Samuel S. Thurston, to Newport, R. I.; Myron J. Walker to Asiatic station.

LIEUTENANTS—John H. Forshew, jr., to U. S. S. Dale; Howard L. Clark, to U. S. S. S-26; Jacob H. Jacobson, to Washington, D. C.; Robert C. Warrack, to Pensacola, Fla.; Henry C. Lowry, to San Diego, Calif.; Arthur M. Bryan, to U. S. S. Whitney; Dayton Fisher, to Coco Solo, C. Z.; Leroy W. Busby, jr., to Naval Academy; Jesse H. Carter, to U. S. S. New Mexico; George C. Dyer, to U. S. S. Arizona; Harold C. Fitz, to U. S. S. Arizona; Theodore G. Haff, to Naval Academy; William K. Johnstone, to U. S. S. La Vallette; Wilson D. Leggett, jr., to U. S. S. V-2; George M. O'Rear, to U. S. S. S-24; Paul A. Sterling, to U. S. S. Utah; Robert E. Baker, to Albany, N. Y.; Francis W. Benson, to Naval Academy; Leonard Donoghue, to Third naval district; Herman E. Halland, to Pensacola, Fla.; Elmer F. Helmkamp, to U. S. S. California; William A. S. Macklin, to Naval Academy; Frank N. Sayre, to U. S. S. Marcus; Marion C. Thompson, to Naval Academy; Enoch C. Brian, to U. S. S. Seattle; Ben Hollander, to U. S. S. Tulsa; Hugh O. Quinn, resigns; Harold J. Bellingham, to Asiatic station; Julius A. Burgess, to U. S. S. Doyen; Harold Caldwell, to U. S. S. Bruce; Merrill Comstock, to U. S. S. Holland; Glenn F. DeGraw, to Denver, Colo.; William J. Lehrfield, to Newport, R. I.; Trevor Lewis, to Canal Zone; John W. Marts, jr., to U. S. S. Colorado; Harry E. Padley, to Asiatic station; Walter P. Ramsey, jr., to U. S. S. Colorado; Thomas J. Ryan, jr., to Washington, D. C.; Lucius K. Scott, to Newport, R. I.; Thomas S. Thorne, to Asiatic station; Elmer J. Tiernan, to Newport, R. I.; David A. Hughes, to U. S. S. Whitney; Raleigh B. Miller, to Pittsburgh, Pa.; Donald R. Osborne, jr., to U. S. S. S-28; Gale A. Poindexter, to Washington, D. C.; Ben H. Wyatt, to naval mission to Peru; Charles H. Morris, to U. S. S. Pennsylvania; Carl W. Porter, to Haiti; Harold Biesemeier, to battle fleet; Charles B. Cary, to Asiatic station; Justin H. Dickins, to Naval Academy; Charles O. Holland, to home; John B. Mallard, to U. S. S. Isherwood; Paul S. Slawson, to U. S. S. Sharkey; Frederick S. Steinbauer, to Great Lakes, Ill.; Walter F. Hinckley, to U. S. S. Whitney; Hugh St.C. Sease, to U. S. S. Lexington; Proctor M. Thornton, to Twelfth naval district.

LIEUTENANTS (j. g.)—Gilbert L. Burt, to Washington, D. C.; Roy R. Darron, to Pensacola, Fla.; Alan R. Nash, to Pensacola, Fla.; Richard C. Webb, to U. S. S. S-7; William E. Bailey, to Washington, D. C.; Winston P. Folk, to U. S. S. Eagle No. 35; William W. Weeden, jr., to U. S. S. Lawrence; Charles W. Wilkins, to New London, Conn.; Joshua C. Shively, to U. S. S. Lamson; Curtis C. Smiley, to U. S. S. California; Gordon M. Stoddard, to U. S. S. V-3; Paul C. Treadle, to battle fleet; Otto C. Wierum, to home; Thomas S. Cameron, to Asiatic station; John C. Goodnough, to Asiatic station, Frank Akers, to Pensacola, Fla.; Wayne N. Gamet, to Asiatic station; George C. Montgomery, to U. S. S. La Vallette.

ENSIGNS—William G. Cooper, to Pensacola, Fla.; Harry H. Henderson, to Naval Academy; Cordon A. McLean, James A. Morrison, to Pensacola, Fla.; Marin R. Peterson, to U. S. S. Florida; Harper D. Scrymgeour, Clarence O. Taff, to Pensacola, Fla.; Winthrop E. Terry, to U. S. S. Reuben James; Carlton B. Hutchins, James E. Leeper, Jesse S. McClure, Donald L. Mills, to Pensacola, Fla.; Karl H. Nonweiler, to U. S. S. Hopkins; Stephen E. Rice 3d, Walter F. Rodes, William K. Romoser, Ernest A. Ruth, jr.; Albott M. Sellers, to Pensacola, Fla.; James H. Ward, to U. S. S. Sirius; William G. Allen, to Naval Academy; Frederic A. Berry, jr., to U. S. S. Decatur; Francis L. Busey, Earl S. Caldwell, Walter L. Dyer, Morton K. Fleming, jr.; Theodore R. Frederick, to Pensacola, Fla.; William A. Dolan, jr., to U. S. S. Sloat; Hubert M. Hayter, to U. S. S. Yarborough; John J. Hourihan, to U. S. S. Salinas; William H. Carpenter, to New London, Conn.

MARINE CORPS ASSIGNMENTS

COLONEL—P. M. Bannon retires.

CAPTAINS—H. Paul, to Asiatic station; T. J. Curtis, to Pacific department.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS—R. C. Battin, to Pacific department; F. W. R. Brown, to Quantico, Va.; J. D. Swartout, to San Diego, Calif.; W. H. Lee, L. E. Marie, to Asiatic station.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS—M. S. Newton, M. A. Cramer, S. E. Levenskv, R. B. Luckey, R. N. Jordahl, W. C. Lemly, C. L. Fike, to Asiatic station; W. G. Manley, to San Diego, Calif.

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NEWS OF VETERANS' ACTIVITIES

AMERICAN LEGION.

Costello Post.

Vincent B. Costello Post, No. 15, will meet on Tuesday in the board room of the District Building.

Five of the rifles from among the post's collection of German captured war trophies will be auctioned off to the members at this meeting.

The post will take part with George Washington Post in the celebration of the post's ninth anniversary at their meeting on March 7.

Adjt. Martin Goerl is continuing to receive applications from veterans who served in the Verdun sector for the special medal awarded to these soldiers by the city of Verdun. The final date for sending in applications through Costello Post will be March 21. Members of the post should send a certified or photostatic copy of their discharge to Adjt. Goerl, with $1, not later than that date.

George Washington Post.

The George Washington Post, No. 1, will celebrate its ninth birthday anniversary Wednesday evening, at the Post's clubhouse, 1829 I street northwest. An interesting program has been arranged consisting of a few short snappy speeches interspered with musical numbers.

This post, which has the distinction of being the first American Legion post organized, had its inception at the Cosmos Club, this city, March 7, 1919. A large number of the charter members which attended that first meeting will be present to help celebrate the ninth anniversary.

Invitations have been extended to prominent out-of-town legionnaires as well as members of local posts. This will also be "ladies' night" and a large number of the fairer sex are expecting to attend.

On February 22, the post made a pilgrimage to Mount Vernon, the ancestral home of George Washington, and placed a wreath on the tomb of the Father of Our Country.

Several members of the post participated in the parade at Alexandria on Washington's birthday and carried the post's colors through the beautiful streets of that city which traces its history back to revolutionary days.

Sergeant Jasper Post.

The annual banquet of Sergeant Jasper Post, No. 13, to be held Wednesday, March 15, at the Lafayette Hotel, is certain to be one of the most successful affairs ever sponsored by the post. Senator David I. Walsh, of Massachusetts; Senator Frederick Steinwer, of Oregon, and Representative Lister Hill, of Alabama, have been invited to attend.

A large number of tickets have already been disposed of and a record-breaking crowd is assured.

Lieut. Charles Benter, leader of the United States Navy Band, is going to have several of the members of the band ready to acompany the boys in trying out their 1917-18 voices.

The resolutions committee has before it a resolution urging the adoption of an annual "Army Day" similar to the annual Navy Day which occurs October 27. A second resolution placing the post on record as being in favor of the Welch bill, which provides for an increase in Government employes' salaries, is being prepared. The Welch bill is of particular interest to the members of the post, in view of the fact that 90 per cent are employes of the U. S. Government. Both of these resolutions will be presented before the members of the post at the next regular meeting Wednesday, at Thomas Circle Club, 1326 Massachusetts avenue northwest. Commander John J. Orlosky will preside.

Lafayette Post.

Lafayette Post, No. 9, the American Legion, held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening at the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club, 1015 L street northwest.

A splendid meeting was held with two-thirds of the full membership of the post being present. The following new members were initiated: John F. Moore, jr., John J. Fuller.

The following candidates were voted on and accepted, and will be initiated on the next meeting night: Herbert Baruch, 630 Ninth street northwest; C. W. Berry, 1738 F street northwest; James P. Thornton, U. S. Veterans' Bureau; Herbert W. Gardner, 1739 I street northwest; John F. Nolan, 1669 Columbia road northwest; Richard C. Walters, 1661 Park road northwest; Clarence E. Jenkins, 2823 Twenty-eighth street northwest; Sidney H. Perham, 4406 Chesapeake street northwest.

Commander Bartl read a strong and earnest letter from the national commander, urging every member of the legion to further the adoption of the naval bill as approved by President Coolidge. Nearly every member present took the floor on this question with the results that the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Be it resolved, That Lafayette Post, No. 9, the American Legion, is wholeheartedly and unreservedly in favor of the naval bill as submitted to Congress with the approval of President Coolidge and Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, as the surest and safest means of preventing future wars; and we protest, as disloyalty to the United States, any reduction from this program; and be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all members of Congress urging their whole hearted and active support of this bill."

The American Legion is composed of men who answered the call to arms in 1917 and 1918. We know from experience that "war is hell" and, therefore, it would seem are quite logically more interested in keeping our country at peace than the propogandists who are fighting this bill.

It is notable that many of the organizations opposing a Navy adequate to defend our country are headed by paid propogandists of pacifism, men who did not lift a finger for our country during the late war, who would not lift a finger in its defense in another war, and who will not allow their children to be trained to defend their country. They are, however, willing to earn their livelihood by taking advantage of the rights of freedom of speech and press, which rights were purchased and paid for by our forefathers in a ghastly cost of life and blood, by spreading their insidious propaganda against the United States making any preparation to defend these rights.

Legionnaires would not, for an instant, propose to deny these perverted and hyphenated American organizations the rights of the freedom of speech and press, and while we hate and despise the things they say and the propaganda they spread, we are ready to again defend, with our lives if necessary, their right to say them. But in order that a minimum of our lives and blood may be spent for this cause we are asking you to use your great influence to obtain for us an adequate defense and preparedness program.

A copy of the resolution has been mailed to every senator and representative, also to the national commander and the American Legion Monthly.

Jacob Jones Post.

The U. S. S. Jacob Jones Post, No. 2, American Legion, participated in a joint meeting with the Jane Delano and Belleau Wood posts on Thursday. This is the first time in some years that the women's posts have had a joint activity. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

The commander of the post, Comrade Mabel F. Staub, accompanied by Past Commander Helen O'Neill, attended the meeting of the Minnesota State Society on Tuesday.

Three of the past commanders of this post are department officers, Past Commander O'Neill is department welfare officer, Past Commander McCarty is assistant department adjutant and Past Commander Hall is department historian. Past Commander O'Neill has lately returned from a trip to national headquarters in connection with the welfare work.

Victory Post.

Victory Post, No. 4, the American Legion held its regular meeting Tuesday in the Woodmen Hall, 935 Grant place northwest.

Vice Commander John McVey presided.

The post voted to give a benefit play by the First Presbyterian Church Players, date to be announced later.

Adjutant Madison L. Hill announced a membership of 220, or 20 per cent over 1927.

The post was presented with a citation from National Commander Spafford for their 1928 membership drive.

Six new applications for membership are now on file with the membership committee and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

The membership committee is as follows, chairman, Joseph William Rabbett; Max Levy and Stanley Schreiner.

First Vice Commander Wilt, of the Kennith Nash Post, was a visitor and congratulated the post upon its wonderful progress.

Chairman Charles Knight and the vice chairman, Mrs. Charles Knight, announced that the card party given Wednesday, in the Northeast Masonic Temple, was a wonderful success.

This party was given to help equip the drum corps with uniforms. The post and drum corps extend their thanks to those who donated prizes and those who assisted.

Arrangements are being made to have a prominent speaker address the next meeting to be held Tuesday, March 13, in the Woodmen Hall.

All legionaires are cordially invited to attend.

Owing to the increase of membership, Stanley Schreiner was appointed executive committeeman and Past Post Commander Joseph Rabbett, his assistant.

The post urged these committeemen to bring about further consolidation of posts and to discourage the issuing of any new charters in the District of Columbia.

Spengler Post.

Capt. Watson B. Miller, senior vice commander of H. C. Spengler Post, No. 12, is rapidly recovering from an indisposition which occurred during a recent visit to Boston in connection with his duties of chairman of the national rehabilitation committee of the American Legion.

Col. George L. Tait, Maj. J. B. Jones and Capt. J. Allen Praether, the committee on revision of the post's by-laws, are awaiting the decision of the department executive committee on the proposed modifications of the department by-laws, before submitting their final report to the post.

Maj. Alek Summers, past post commander, has returned to his Virginia plantation after spending the winter months at his city residence.

Commander Benjamin L. Fuller requests all members of the post who are eligible to receive the valor medal for participation in the defense of Verdun to communicate with Maj. E. H. Hale, 3913 Kansas avenue northwest, who will furnish full information and instructions as to proof of eligibility and method of applying.

Capt. D. A. White, dental officer of the 121st Engineer Regiment District National Guard, and past post commander of Henry C. Spengler Post, No. 12, has been busily occupied during the past two weeks on the officers' examining board of the District of Columbia Militia.

The post welfare committee has been successful in procuring hospital treatment and necessary operative attention for a former naval electrician, and his acceptance as a warrant officer in the coast guard.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

National Capital Post.

National Capital Post, No. 127, held its meeting Monday evening at Pythian Temple.

Commander Muschlitz addressed the post relative to the wonderful display of patriotism demonstrated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars in participating in the George Washington Birthday celebration held in Alexandria, Va., on February 22.

An invitation was extended to the post by the National Capital Post Auxiliary to attend its entertainment and social Tuesday evening, which invitation was most cordially accepted by the post, and those in attendance enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Appropriate talks were rendered on this occasion by Commander R. C. Muschlitz, Past Department Commander George J. Neuner, Past Post Commander Daniel J. Leahy and Quartermaster Ernest Wickstrand.

The post went on record as opposing the action taken by the House of Representatives in reducing from 71 vessels, as recommended in the naval program, introduced by the Secretary of the Navy, and sanctioned by the President of the United States, to sixteen vessels, and directed that appropriate communications be forwarded to the Senate requesting that that body sustain the original naval program as submitted by the Secretary of the Navy and sanctioned by the President of the United States.

Plans are now being perfected for the ninth birthday celebration of National Capital Post, No. 127, to be held at Pythian Temple, 1012 Ninth street northwest, on the evening of April 9, and the entertainment committee has been authorized to proceed with its plans for the occasion. The celebration will be an open affair, and the invitation is extended to include members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, National Capital Post Auxiliary, members families and friends. This affair embraces the most jubilant celebration held annually by the post, and every effort will be made to make this year's birthday party surpass all other similar events held by the post.

A very appropriate address was delivered by our judge advocate of the department of the District of Columbia Maj. Hale, on the subject of national defense and the Navy improvement program. A. A. Hoffman delivered a very interesting talk on veteranism and true patriotism to our country and flag.

The post extended to the entertainment committee and the members responsible for the outstanding success of the smoker, which was held on the evening of February 21, a cordial vote of thanks and praise.

Comrade Ernest Wickstrand rendered a very favorable report for the relief committee and announced that visits had been made to Walter Reed Hospital, Naval Hospital and Mount Alto Hospital.

A smoker will be held at Pythian Temple on Tuesday, at 8 p. m., by the Department of the District of Columbia, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and all members of National Capital Post are cordially invited to attend and to bring with them as their guest an eligible candidate. No introduction in necessary relative to the caliber of a department smoker, so just make it your point to be there.

Columbia Post.

Columbia Post, No. 833, will meet at the Thomas Circle Club, 1326 Massachusetts avenue northwest, on Wednesday, March 14, at 8:30 p. m.

The post is cooperating with other veteran and patriotic organizations in preventing the emasculation of the Navy preparedness program, and has registered its opposition to the drastic curtailment proposed by the House of Representatives in the number of cruisers, submarines, destroyer leaders and airplane carriers recommended by the naval strategy board. It is estimated that a minimum of 71 vessels are essential for necessary replacements, and the proper balancing of the fleet. The House of Representatives proposes to authorize only sixteen 10,000-ton cruisers and one airplane carrier.

Maj. Gen. Creed O. Hammond, chief of the Militia Bureau, will be the guest of the post, and will explain the functions of the militia organizations in the scheme for national defense.

Maj. Frank Lockhead, commander of Columbia Post, is desirous of having the post participate in civic affairs of a nonpolitical character, particularly in the matter of school facilities, and the inclusion in the school curricula of American history events of a nature that will give the youths of the city a true picture of the Nation's achievements, objects and aspirations.

Arrangements have been completed for the entertainment and 500 card party to be held by the post St. Patrick's day, March 17, at the Thomas Circle Club. The commander urges all members to attend the March meeting, not alone for the valuable information to be gained regarding national defense and the relation to the organized militia, but also to take part in the selection of post delegates to the department encampment, and to pass on resolutions.

John R. McCabe, a member of the post, who has been a patient of the U. S. Veterans' Hospital, Northampton, Mass., for the past three months, advises the post that his health is much improved and he expects to be dehospitalized during the coming week.

Past Department Commander George L. Tait, who is also a past post commander, has assisted a number of veterans in obtaining needed employment.

The post poppy committee has organized for the 1928 campaign and will submit its plan of operation for approval at the March 14 meeting of the post.

Past Post Commander John Fleming has been reinstated as a cartograph engineer in the coast and geodetic survey.

Capital Post Auxiliary.

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary to National Capital Post, No. 127, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was held Tuesday, after which a colonial party was held.

Little Miss Greenberg entertained with songs and dances, accompanied by Mrs. Nettie Wolf.

Commander Muschlitz brought greetings from the post and outlined his program for the year. Past Commanders Dan Leahy, George Neumer, Comrade Wickstrand and Commander G. V. McAlear, of Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp, gave short, interesting talks, after which fancy cakes and tea were served by ladies in colonial costume.

The auxiliary will give a St. Patrick's dance on March 20, at Oyster's Auditorium, and it is hoped that all members of the post will attend.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS.

Having spent the past week on consideration of suggested amendments to the World War veterans' act, the veterans' committee of the House is hoping to end hearings during the coming week, after which the committee will decide upon what changes to recommend to the lower branch of Congress.

Gen. Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau, was a witness during the greater part of the present week and he gave the viewpoint of the bureau on each of the items brought forward on the legislative programs of the Disabled American Veterans and other former service groups.

In the meantime the subcommittees on hospital construction and insurance have completed hearings, and it is expected there will be an early report on the Luce bill covering authority for building, while the insurance recommendations will be incorporated in the general bill which the committee will report.

V. D. Corbly, national adjutant of the Disabled American Veterans, has returned to national headquarters in Cincinnati, following a series of conferences with the staff of the Washington office on the problems of the organization. Most of the matters under consideration were connected with the eighth national convention at Denver next June.

Officers and members of the District of Columbia department of the D. A. V. were guests last week of the Minnesota State Society at its military ball at the National Press Club Auditorium.

The Tyson-Fitzgerald bill for the retirement of permanently disabled former emergency officers of the Army is now considered to be in a particularly favorable position. There have been favorable reports on the measure to both the Senate and the House, and the D. A. V. is now endeavoring to force an early vote.

The following are among those who have recently joined the Disabled American Veterans in Washington: Adolph M. Wintermeyer, Walter H. Schmidt, Franz Muench, Alfred Simon, Frank De Roose, William Moore, Burton W. Doyle, Franklin N. Blatt, Charles E. Stevenson, Charles L. Reimer, Elmer Holmes, E. E. Hon, Spencer E. Bomar, Frank G. Thomas, John W. Hall, Arthur S. Scharnagle, Robert Fones, Joseph Yurkunski, Charles Koher, Marsh A. Callicott, Theodore L. Oftenstein, Howard M. Brock, Ronald R. Smith, Michael Kostick, William J. Miller, Doyal D. Finney, Thomas R. Jones, Steve Molnar, Roy Coyo, William Kearns, William Bickel, Frank H. Foeckler, Daniel V. O'Sullivan, Walter Williams, H. D. Queen, John Galbraith, Francis Chester, Robert H. Studier, M. E. Ryan, James I. Brown, Edward Mitchell, L. S. Allen, D. A. Hall, O. R. Moore, Q. Governatori, J. J. Ollernshaw, H. S. Rogers, John C. Thielbar, R. W. O'Neill, Roy M. Cole, H. R. Wells, Wesley Simmons, H. H. Johnson, H. J. Stone, J. F. O'Regan, H. P. Ewing, Millard R. Weaver, Samuel M. Billing, T. H. Morris, N. F. Morfese and Ellis G. Dokes.

In addition to the bills for general amendments to the laws governing the Veterans' Bureau, hospital construction and retirement of emergency officers, the Disabled American Veterans is urging action of three other pieces of legislation in particular.

The Reece bill would extend the time for awarding decorations, based upon citations for bravery during hostilities, the Watson-Vestal bill would give veterans further enjoyment of patent rights to make up for time lost from the statutory seventeen years while in the military service and the Fish bill would write into the law the features of the executive order of President Harding, several years ago, giving veterans certain concessions in taking examinations held by the Civil Service Commission.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS.

Department Commander Albert Michaud, of the District Spanish War Veterans, has called a meeting of the council of administration for Tuesday night at department headquarters, 921 Pennsylvania avenue southeast.

Col. Rice W. Means, chairman of the Spanish War Veterans national legislative committee, in a recent report to Commander in Chief Garrity, stated that among the legislation receiving the active support of the organization before the national congress are the following measures:

A bill by Representative Fitzgerald granting the rights and privileges of soldiers' homes to Spanish War nurses. This bill has passed the House of Representatives and is now before the Senate committee. It will be enacted into law in sufficient time to protect the nurses now in those homes.

A subcommittee of the veterans' committee of the House of Representatives recently conducted hearings upon the necessary appropriations for construction of Government hospitals, and the Spanish War Veterans committee presented evidence supporting a request for an appropriation of at least $14,000,000 and for a provision of law extending full rights of hospitalization to all veterans, making it the duty of the director of the Veterans' Bureau to hospitalize the veterans of all wars, campaigns and expeditions when those veterans are in need of the same, and the furnishing of necessary traveling expenses. This bill will include all Spanish War nurses, and it is believed that it will be enacted into law at the present session of Congress.

Chairman Means has been advised that the Navy Department will propose a bill which they can indorse in behalf of the warrant officers of the Navy. If the terms of that proposal are unsatisfactory to the warrant officers an endeavor will be made to amend it.

Gen. Miles Camp.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp at its last meeting increased its membership by mustering into its ranks Nurse M. Agnes Lease, of the Army Nurse Corps; Rees M. Thomas, Company E, Ninth United States Infantry; William A. Hancock, Company K, Twenty-seventh United States Infantry; Oscar W. Hollingsworth, Company A, Third Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and Joseph Weninger, sergeant of Ordnance Corps, retired, who enlisted in Company A, Sixth United States Infantry, October 12, 1881, and the Nineteenth United States Infantry October 16, 1886, was transferred to the Ordnance Corps in 1905 at Manila, P. I., and retired in 1905.

In addition to those mustered in the following have been elected to membership and will be mustered in at a future date: Charles Glass, United States Marine Corps; John M. Gooch, United States Hospital Corps; John T. Little, Company F, Eighteenth United States Infantry; James H. Reed, Company M, Thirtieth United States Infantry; William N. Stowell, United States ship Dixie, United States Navy; Thomas Doland, Company B, Fourth United States Infantry; William T. Knoblock, Troop E, Thirteenth United States Cavalry; Thomas E. Jones, Company G, First Maryland Volunteer Infantry; J. R. Haywood, Company C, Third North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, and George J. McConnell, Company I, Thirteenth United States Infantry.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, an open meeting was held. Which the women of the Gen. Nelson A. Miles Auxiliary attended and the program was opened by singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee," by the assemblage of 200 veterans and their families. Commander George V. McAlear then introduced Department Commander Albert Michaud, who made the address of welcome. Virginia Cook, of Miles Auxiliary, gave a recitation; Representative Clark Burdick, of Rhode Island, gave an interesting address in which he stressed the need of preparedness to maintain the high standard set and reached by this country and told of the activities of all veteran organizations in urging preparedness for the express purpose of keeping out of war; Katherine McCaffrey, of Miles Auxiliary, rendered a piano solo; William E. Andrews, former representative from Nebraska, made the principal address of the evening, in which he discoursed upon the four major wars of the United States, bringing out the deep meaning of Patrick Henry's historical utterance "Give me liberty or give me death," and used for the keynote of his speech the word "Liberty" as the one thing dear to the heart of America, and which was the moving spirit of George Washington and brought to us the services of Lafayette with victory in the Revolutionary War; Col. Winfield Scott, commissioner of pensions, made a brief talk and commended the camp upon its growth in membership; Gretta Ludwig, of Miles Auxiliary, gave a reading; Senior Vice President Mrs. Cleveland Kennicutt, of the auxiliary, made a short talk, and the program was concluded with a brief address by Mrs. Margaret Burns, president of the District department of the ladies auxiliaries.

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NATIONAL U. TESTS BEGIN ON THURSDAY IN ECONOMIC COURSE

Examinations in Law School Start on March 12; Spring Term on March 19.

DR. PERGLER ADDRESSES SIGMA NU PHI SMOKER

David Lynn, of Miller Society, Voted Best Speaker at Alvey Contest.

Examinations for the winter term of the school of economics and government at National University begin Thursday, and examinations in the law school on March 12, according to an announcement by university authorities. Examinations in the school of economics and government will be held during the last regular class period of each course. The schedule for the law school has not been announced.

The spring term at the university will begin March 19 and several new courses have been included in the curriculum. Short story writing will be the subject for one of the spring term courses under the direction of Prof Boyd Craig. This course is given for students especially interested in fiction writing. Especial emphasis will be placed on detailed criticisms of the work of members of the class. Enrollment in this class has been kept small for the last two years by careful selection, and this policy will be followed during the present year, it is announced.

Dr. Charles R. Pergler addressed the Sigma Nu Phi Fraternity at the organization's annual smoker Wednesday night at the chapter house, 1755 Q street northwest. He emphasized the value of student organizations both from the scholastic as well as the social point of view. In addition to the active members of the fraternity, a large number of alumni attended.

Lecture by Register Cogswell.

Theodore Cogswell, register of wills for the District of Columbia, addressed the law practice class Friday evening on probate work and procedure.

Nomination of District Attorney Peyton Gordon to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Justice Adolph Hoehling marks the elevation of the third professor of National University to a judgeship in the District of Columbia during the past ten years. Maj. Gordon is professor of case law of crimes at National University and has been on the faculty for four years.

Both Justice Fredick L. Siddons, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and Justice Charles H. Robb, of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, were elevated to the judicial bench while faculty members of the university.

Dr. W. H. S. Stevens, professor of finance in the school of economics and government of National, left Friday for Cambridge, Mass., where he will deliver two lectures before the class on business policy of the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. Dr. Stevens recently delivered a series of lectures at Dartmouth College on the subject of the Federal Trade Commission.

Voted Best Debater.

David Lynn, a member of the Miller Debating Society, was chosen as the best speaker of the evening at a recent debate between that society and the Alvey Debating Society. The question was: "Resolved, That the intervention of the United States in Nicaragua is justified," and the decision was awarded to the negative side, represented by Lynn, Samuel Lightman and Walter W Bryan.

The Alvey Society was represented by Alyre J. Gallant, Robert B. Barker and John C. Nevitt, first year students Judges of the debate were Robert Hardison, former Police Court judge, Franklin C. Baggarly, assistant chief trial examiner of the Federal Trade Commission, and Fred B. Flynn, of Alexandria, Va.

The two societies hold a series of four debates during the year, at each of which the best debater of the evening is chosen. The four speakers thus selected compete during the spring term, at which time the best debater of the school is chosen. He is awarded a faculty prize consisting of a set of law books.

Negative Wins Debate.

The debate on the question, "Resolved, That the supervision of elementary education is properly a function of the Federal Government," which was held Monday, was decided in favor of the negative, represented by Nathan Friedenberg, C. C. Bickford and J. S Whitt. The affirmative was taken by E. A. McMahon, Bingham Smith and E C Partlow.

Announcement has been made by the John Marshall Law Club that the debate originally scheduled for March 3 between that organization and the Miller Society, has been postponed until March 10. The Baumes law of New York will be the subject, the resolution being, "Resolved, That the penalty for the fourth conviction of a felony in the District of Columbia shall be life imprisonment."

The monthly luncheon of the Cy Pres Club, organization of women law students at National University, was held Thursday at the University Women's Club, 1634 I street northwest.

Ambassador's Wife Is Qualified Physician

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—Vera Krestinski, wife of the Russian Ambassador to Germany, Nikolai Krestinski, is the only woman on the German diplomatic list with the title of "Dr. med." Nearly every morning she is to be seen at Berlin's oldest hospital, the Charite, examining sick children.

"In the medical science, more almost than in any other, it is essential that one keep up with the progress of the times," she told the Associated Press correspondent. "My husband, like all diplomats, may be recalled to Russia any time, and I should in that event want to resume my work in the Russian hospitals. I should never forgive myself if I did not keep fit by assisting in a leading Berlin clinic."

Diplomas Awarded for Reading.

Diplomas, certificates, and seals for reading done under the direction of the Wisconsin Reading Circle were awarded 180,323 young people of school age during the school year 1926-27 This is exclusive of a large amount of reading which was not officially recognized.

May Borrow for Education.

Any high school graduate in South Dakota who desires to attend an institution of higher education in the State and can obtain the indorsement of three responsible persons, may borrow money from a studen loan fund sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association of the State.

Business High Begins Rehearsals of Plays

Rehearsals are in progress of Business High School's spring play, "The Seven Keys to Baldpate," which is to be presented March 29 and 31 under the direction of Miss Esther E. Galbraith. The cast includes Lois Horsnell, Margaret Weber, Alberta Cissel, Frances Levin, Gilbert Potts, Ilton Hower, Nathan Cohan, William Barker, Joe Ginberg, Harold Farrington, Hymen Gordon, Louis Eberly, Jack Slan and Joe Tarshes.

The students of the upper semesters were participants Tuesday last in a music assembly under the direction of E N. C. Barnes, head of the department of music in the District.

Oregonian Talks On Catholic Church

The Catholic Church, as the one voluntary universal spiritual organization in history, has been the chief contributor to human progress, the Rev. Edwin V. O'Hara, of Eugene, Oreg., declared in an address Thursday night before the Medieval Academy of the Knights of Columbus Evening School.

M. Marcel Colin will 'ecture Thursday night. Preliminaries to the Noonan public speaking contest will be held Friday night. A new class in "speedwriting" has been organized at the school.

World Languages Total Nearly 3,000

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—A total of 2,976 languages spoken throughout the world is given by the Der Deutsche as the result of carefully compiled statistics from the various countries.

This number includes the many barbaric means of expression used in various obscure corners of the earth. Of the 860 distinctive languages existing today, 48 are current in Europe, 153 in Asia, 424 in North and South America and 117 in Oceanica.

Y.M.C.A. SECOND SERIES OF FREE TALKS IS BEGUN

A. L. Geiger Will Lecture on Public Utilities Accounting on Tuesday.

PHYSICIANS WILL SPEAK

In accordance with its general policy for promoting education in Washington, the District of Columbia College of the Young Men's Christian Association this year has launched a broad program of free public lectures—open not only to students of the college and its affiliated schools, but to outsiders desirous of bettering themselves.

The first series of lectures began last month under auspices of the School of Accountancy, a component part of the college, and another series of educational talks was begun Thursday in the Woodward School for Boys, which is affiliated with the college. In the first instance the lectures are open to the general public, but the second series, on "Vocational Guidance," is limited to students of the Woodward School and their parents and friends.

The fifth lecture in the accountancy series will be given Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the assembly hall of the Central Y. M. C. A., 1736 G street. Alfred L. Geiger will speak on "Public Utilities Accounting." Other accountancy lectures on special phases of industry will be given each Tuesday evening for the remainder of the college term.

The lectures in this series have been largely attended, according to Dr James A. Bell, director of education of the college. Arrangements are in charge of Wayne B. Kendrick, of the accountancy school faculty, and the lectures are given under the supervision of Dean Joseph K. Moyer.

Announcement of the Woodward School lectures was made the past week by Gerald L. Parker, headmaster and the first lecture was given by Dr W. C. John, of the United States Bureau of Education, Thursday morning His subject was "Teaching as a Profession."

Parker announced that the lecture Thursday at 9:40 o'clock in the morning at the school headquarters, 1736 G street, will be by Dr. E. M. Ellison local physician and a member of the board of trustees of the District of Columbia College. He will discuss "The Profession of Medicine."

Succeeding lectures have been arranged on other professions, from law to farming. The talks will be made by outstanding representatives of the professions discussed.

FOREIGN EDUCATORS GUESTS AT HOWARD U.

Reception Given for Burnses, of London, and Heberle, of Berlin.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Burns, of London, and Dr. Rudolph Heberle, of Berlin, were guests at Howard University during the past week, where they were tendered an informal reception and greeted by President M. W Johnson, deans of the faculty, heads of departments and instructors of the social sciences. Current economic and political conditions of England and continental Europe were discussed by the visitors.

Dr and Mrs. Burns are professors of economics in the University of London, and are traveling under a grant from the Laura-Spellman-Rockefeiler Memorial, surveying American economic and industrial conditions. Dr. Heberle is making a special study of the influences of industrial changes on population movements.

Mary White Ovington, chairman of the board of directors of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People, addressed the student body last week in Rankin Chapel, giving an account of the work accomplished by her association. Harry Gill Smith, Howard, 1927, a graduate in music, following an opportunity to play before Austin Conradi, pianist of the Peabody Conservatory, was given a scholarship to pursue his musical studies there under Mr. Conradi's personal direction.

Student Teachers Read Beauty Books

Boston, March 3 (A.P.).—Weighty tomes about history and philosophy give way to books on beauty culture and etiquette when women students in the teacher training institutions of 38 States read in their leisure hours.

Miss Amanda Lee Beaumont, dean of women at Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va., told the National Association of Deans of Women here that this was disclosed in a study of the leisure reading of these students.

In an experiment at Marshall College, she said, a popular book of etiquette was placed without comment in the reading room. Later questioning revealed that 70 out of a possible 110 readers had read the book and were interested in its contents.

G. W. U. PLANS NINE WEEKS' COURSE FOR SUMMER SESSION

Registration to Start June 15 for Studies Beginning June 29.

60 INSTRUCTORS ENGAGED TO CONDUCT CLASSES

Representative Britten to Address Columbia Women at March Meeting.

Summer sessions, a separate department of George Washington University for the first time in the history of the institution, will begin activities on June 18, according to Prof. Elmer Louis Kayser director. All departments of the university, with the exception of the medical school, will be represented.

Summer sessions registrations for the nine weeks' course will start on June 15 and for the six-weeks' course on Friday, June 29. Work in the second section will be started on July 2.

According to present information there will be 60 professors and instructors for the work offered in graduate studies, the law school, Columbian College, the school of education, the school of engineering and in the division of library science.

Visiting Educators' Courses.

Among the visiting professors are M. L. Combs, of the State board of education, of Richmond, Va., visiting professor in education, who will offer work in high schools and educational administration; Rolvix Harlan, professor of sociology of the University of Richmond who will offer work in the principles of sociology, social adjustment and social ethics; Arthur D. Wright, professor of education at Dartmouth, who will offer work on the principles of education, the history of American education and research problems; William A. Hunter, assistant professor of law at the University of Florida, and H. J. Steele, director of training, Teachers College, Buffalo, N. Y., who will offer work in junior high schools, the elements of high school curriculums and educational tests and measurements.

Special emphasis will be laid on the courses given in the division of library science, under the direction of Dr A. F. W Schmidt. Within three weeks the summer sessions catalogues will be ready for distribution, according to Prof. Kayser.

Women to Hear Britten.

Representative Fred A. Britten, of Chicago, Ill., ranking member of the naval affairs committee of the House, will be the speaker at the March meeting of the Columbian Women, according to the announcement made by Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley. His subject will be "The American Navy and Its Relation to World Peace." Announcement is made that the annual banquet of the organization has been set for April 12, at the Chevy Chase Club.

On Tuesday, Prof. Robert F. Griggs will give an illustrated lecture on "The Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes," before the Tau Chapter of Sigma Gamma Epsilon at the university. Dr. Griggs is the discoverer of the Alaskan Valley and has written a book on the subject.

The University Glee Club, under the direction of Robert F. Harmon, will appear in concerts at St. Elizabeths, Walter Reed, the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, and before the National Federation of Federal Employes during the next two months. James Fleck is president of the organization.

Delegates to Conference.

George Washington was well represented at the recent conference of professional fraternities, held at the Hotel Hamilton Friday and Saturday. The university delegates and their affiliations follow: Jarvis Butler, Sigma Nu Phi; Helen Newman, Kappa Beta Pi; Jonas M. Smith, Gamma Eta Gamma; S C. Schell, Delta Theta Pi; Clyde Alcheson, Phi Alpha Delta, and Hugh Bickford, Phi Beta Gamma, all officers of the local executive committee of fraternities. The conference sought to form a national organization of professional fraternities.

Dean Henry Gratten Doyle and Mrs. Doyle were hosts at their home recently to the members of the publications board. The Hatchet, Cherry Tree, Ghost and Colonial Wig publications were generally represented.

The date of March 30 has been selected for the annual interfraternity promenade. The social committee of the interfraternity council announces the selection of the Willard Hotel for the affair.

School Routine Held To Rob Pupil's Mind

Boston, March 3 (A.P.). — School masks, examinations and other mechanics of schools must be abandoned, if there is to be any real freedom in learning, thinks W. Carson Ryan, professor of education at Swarthmore College.

It is not that these things are necessarily bad in themselves, he told the National Education Association here, but that they are symptoms of the excessive emphasis being placed upon school routine rather than upon the real task of educating human beings.

Allot College Boys 3 Sweethearts Each

Cambridge, Mass., March 3 (A.P.).—The question, "How many sweethearts should a college boy have?" cropped up here on St. Valentine's day.

An enterprising telegraph company rushed sample telegram blanks to the Harvard student body appropriate for use on the well-known day of hearts and remembrances.

What interested the students particularly was the fact that each man was allotted three such blanks.

LANGLEY STUDENTS CHOOSE NOMINEES

Campaigns Are in Progress for Election to Be Held at School Tomorrow.

Nominations for the presidency of the student body of Langley Junior High School were made at an assembly of the students Wednesday. Mrs. Agnes I. Kinnear presided in the absence of G. Derwood Baker, principal. Campaigns for the nominees are now in progress, and the election will be held tomorrow.

Those who appeared on the entertainment program of the assembly included Margaret Holohan, Henry Rubin, Ralph Lanning, Henry Harns, Frances Dowden, Charles Weber, Carlton Campbell, Hilda Drach, Gordon Horsnell and William Wyckoff.

Dr. Joseph A. Murphy, health officer of the schools, addressed the seventh grades Monday on the health program in the schools. Dr. E. P. Schwartz will speak on the city's health, March 5.

GEORGETOWN U. MEN TO MEET NEW YORK DEBATERS TONIGHT

Will Be First Intercollegiate Contest Held at Hilltop This Season.

14 AT SERVICE SCHOOL ARE AWARDED DEGREES

Colonel From Japanese War Department Reviews R. O. T. C. of University.

Debating teams representing Georgetown and New York Universities will engage tonight in the first intercollegiate contest held this season at the Hilltop.

Gaston Hall is expected to be well filled with students and alumni, for the visitors have many friends in Washington, having debated American University here about two weeks ago. Tonight's event is scheduled to begin at 8:15 o'clock.

Another debating contest this week is the third prize debate at the law school Friday afternoon at 5:55 o'clock, between representatives of the morning and afternoon class. The winner of this contest will participate in the final debate which will decide the championship of the law scheel.

The question for debate this evening is "Resolved, That the United States should not protest American interests in foreign countries by military force," directed at the present Nicaraguan situation.. Georgetown's team, composed of Leo McGuire, Joseph E. Green, winner of the Merrick debating medal, and James Quinn was chosen from the Philodemic Society. Two defeats in sixteen years is the enviable record of this society, whose debaters are coached by the Rev. John J. Toohey, S. J.

At the law school debate, the subject is, Resolved, That a Federal compulsory automobile insurance act is desirable legislation."

Walsh to Preside.

J. Herbert Walsh will preside and the teams are announced as follows: Affirmative, Louis Leo Whitestone, of Alexandria, Va., senior afternoon class; Albert Donald Holloran, of San Francisco, senior morning class, and Parnell Thomas Quinn, of North Platte, Nebr., senior morning class. Negative, William Vallie Whittington, of Benton, Ill., senior afternoon class; Robert E. Coyle, of Carthage, N. Y., senior morning class, and John Joseph O'Connor, of the District of Columbia, freshman afternoon class.

Fourteen students of the Georgetown School of Foreign Service were awarded their degrees at the mid-winter convocation held last Sunday in Gaston Hall.

Degree of master of foreign service were awarded to Abdon N. Attay and Frank P. Morgan, both of Massachusetts. The others received bachelor degrees as follows: Richard F. Carroll Connecticut; Salvatore A. Falotico, of New York; Harvey Reed Campbell, of Nebraska; Adolph P. Haczela, of Connecticut; Francis J. Kelly, of the District of Columbia; William J. King, of Massachusetts; George A. Lawrence, of Maryland; Albert L. Maserick, of the District of Columbia; Charles H. O'Brien, of Maine; George A. Schreiner, of the District of Columbia; Arturo A. Touceda, of New York, and George J. Vukmanic, of Pennsylvania.

Japanese Visit School.

Lieut. Col. Kawamura, of the Japanese War Department, visited Georgetown Thursday to review the R. O. T. C. unit and observe the military training that is being given students in typical American universities. He was accompanied by Capt. Nobuichi Kusunoki, Assistant Military Attache at the Japanese Embassy.

They appeared favorably impressed with the facilities at the Hilltop, the discipline and soldierly bearing of the cadet corps. Lieut. Col. Augustus F Dannemiller, U. S. A., commandant at Georgetown, showed the visitors about and explained the method of training employed at Georgetown.

Another visitor last week was Maj. Joseph A. McDonough, of the New York National Guard, a former cadet commander of the Georgetown unit Maj. McDonough renewed many friendships among members of the faculty who were teaching in his cadet days and congratulated the unit for the showing it made in the review. Each year Maj. McDonough shows his interest in the battalion by offering a gold wrist watch for the outstanding cadet during the year.

Deems to Make Inspection.

Notice was received last week by the military department that Col. Clarence Deems, Field Artillery officer in charge of R. O. T. C. affairs, will inspect the Georgetown battalion again on March 22. In his inspection two weeks ago, Col. Deems was primarily interested in class work, the general appearance of the cadets and the facilities afforded at the school for military training. In the coming inspection he will judge the ability of the battalion on the drill ground.

In his first report, Col. Deems spoke highly of conditions in the military department. He referred particularly to the appearance of the cadets and the "excellent support that is given the R. O. T. C. by the university authorities," which he declared "accounts very largely for the high standards and excellent morale which exists."

"In my opinion," Col. Deems reported, "Georgetown University fully merits the high standing in military instruction which it now enjoys—that of being merited as a distnguished college by the War Department board."

Many Listed n Book.

Many Georgetown faculty members and graudates are listed in a recent book, "American Men of Science," compiled by J. McKeen Cattell and Jacques Cattell which is a criss-cross history of the advancement of science in this country.

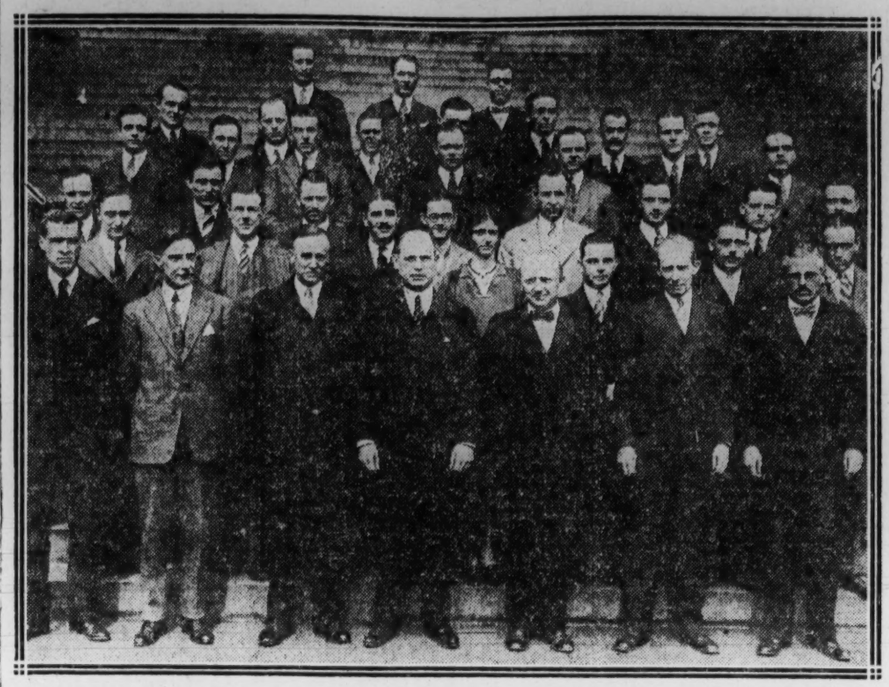
The Georgetown representatives are Rev. George L. Coyle, S. J., '08; the Rev Francis A. Tondorf, S. J.; the Rev. Edward C. Phillips, S. J.; Dr. George M Kober, '73; the Rev. John G. Hagen, S. J., director of the observatory, '88-'06; the late Dr. Samuel S. Adams, Dr. Wilfred M. Barton, Dr. Harry S. Benlton, Dr. John A. Foote, Dr. Walter Freeman, Dr. William J. Hembar, Dr Lyman J. Kebler, Dr. William A. White Dr. Eugene R. Whitmore and Dr. William C. Woodward.

A new assistant corporation counsel for the District, Stanley De Neale, a graduate of the 1923 law class, took his oath of office Wednesday. De Neale is a member of Delta Chi Fraternity and has been practicing law here since his graduation. He is a native of this city, 30 years old, and went to Georgetown from Central High School.

Noted Educator Retiring.

Chicago, March 3 (A.P.).—J. Paul Goode, head of the department of geology of the University of Chicago, will become professor emeritus at the end of the present school year. He is considered one of the world's foremost mapmakers.

GRADUATING CLASS OF FOREIGN SERVICE SCHOOL



Underwood & Underwood.

Newly commissioned graduates of the Foreign Service School of the Department of State photographed with the Personnel Board of the department. Left to right, front row, center—Assistant Secretary of State William R. Castle, jr.; W. J. Carr, chief of the Personnel Board, and Assistant Secretary of State Nelson Johnson.

CATHOLIC U. COMMITTEE OF SPRING DANCE NAMED

Work on Senior Year Book Reported as Nearly Completed.

CLAUDEL TO GIVE TALK

President Anthony A. Gadok, of the Catholic University Glee Club, has appointed the following committee for the annual spring concert and dance of the organization: Vincent Walters, of Akron, Ohio, chairman; James J. Blaney, of Coaldale, Pa.; Carl Straub, of St. Mary's Pa.; James Eastham, of Providence, R. I.; William D. Connor, of New London, Conn.; Francis Gregory, of Chicopee, Mass., and Clarence Martin, of Martinsburg, W. Va. A meeting of the committee has already been held and Walters has outlined plans for the affair. The club is working on a special program for the occasion, while the committee is conducting an intensive publicity campaign.

The staff of The Cardinal, senior year book, has announced that work on the current issue is nearly completed, and that the publication will be issued on schedule.

Plans have already been made for the sixth annual senior night, to be held Monday, March 18, at 8:15 o'clock in McMahon Hall at the university. Robert J. Linehan, chairman of the committee in charge, reports that an excellent program has been arranged. Paul Claudel, French Ambassador to the United States, will deliver the principal address. A one-act play will be presented by members of the Dod Noon Club under the direction of Joseph English.

Eight new members were voted in at the last meeting of the C. U. Dramatic Association, held Thursday evening.

The Irish history section of the university library has recently been enriched by twenty rare volumes, the gift of the Right Rev. Arthur T. Connolly, of Roxbury, Mass. Mgr. Connolly has already given some 20,000 volumes to the library, nearly 4,000 of these dealing with Irish history.

The "Cardinal Gibbons Unit," of the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade, held a special meeting in the basement of Albert Hall, on the afternoon of Thursday, February 23 It was announced that John J. Meng had resigned as president of the society. Stephen A. Towell, vice president, assumed the office left vacant by Meng's resignation Armand De Cesare, of the junior class, was elected treasurer. Freshmen "corridor representatives," recently appointed, were also present at the meeting. Funds for the missions are to be collected by the corridor representatives during the Lenten season.

41 GIRLS TAKE PART IN BASKETBALL SHOTS

Three Make High Scores in Contest Sponsored by Washington Post.

Forty-one girls from McKinley Manual Training School tried out in the Basketball Free-Throw Tournament, sponsored by The Washington Post, for schools all over the world, in the finals on Friday. The three highest scores were made by Lucinda Toffoli, with 31 successful shots out of 50; Kathryn Higdon, 25 out of 50, and Eva Haines, 23 out of 45.

Tech's Opera Club will stage "Dolly Varden," the gay operetta of the time of Louis XV, at Central High School March 30 and 31. The principal parts will be taken by Elizabeth Chick, Marie Trede, Helene Swarthout, Leah Bretler, Harry Schonrack, Clifford Adams, Basil Postelthwaite, DeWitt Feeser, Louis Buckingham and Aldrich Medbery.

Edna Adams, a last June graduate, as a result of her exceptionally high record in the fall semester at the University of Illinois, was elected to the Freshman Honor Society, the membership of which consists of less than 3 per cent of the women on the campus, according to word received here.

Home Study Course Announced.

A home-study course on "the family and marriage" is announced by the University of North Carolina extension division as part of its program in parental education. Membership in a class conducted this winter in New Bern is composed of business and professional men and women.

Coeducational Schools Prohibited.

Because of lack of success of coeducational schools in Peru a law nas been passed prohibiting this type of education. Secondary schools for girls only have recently been established in Lima, Cajamarca, Huaras, Trujillo and Puno.

Donate $4,500 for Books.

For book service in isolated sections of Arkansas, a donation of $4,500 has been made by a national sorority to the Arkansas Free Library Service Bureau.

Student, 70 Years Old, Gets Doctor's Degree

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—Seventy years was not considered too old by Paul Kueppers, former editor in chief of the Bochumer Anzeiger, to go to college and pass a doctor's examination.

Daily he traveled from Bochum to the nearby university town of Muenster, where he attended graduate courses in political science. Like any other graduate student the old editor wrote a thesis entitled, "Bochum's Work in the War, 1914-1918," then took and passed the regular examination. He was awarded the degree of "doctor der Staatswissenschaften." The new doctor is a member of the city council of Bochum and a leader in the German People's party.

SOUTHERN FRESHMEN ELECT MISS YOWELL

Eastern Gold Medal Holder Made President of Class. Sororities Entertain.

Miss Hester Yowell, gold medal honor student at Eastern High School, last week was elected honorary president of the freshman class of the Southern Brothers Business University, where she has enrolled for a secretarial course. In addition to this honor she also was elected to membership in the District of Columbia Cypres Club, having enrolled in the commercial law class of the school.

The sororities of the school entertained Wednesday evening the "frat" members of the school, at a leap year dance at the Hamilton Hotel. Mr. and Mrs Lee P. Southern, president of the school, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Steward, vice president, were honored guests.

The second semester of the winter term opened Thursday with a total enrollment of more than 300 in the day classes, and approximately 140 in the night classes. A survey made shows that the average age of night students is 22, while the average in the day class is 18. The survey, which also covered placements made by the school's vocational bureau, shows that the average age of the students placed in positions is slightly under 20.

SHAW SCHOOL SPRING PLAY TO BE 'IOLANTHE'

Jessie Holloman Is Elected President of the Senior Students.

Pupils and faculty of Shaw Junior High School have decided to present as their spring play the opera, "Iolanthe," in two acts, by Gilbert and Sullivan.

At the last meeting of the faculty two new members, Mrs. G. W. Fairley and Miss Isadore Williams were received. Mrs. Fairley was formerly a teacher at Dunbar High School, and succeeded Miss M. L. Courtney. Miss Williams succeeded Miss M. E. West, who has been transferred to Armstrong Technical High School.

Members of the senior class have elected as officers Jessie Holloman, president; Howard Johnson, vice president; Lanita Galo, secretary; John Byrd, treasurer. Members of the Review staff who have been newly elected include Virginia Mason, editor-in-chief; John Byrd, business manager; Erma Adams, Rosa Massey, Regina Brown, editors.

Intiations into the Honor Society Wednesday included Lucinda Boston, Bernice Stokes, Erma Adams, Thelma Folwell, Beulah Gambell and Josephine Farrar.

DIPLOMATIC CAREERS COME AFTER STUDY

Riding and Auto Driving Lessons Necessary Under German Regime.

Berlin, March 3 (A.P.).—To embark upon a diplomatic career in post-war Germany means to become versatile along a number of lines not commonly associated with the profession.

This was humorously brought out by Baron von Rheinbaben, member of the Reichstag, during the recent discussions of the foreign office budget. Not only does the young attache have to spend three years on theoretical studies under the eyes of his elders in the foreign office, but, he added, "he is supposed even to take lessons in horseback riding and to learn how to drive a motor car."

The attache must further master at least three languages—German, French and English.

As for acquiring the social graces, Frau Stresemann, wife of the foreign minister, has won the hearts of the younger men in her husband's department by liberally inviting them to her "jours," where they have an opportunity to observe ambassadors, ministers and charges from many countries in social action.

CAST FOR "THE DRAGON," CENTRAL PLAY, CHOSEN

William B. Hanback Elected Valedictorian of the June Graduating Class.

COMPANY D WINS HONOR

Members of the cast of "The Dragon," Central High School's spring play, have been selected by the faculty committee, consisting of Miss Anne McColm, Miss Bessie Whitford and Mrs. Julie Gill.

Two students have been selected for each part. They include Sol. Orleans, Harold Vatter, Ruth Shaughnessy, Helena Cooke, Catherine Prichard, Eugenia Tucker, Robert Coltman, Marlow Perry, Gordon Zimmerman, Curtis Woodsome, Stephen Trodden, Ralph Williams, Benjamin Hinden, George Price, Morris Arkin, Johanna Schmutzer, Jane Kline and Marjorie Miller.

William B. Hanback was elected valedictorian of the June class Friday Others elected are Minor Hudson, historian; Katherine Scott, poetess; John McDonnell, prophet, and Isobel Alexander, prophetess. H. H. Burroughs, of the faculty, presided.

Members of the Biology Club hiked to Prof. Rene Samon's shack at Stubblefield Falls last week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Edith Paul and Miss Lurana Van Doren, faculty advisers.

Company D, captained by Don Warnick, has won the honor guard inspection for the First Regiment, with a percentage of 83.49. This was the second inspection for Companies D, B and C, as these companies had previously tied for first place. The other companies were rated in the following order: B, 83.25; C, 81.99; F, 78.87; E, 78.80; A, 75.86; G, 72.50; K, 67.50, and H, 67.10. Maj. John G. Donovan, military instructor, conducted the inspection with the assistance of Lieut. Col William B. Hanback and his staff.

Room Where Mercier Died Becomes Shrine

Brussels, Belgium, March 3 (A.P.).—Cardinal Mercier's death chamber at the Brussels clinic has become a place of pilgrimage and devotion.

Everything in the room is exactly as it was at his death two years ago and souvenirs, especially bits of the linen that covered the cardinal's bed, are sought by visitors. Cardinal Van Roey, who succeeded Belgium's noted prelate of war days, frequently comes to the little chamber for prayer and to open correspondence from admires of his predecessor in various parts of the world.

Cardinal Mercier's apartment at the archiepiscopal palace, which have been transformed into a museum containing his belongings, also are visited by his admires.

Friends Pay His Tax And Liberate Vicar

London, March 3 (A.P.).—The Rev. Gilbert Watling, vicar of St. John's Church, Edmonton, who declares that he is too poor to pay municipal taxes, again has been saved from prison by "an anonymous friend."

Twice yearly the vicar is brought before a magistrate, charged with nonpayment of local taxes and sentenced to jail. After the minister has spent one or two, not often more, days in prison, money comes through the mail from "friends." He pays and gains release.

Buildings of Harvard Grace Dinner Plates

Wedgwood, England, March 3 (A.P.).—The Wedgewood pottery, of Staffordshire, is manufacturing for Harvard University 3,500 sets of dinner plates, each set comprising a dozen pieces.

Harvard graduates and Harvard clubs in many American cities have combined with the university in placing the order

Each plate of the set depicts a view of Harvard halls drawn by Prof. Kenneth Conant, of the faculty of architecture. The project was originated by Prof. A. Lawrence Lowell, of Harvard.

The plate will be examples of the old transfer printed blue and white Staffordshire pottery.

Law Directs Buying for Schools.

Purchase of standard school supplies through a central county agency is directed by law recently enacted in California. The law makes centralized purchasing through the county superintendent obligatory for all elementary-school districts not within incorporated cities, and permissive for other elementary and high-school districts.

Teachers Given 20 Days' Sick Leave.

Twenty days of sick leave each year are allowed teachers in Saskatoon, a city of Saskatchewan Province, Canada. The sick leave amounts to ten years to a school year; and if unused for that purpose, the teacher may take a year's leave of absence and receive 60 per cent of the salary, provided at least half the year is spent in study and self-improvement.

DEAN OF AMERICAN U. WILL BE SPEAKER AT MEETING IN PARIS

Dr. Edward T. Devine Accepts Post as U. S. Delegate to Social Work Session.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT PASSES 500 MARK

Young Women Students to Pose in Spanish Garb at Lecture Thursday.

Dr. Edward T. Devine, dean of the graduate school of American University, has accepted an invitation to speak for the United States at the International Conference on Social Work to be held in Paris, beginning July 8.

Following the three debates in which American University teams participated Friday and Saturday, the next forensic battle of the season will be with Carleton College, Minnesota, here March 14. The women's debating team will meet a women's team from New York University March 16.

Dr. Lucius C. Clark, chancellor of the university, has returned from a trip to Boston, where he attended the sessions of the National Educational Association.

Enrollment in the university's three schools, the college, the school of political sciences and the graduate school, has passed the 535 mark, according to latest figures from second semester registrations.

Coeds to Be Senoritas.

An unusual entertainment and lecture will be presented Thursday night at Hurst Hall, on the campus, when Senora Isabel de Palencia, author and lecturer of Spain, will deliver a lecture on "Spanish Regional Costumes," accompanied by demonstration of the costumes worn by coeds of the college.

The occasion is one of a series of affairs being presented without charge to friends of the university and to the public up to the capacity of the hall, and will open at 8 o'clock. Senora de Palencia will show to the audience on the college girls as models many beautiful costumes from different sections of Spain.

The Faculty Women's Club will be entertained Friday night at the women's residence hall by Miss Mary Louise Brown, dean of women; Miss Dorothy Wulf, Miss Berenice Field, Miss Pearl Cline, Miss Sara H. Dow, Miss Phyllis M. Lamar and Miss Maenette Oelsen.

Basketball Arouses Interest.

Much interest has been aroused on the campus in the coming basketball contest between the varsity and the faculty, which is to be fought Tuesday night at the gymnasium. Odds appear to favor the varsity, but the faculty has been putting in stiff training, and is out to beat the quintet.

Plans are being made for a minstrel show to be held at the campus March 24, for the benefit of the college year book, "Aucola." Donald Olmstead is chairman of the committee in charge. The Glee Club will sing.

Dr. Arthur J. Jackson, instructor in religion, and five students have returned from attending a conference of student volunteers at Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pa. The students are Randall Penhale, Edna Hawkins, Nola Livingstone, Dexter Beasley and Charlotte Magee.

Farms for Women Aim of Jewish Body

New York, March 3 (A.P.).—Return of Jewish women to the soil is fostered by the vocational department of the National Council of Jewish Women.

"The Jews are essentialy a people of the land," says Mrs. Estelle M. Sternberger, "and that is the medium in which they are most interested and most talented. In this day of woman's freedom and economic independence and her assumption of all the rights and privileges of man, why should not she be trained in the cultivation of the soil?"

The purpose of the national council's farm school is to educate young women as farmers.

9,000,000 Women In U. S. Industries

Boston, March 3 (A.P.).—Although 50 years ago there was only one woman secretary south of Rector street in New York, there are now about 9,000,000 women and girls in industrial, commercial, mechanical and professional positions in the United States.

Mrs. Mary Schenck Woolman, textile specialist for the General Federation of Women's Clubs, made this report before the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association here

After first crowding the unskilled occupations, she added, women are now receiving vocational training authorized for the States by the Smith-Hughes bill of 1917 and are proving their ability in the most varied trades and professions.

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COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Center Department, Franklin Administration Building, Main 6036.

"Windmills and Wooden Shoes," the first of the four travel talks for adults by Mrs. Frank H. Ruscoe, will be given on Wednesday at 8:15 p. m. in the Southeast Community Center, Hine Junior High School. Through repeated travels, close observation and extensive study Mrs. Ruscoe is well equipped to conduct these journeys to European countries by means of descriptions and slide pictures. On March 14 the journey will be to "Scenic and Historic Scotland;" on March 21, "Paris, Past and Present," will be described, and the subject for March 28 is "Roaming 'Round Rome." There will be no admission charge.

A series of ten Monday night illustrated lectures by Dr. L. F. Kebler on the prevention and reduction of overweight will be given at the Columbia Heights Community Center during the months of March, April and May. The first talk will be tomorrow, with the subjects, "Obesity, a Hard Nut to Crack," and "Causes of Fatness." A period of training and physical exercises, under the direction of Vera Chambers, will follow and supplement the lectures.

Mrs. Julia West Hamilton, president of the Washington and Vicinity Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, will talk at the Garfield Center Wednesday at 8 o'clock on women's club work. Mrs. Hamilton will be pleased to meet leaders of clubs who are organizing their meetings for the session of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs in Washington this summer.

The elimination contest of a series of "spelling bees" will be given on Thursday at 9 p. m. for young adults of the Lovejoy Center.

CENTRAL.

Thirteenth and Clifton streets, Mrs. Edith H. Hunter, community secretary.

Tomorrow—7 p. m., Security Club, men's B. B. team and Crescent A. C.; 7:30 p. m., De Molay rehearsal; 8 p. m., Knights Templar drill team; 8:30 p. m., Woodlothian men's B. B. team and Commercial National Bank B. B. team.

Tuesday—7 p. m., Strayer's girls' B. B. team and District National Bank B. B. team; 8:30 p. m., Woodlothian girls' B. B. team; F. H. Smith Co.

Wednesday—7 p. m., Security girls' B. B. team and Montrose A. C.; 7:30 p. m., automotive class, De Molay rehearsal, National Capital rifle team and Southern R. R. rifle team; 7:45 p. m., dramatic class; 8 p. m., Grotto drill team; 8:30 p. m., Drake Class B. B. team and Crescent A. C.

Thursday—7 p. m., Potomac Boat Club B. B. team; 8 p. m., Almas Temple drill team; 8:30 p. m., Universal Motor Co. B. B. team.

Saturday—4 p. m., Red Cross rehearsal.

COLUMBIA HEIGHTS.

Wilson Normal School, Eleventh and Harvard streets, Mrs. I. E. Kebler, community secretary.

Tomorrow—7 p. m., Watch Your Weight Club, measuring, weighing and physical examination; Fifth Baptist Y. P. U.; 8 p. m., lecture by Dr. L. F. Kebler, "Obesity a Hard Nut to Crack" and "Causes of Fatness;" Snyder's Orchestra, First Baptist Y. P. U., Wilson Players, advanced instruction bridge class; 9 p. m., Watch Your Weight Club, gymnasium class, prevention and reduction of overweight.

Tuesday—7 p. m., Capital A. C.; 8 p. m., gymnasium class for women, Columbia Heights Citizens Association meeting, Woodridge A. C., Welch Society and Choral Club.

Wednesday—6:45 p. m., Boys' Baptist League games.

Thursday—3:30 p. m., rhythmic dancing for beginners; 7 p. m., Northern A. C.; 8 p. m., beginners' instruction bridge class, Ye Olde Tyme Dancing Club, Wilson Players, Tremont A. C., Community Orchestra, business and professional women's dramatic group; 9 p. m., Columbia A. C.

Friday—3:30 p. m., children's rhythmic dancing group; 3:15 p. m., music center, violin instruction; 7 p. m., Monroe A. C., Boy Scout Troops 40 and 41; 8 p. m., Mount Vernon A. C. and Snyder's Orchestra; 9 p. m., Woltz Photographers.

Saturday—9 a. m. to 12, music center, piano instruction.

EAST WASHINGTON.

Eastern High School, Seventeenth and East Capitol streets, Mrs. E. Scott, executive in charge.

Tuesday—7 p. m., Boy Scout Troop 93, B. B. girls, Clover A. C.; 8 p. m., Boys' Independent Band, Washington A. C., Live Wire A. C.; 8:30 p. m., community dance; 9 p. m., basketball; Eastern Preps B. B. team.

Thursday—7 p. m., Woodmen of the World, Uniform Rank, Drill Team; Gypsies A. C.; Trinity A. C. 7:30 p. m., dressmaking, millinery, basketry; National Capitol Players. 8 p. m., Drill Corps of Bethlehem Chapter, No. 7, Order of the Eastern Star; gym class for women; gym classes for nurses of Gallinger Hospital; Pontiac A. C. 9 p. m., Why Club; Robert Le Bruce Chapter, Order of De Molay.

Saturday—7 p. m., game group; rhythm class for beginners; rhythm class for advanced pupils; Apache A. C. 8 p. m., community program, moving pictures; East Washington Community Players; Nativity A. C. 8:30 p. m., community dance; girls' gym class. 9 p. m., Paramount A. C.; Metropolitan A. C.

SOUTHEAST.

Hine Junior High School, Seventh and C streets southeast; Mrs. M. W. Davis, community secretary.

Tomorrow—6:30 p. m., Orioles A. C.; open gym period. 7:30 p. m., Zig-Zag entertainers. 7:45 p. m., True Blue A. C.; Golden Rule Drill Team, Daughters of America. 9 p. m., East Washington Heights B. Y. P. U. A. C.

Wednesday—6:30 p. m., Carolinas A. C.; Yosemite A. C. 7:45 p. m., Naval Reserve A. C.; Welcome Club Drill Team; 8:15 p. m., travel talk by Mrs. Frank H. Ruscoe, "Windmills and Wooden Shoes." 9 p. m., Sioux A. C.; Martha Dandridge Drill Team, Daughters of America.

Friday—7 p. m., Southeast Community Players; children's dancing instruction, group 1; Boy Scouts, Troop No. 59. 7:45 p. m., children's dancing instruction, group 2; girls' play group. 8:30 p. m., Capitol Athletic Club of Friendship House; community dancing for community folks over 16 years old.

Saturday—9 a. m., violin classes for children. 9:30 a. m. to 12, piano classes for children.

E. V. BROWN.

Connecticut avenue and McKinley street; Mrs. V. P. Lane, community secretary.

Tomorrow—3 p. m., advanced French class; beginners' piano class; dramatic class. 3:45 p. m., beginners' French class; advanced piano class.

MACFARLAND.

Iowa avenue and Webster street; Mrs. A. L. Irving, assistant in charge.

Friday—7 p. m., free period in gym for boys, rythm for girls; 7:30 p. m., Girl Scouts No. 21; 8 p. m., Central Reds Basketball Team, bridge class; 9 p. m., Carolina Basketball Team.

PARK VIEW.

Warder and Newton streets; Miss M. P. Burklin, community secretary.

Tomorrow—3:15 p. m., beginners' violin; 3:45 p. m., advanced violin; 3:30 p. m., beginners' rhythm.

Wednesday—3:30 p. m., advanced rhythm; 7:30 p. m., Park View Junior Players; 7:45 p. m., Park View Senior Players; Dennison Handwork class; 8 p. m., Park View Glee Club, adult social dancing instruction class, Park View Citizens Association executive meeting.

Friday—7 p. m., Children's Game Club; 7:15 p. m., Boy Scouts; 7:30 p. m., drum and bugle corps, Girl Scouts, Boys' Handwork Club; 7:45 p. m., dressmaking class for women, Spanish class beginners and advanced; 8 p. m., auction bridge instruction class, young people's instruction dance.

RESERVOIR.

Conduit road near the Reservoir; Mrs. E. W. Burr, community secretary.

Friday—3:15 p. m., toy making.

THOMSON.

Twelfth and L streets, Mrs. A. C. Driscoll, community secretary.

Tomorrow—7:15 p. m., bridge class; French beginners' class, Italian class, dramatic class. 8 p. m., Nordica Orchestra. 3:45 p. m., Audubon Society for children. 4:45 p. m., Audubon Society for adults.

Tuesday—7:15 p. m., French advanced class, shorthand dictation class. 8 p. m., Spanish advanced class, Spanish beginners' class, Gaelic study class.

Wednesday—3:30 p. m., classes in violin, cornet and clarinet.

Thursday—7:15 p. m., Italian class, dictation class. 8 p. m., Gaelic study class, Italian beginners' class, Ohio Girls Bridge Club, adult piano class, violin class, National Capital Choir.

Friday—3:30 p. m., classes in physical training and folk dancing for youths and children. 7:15 p. m., French beginners' class, adult dancing class instruction. 8 p. m., Lyric Orchestra, French advanced class, Sea Scouts.

Saturday—9:15 a. m., class in dramatic expression for youths, music classes in violin, piano, saxophone, drums.

BIRNEY.

Nichols avenue and Howard street southeast, Mrs. M. E. Ellis, assistant in charge.

Tomorrow—6:30 p. m., adult piano class; 7 p. m., Junior Needle Guild; 7:15 p. m., Campfire Girls' Club; 7:30 p. m., Boys' Basketball Club; Boys' Marching Club; Boys' Whittling Club; 8 p. m., Needlecraft Club; Choral Society, Men's Community Club, Women's Club, Southeast Dramatic Club, sewing, Girls' Social Club; 8:30 p. m., Boys' Orchestra.

Friday—3:15 p. m., Junior Needlecraft and Social Club.

Saturday—9 a. m., music extension piano class.

BURRVILLE.

Division avenue and Corcoran street northeast, Mrs. C. J. Knox, Community secretary.

Tuesday—3:15 p. m., music extension, children's classics; 8 p. m., public-speaking class, basketry, toy making, flower making, De Luxe A. C., Philomathion Dramatic and Social Club, Junior A. C., boys' game group, Wolf Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts.

CLEVELAND.

Eighth and T streets northwest, Miss Etta Johnson, Community secretary.

Tomorrow—7:30 p. m., federation of choirs and sight reading class, Les Beaux Art Club.

Tuesday—7:30 p. m., S. Colerídge Taylor Choral Society, Amphion Glee Club, Dennison art class, lamp-shade making, Forest Temple Band, Phi Delta Kappa Sorority, home nursing class, class in dietetics.

Thursday—7:30 p. m., Community Center Band, Krigwa Players, lamp-shade making, Dennison art class, adult piano class, dramatic class, home nursing class, class in dietetics.

Friday, March 9—3:15 p. m., music extension piano class.

DUNBAR.

First and N streets, Mrs. C. J. Knox, community secretary.

Thursday—6:30 p. m., Organ Practice Club; 7 p. m., St. Cyprian Athletic Club; 7:15 p. m., Silver Leaf Art and Social Club; 8 p. m., Columbia Lodge of Elks, Columbia Temple Drill Team, American Woodmen Drill Team, Simon Commandery Drill Team, Leo Rover Athletic Club, Carlisle Athletic Club, Dunbar Playground Athletic Club, American Woodmen Green Cross Class, Boy Scout activities, Wolf Girl Scouts, Council Review Players.

Friday—7 p. m., boys' activities.

LOVEJOY.

Twelfth and D streets northeast, Mrs. R. J. Gray, community secretary.

Tomorrow—3:15 p. m., music extension piano classes, dramatic class.

Wednesday—3:15 p. m., industrial art class, stereopticon slide program.

Thursday—7:30 p. m., athletic groups, Whittling Club, game groups, industrial arts, basketry, Dennison craft work, embroidering, orchestra, singing groups, Harmonica Club, Good Words Club, the Stitch and Chatter Club, clubroom.

Saturday—7:30 p. m., Togan Athletic Club, Manchester Athletic Club, athletic groups, game groups, Girls Club, Good Words Club, Saturday Evening Club, Royal Troubadours, Royal Troubadours Auxiliary, Eveready Boys Club, clubroom, spelling bee, advisory committee.

MILITARY ROAD.

Military road near Brightwood, Miss Etta Johnson community secretary.

Tomorrow—3:15 p. m., music extension piano class.

Wednesday—3:15 p. m., Buzzing Bees Club.

Friday—3:15 p. m., music extension piano class.

SMOTHERS.

Forty-second street and Benning road northeast, Mrs. G. Pelham executive in charge.

Tomorrow—3:15 p. m., music extension piano class, flower making class.

DEANWOOD.

Whittingham and Lane places northeast, Mrs. G. Pelham executive in charge.

Thursday—3:15 p. m., music extension piano class.

WEST WASHINGTON.

Phillips School, Twenty-seventh and N streets, Mrs. Florence Neal community secretary.

Friday—7:30 p. m., handwork, Reg'lar Fellers, Vincent Social Club, Junior West Washington Athletic Club, games, community singing, social dancing, modeling.

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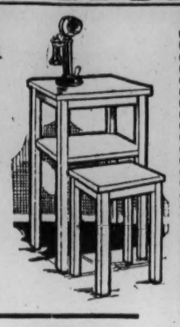
Flush your kidneys by drinking a quart of water each day, also take salts occasionally, says a noted authority, who tells us that too much rich food forms acids which almost paralyze the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken; then you may suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

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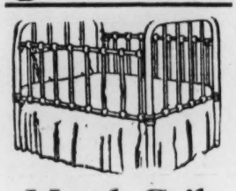


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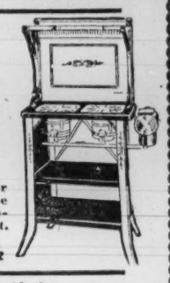


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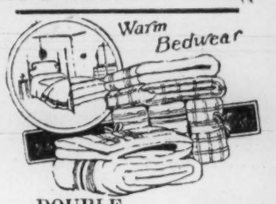


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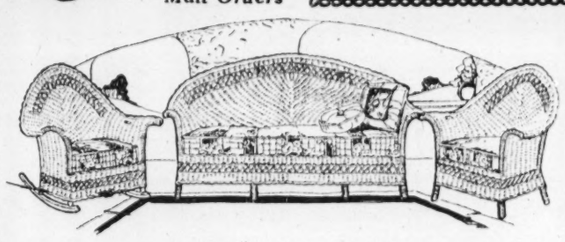
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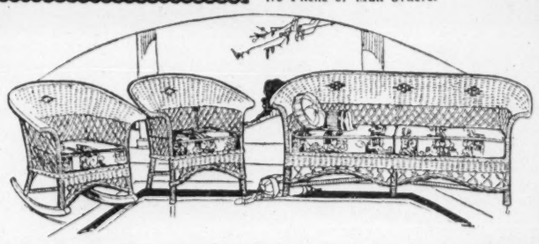


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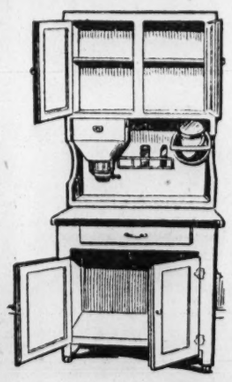
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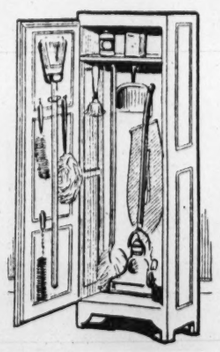
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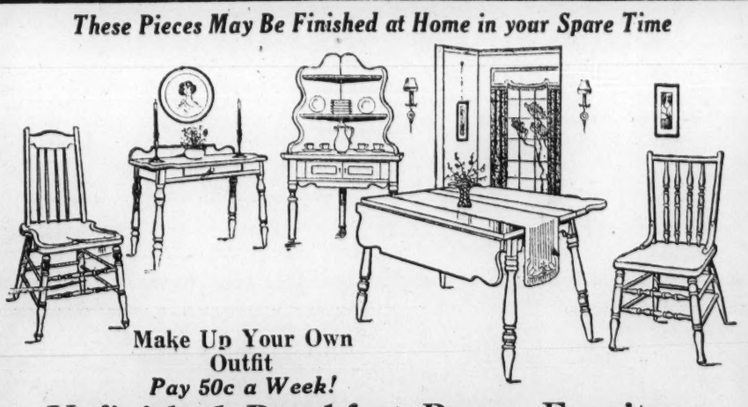
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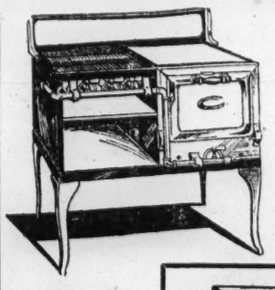
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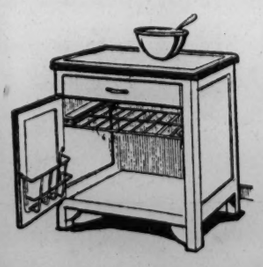
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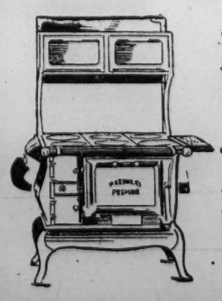


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"Love Ships" of Old Rome to Be Revealed

Luxurious Houseboats That Were Scenes of Revels and Gay Dissipation in Days of the Pleasure-Loving Emperor Tiberius Now to Be Raised From the Bottom of Lake Nemi at the Command of Mussolini

A statue of Tiberius, now in the Vatican Museum in Rome. At right is a reconstruction of one of the imperial ships by G. Mancini, based on measurements obtained in four explorations.

Rome.

SOME there are who say dreams do come true! Will the dream of Benito Mussolini, premier of Italy, be realized? Mussolini has dreamed a long, long time of bringing to the surface the famous and palatial ships of Tiberius lying at the bottom of Lake Nemi, 17 miles from Rome.

These ships have lain there nearly 2,000 years. For hundreds of years, since the days of Leonardo da Vinci and earlier, it has been the dream of Italian artists and scientists to recover them, but up to date all efforts have proved futile. Modern scientific thought believes a way has been found at last whereby these floating Roman palaces may be recovered and restored to their past splendor.

Premier Mussolini has signed a contract with five firms, which have offered to salvage the largest of the two ships lying nearest the surface, free of charge, as an act of "homage to Il Duce." Thus may the memory of Mussolini go down in Italian history as the restorer of the grandeur that was Rome.

All manner of means have been employed in the past to recover these ancient craft, but it remained for modern minds to devise the plan now under way.

Lake Nemi lies in the crater of an extinct volcano and is about 1,200 feet above sea level. It is proposed to lower the level of Lake Nemi some 20 feet by draining its water into the nearby Lake Albano, which lies at a lower level. This will be accomplished by means of powerful pumps, which will eject the water through an ancient tunnel built at the time of the Roman Republic. After flowing through the old underground outlet for a mile and a half, the water will be received in two iron pipes and carried across the valley of Ariccia, and finally into the Tiber. The natural flow of the water through the pipes will be utilized to generate power that will pump up the remainder of the lake that lies below the outlet until the houseboats are completely exposed.

Great fear has been expressed that perhaps time and the elements may have caused the ships to rot and fall apart when they are exposed to the air. But divers give the assurance that the coating of mud which covers them has acted as a preservative and both the yachts and treasure will be in almost as good condition as when they were sunk. Certainly the treasures they contain will have met with little corrosion.

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IT is believed these palatial houseboats were built by Tiberius, second emperor of Rome, to accommodate his strange and monstrous enjoyments. He was a passionate lover of dancing, and his emissaries ransacked Italy and the world for the most beautiful of womanhood. Girls were torn from their homes in the most distant lands to gratify the caprices of this Roman tyrant. His beautiful slave girls were trained to perform marvelous dances; clad in wreaths of roses, they seductively charmed the eager spectator.

The ambitious Tiberius determined to create for himself a pleasure house that would surpass both in splendor and originality anything ever seen before. It was thus that this houseboat came into existence. Fifty thousand artists and artisans worked on it. It was 400 feet long and 100 feet wide. The prow and stern were so nearly square in form that it is thought to have been used more as a stationary boat than one designed to be rowed about the lake. Nevertheless, there were benches for the oarsmen and the emperor commanded legions of slaves to do the almost impossible task of rowing this huge boat about the lake.

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WHEN the City of Rome became seared by the scorching summer sun, the emperor and his coterie repaired to the palace ship to loll and dissipate amid the silent and secluded beauties of the crystal Lake Nemi. Here a cooling zephyr could always be depended upon to soothe the emotional tyrannies of the frenzied Tiberius.

Reclining upon a couch of luxurious magnificence, he feasted his eyes upon the beauty of his dancing girls and inflamed his senses with rich wines. Or from a golden dais he witnessed the wild revelry that sometimes lasted for days without interruption.

Rare foods were served on solid gold and silver platters, and from glittering jeweled goblets was quaffed wine of the rarest blends. Subtle perfumes permeated the air and sweet essences were sprayed about the rich hanging tapestries and rugs, which were a part of the lavish decorations.

Despite these dissipations, it is well to remember that not alone for his debaucheries did the licentious emperor become renowned. As a connoisseur of art there were few to excel this ruler's appreciation and love for the finest specimens of sculpture, bas-reliefs and other treasures of that day.

The wealth in gold, silver and bronze contained in the ancient vessel is believed to total many millions. Judging from the small fragments that have been recovered at different times in the past, it is believed that no spot in the world is capable of yielding such a wealth of antiquities as Lake Nemi.

Divers have brought up at various times many sections of leaden plates and the bronze nails which made them fast to the boat's outer sheathing, which is said to be covered with cloth kept adherent by a coating of pitch. Upon the cloths were many folds of thin sheet lead, so doubled over as to be of great thickness, and fastened with bronze nails. The decks of the vessel were paved with gorgeous mosaic work of porphyry, intermixed with colored glass. Sections of beautiful bronze grillwork, bits of ivory carving, bronze and silver plaques, and an exquisite bronze head of Medusa, bronze heads of lions and wolves, pieces of alabaster which came from the splendid baths on board, and a portion of the wooden prow, covered with leaden plates, fixed with bronze nails, are now on view in museums, and tell the story of the sunken pleasure craft of the notorious and cruel Roman despot.

This was not only a houseboat but a floating palace and temple, with gardens in which flowers bloomed and fruit-bearing trees and vines were cultivated. In the temple built on terraces high up at the stern the despot worshiped the Roman gods, or himself, as the mood seized him. He had a vast retinue of priests and choir boys to assist in these ceremonies.

About the gardens were halls for the feasts and other orgies, which are said to have been of unrestricted licentiousness. On the platform at the prow was a great jeweled throne under a magnificent canopy of precious woods inlaid in gold, silver and jewels. Here, too, the mighty Tiberius reclined and witnessed the spectacles in the floating garden designed for his amusement when he did not feel inclined to join in them.

All along the deck rail there were large baths for swimming, made of alabaster, with bronze and silver rails and other splendid ornaments. Couches covered with the costliest fabrics were scattered about. Sometimes, when it was desired to move the great barge slowly over the lake, sails of purple and crimson silk were hoisted, and the last rays of a glorious setting sun across Lake Nemi cast lengthening shadows upon the lithe, graceful maidens rhythmically swaying to and fro.

Modern scientists agree that the galley is fabulously lavish and must have surpassed in its enchantment the Atlantic triumphs of our own day.

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WITH the violent end of Tiberius, which is said to have been caused directly by his successor, Caligula, who dispensed murder with a lavish hand, these costly vessels were once again commandeered. Caligula did not like the sea; he feared it almost as much as he feared the lightning and thunder which frequently drove him quivering under his bed. On the smooth mirror of Nemi there were no giant waves, there was no seasickness with which to cope, and storms were infrequent. Nemi was quiet and peaceful. Moreover, Caligula was afraid of assassins, so it was with greatest relief that he found seclusion on this pretentious float.

If Tiberius was cruel and licentious, Caligula far excelled him in corruption and pitilessness, and his extravagance surpassed all the prodigies that ever lived in the devices of his profuse expenditures and costly whimsicalities.

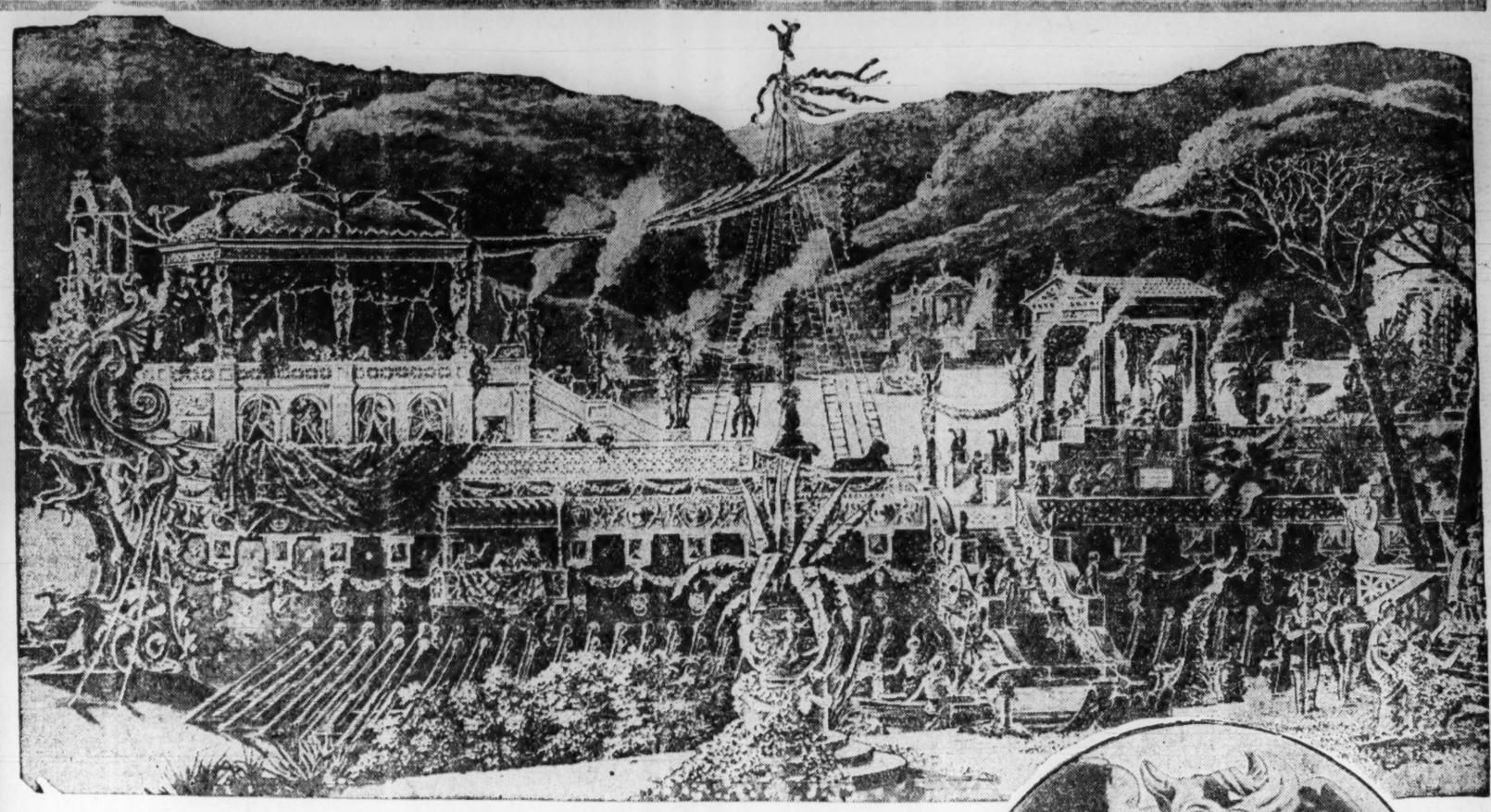
Well was he named the Mad Roman Emperor. His invitations to attend festive occasions, which always were issued in form of a command, conveyed with them a feeling of terror. His guests were probably not happy when these imperial invitations were received, for while they were served lavishly from goblets and salvers of gold, wrought in Attic perfection and studded with gems, at any moment he might command that they pay with their lives for the entertainment tendered them.

He also was possessed of a strange and inexplicable sense of humor. Like the Queen in "Alice in Wonderland," he was wont to shout uproariously at his guests, "Off with their heads!" At one time he remarked that he wished all the people in Rome had only one neck so that he might cut off all their heads at once. Thus, it seemed that in a few months Caligula would shed more innocent blood than ever Tiberius had spilled in his long reign.

Of one occasion it is told that Caligula was suddenly seized with a fit of laughter, and his consuls, who reclined next to him, asked respectfully what had amused him.

"Nothing," said the emperor, continuing his laughter, "but that, upon a single nod of mine, you both might have your throats cut."

Thus, the citizens of Rome constantly confronted death. They dared not refuse the invitation of Caligula or they would incur disfavor and in all probability be beheaded, yet they were not happy in accepting it, for it meant they would possibly dine for the last time.





A sculptured head of Medusa recovered from Lake Nemi.



"In the Grip of Tiberius." From a painting by F. Mantania, the distinguished Italian illustrator, depicting the decadent life of the Roman rulers.

Although the emperor had plundered the civilized world, he was not yet satisfied, and his lustful heart craved gold, and yet more gold. Gold meant power. So, one New Year's Eve, word was sent out that the emperor would receive gifts, and ordered that gifts should be delivered aboard the floating palace. All day long the panic-stricken populace poured their treasure at his feet, until the floor of the throne room was heaped high with the glittering gold and brilliant gems.

Intoxicated with the sight, the emperor removed his sandals and walked barefoot over the golden tribute, and finally lay down and rolled his body in gold over and over again.

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ROME at length grew weary. This tall, pale youth with his hollow eyes and temples, who spent the empire's revenues and poured out the blood of citizens like water, was cut down by a tribune of Praetorian guard. His death brought general thanksgiving and rejoicing. It also sounded the knell for his fantastic vessels.

Immediate attempts are believed to have been made to beach and despoil the ships laden with treasure. But the greedy ones were balked. Before the craft was half way to the shore, something went amiss. Whether it was the tremendous weight of precious metal on board the barge that finally caused her to sink, or whether some great storm caused her purple awnings to drag in the blue waters, will never be known. But the vessel took a downward lunge and with its sinking passed from Roman consciousness. From that day to this the floating palace of Tiberius has remained there, going deeper and deeper into the mud as the years passed, and it now remains for twentieth-century engineers to solve the treasure's riddle.

There is an innate curiosity in the human race, and it seems inevitable that some will persist in looking backward. In so doing they forget the probability of being converted into a pillar of salt, as was the biblical wife of Lot, which may perpetuate the shadows cast by the profligacy of an unbridled people.

Will the art treasures buried for so many centuries compensate for newly discovered facts which may be revealed of the degradations of that earlier civilization? It is hoped that this may be so and that Premier Mussolini, fearless and undaunted, if success crowns his present project, will forever be endeared to the world of art.

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Bananas Have Outlived a Bad Reputation.

Early inhabitants of the East believed that the banana plant was the source of good and evil and that the serpent which tempted Eve hid in a bunch of its fruit. This legend evidently influenced the early classifiers, who designated two species of the plant as "Fruit of Paradise" and "Fruit of Knowledge."

The common name "banana" was adopted from the language of an African Congo tribe and first came into use during the sixteenth century. Before that time the fruit was called "Apple of Paradise" and "Adam's Fig." The name "banana" seems to have been borne for a long time. The term "plantain" was given to a variety which, though closely related to the banana, is edible only after being cooked. The generic name "Musa" for the banana group was bestowed by the botanist, Linnaeus, in honor of Antonius Musa, a learned physician of the early Roman Empire.

The Porcupine's Quills.

The widespread belief that porcupines throw or shoot their quills to a considerable distance has no foundation in fact, according to biologists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Not aggressive animals, they will if crowded, erect their quills and stand at bay awaiting attack. The quills point at all angles, and as the enemy approaches fierce blows of the heavily armed and muscular tail are struck sidewise or upward, the barbed quills thus being driven into anything within reach. Their lower surface is unprotected, and every effort to turn them over is frantically resisted.

Always Will Be

"Always wash spinach in seven waters," advises the Woman's Home Companion. "Correct," replied the constant diner-out, "That leaves just enough sand in it to make it interesting."

The Kiss of Madagascar

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Mysterious Vampire, Draining Life Blood of French Official, Vanquished by Great Detective.



I brought him, still in his pajamas, to Sturdevant.

STRANGE stories of the fragrant goddess, the man-eating tree, came from the jungles of Madagascar. And when La Peruse, French Colonial official, falls strangely ill in Washington, Maj. Sturdevant remembers his Madagascar enemies—and, remembering, fathoms a fascinating mystery.

"HEY, somebody lend me twenty-five bucks?" Bailey, who represented the Post-Intelligencer at Washington, peered through the Record's office door, glancing hopefully from Williams, the Record's correspondent, to Loomis, of the Clarion-Call.

"Kind o' original in your needs, ain't you?" Loomis asked. "Most of us don't need more than ten or fifteen bucks, anyhow."

"Aw, fellers," Bailey pleaded, "don't throw me down; I need this dough, I tell you. Gotta get my sweetie some flowers. She's goin' to a doings up at the Highlands tomorrow, and I want to knock her dead with an orchid corsage. I'll pay you back when my check comes next week, honest——"

"Orchid," Loomis cut in again. "Gosh, he'd actually give her orchids."

"Hey, what's biting on you?" Bailey asked angrily. "You talk as if I was fixin' to present the dame with a lovers' knot of rattlesnakes, or something."

"You might as well, according to my way of thinking," Loomis returned. "Listen: Do you remember when the French Madagascar Commercial Mission was over here last year?"

"Yes," Bailey agreed sulkily, "I remember, all right. But what's that got to do with your disliking orchids?"

"Everything," Loomis answered. "When that aggregation hit Washington last year they looked like a constellation of bright stars of hope to me. I'd slipped up on important matters three times hand-running, and it looked as if I'd soon be hunting a Government clerkship when the Frenchmen came along.

"'Here's where I get in solid,' I told myself. 'I'll just run up and cop off a red-hot story and square myself with the old man.'

"Did I? I did not. The Frenchies were occupying the Bushnell residence, in Sheridan Circle, and they'd had time to dig in by the time I rang the front doorbell. A tenth-assistant secretary, who smelled like a ladies' hairdressing emporium, gave me a supercilious look and a sheet of mimeographed legal cap. 'Zat ees all ze Commeesion haff for pooblication,' he said, and nodded to the doorkeeper to give me the gate.

"I started down Massachusetts avenue toward Dupont Circle, when some one hit me a crack on the shoulder.

"'Hello, Frank,' my assailant said, 'what's the trouble? You look as if you were taking a guilty conscience out for an airing.'

"It was Maj. Sturdevant, of the Secret Service, and he'd been responsible for my scoring more beats than all the luck I'd had since coming to Washington.

"'No; it's the job,' I said. 'Those Frenchmen back there gave me a raw deal.'

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"WELL, well," he commented, 'I reckon I can give you a lift. I know La Peruse, the director of the commission, slightly—was on my way to see him when I bumped into you. I'll take you back with me."

"'Next time you want ten or a dozen guys murdered, call on me, Major,' I asked as we mounted the Bushnell steps and Sturdevant rang the bell.

"'Ze Commeessionaire, he air not to see ze journaleests,' the overgrown porter announced.

"Sturdevant thrust his card forward, adding the oral explanation, 'Service de Surete.'

"'Oh, mais oui, M'sieur, certainment,' the porter agreed, his hostility evaporating before Sturdevant's announcement.

"We rode up two floors in the automatic electric elevator, and entered a large parlor on the third floor which seemed to combine the duties of lounging room and office.

"'Ah, Monsieur Sturdevant,' a big, blond man greeted as we followed the porter through the tapestry lambrequins at the door.

"The Major shook hands cordially and presented me to the Frenchman. He was well over 6 feet tall and proportionately broad, with the prominent nose and cheekbones that bespoke Basque ancestry and the fair skin and light eyes that told of descent from the Northmen who overran Brittany in the days before Hastings.

"'Mister Loomis,' he acknowledged Sturdevant's introduction in excellent English, 'I had not thought to give anything but a formal statement to the press at this time; but I make an exception of you. Here are some memoranda you may find of interest. Copy what you wish and announce your dispatches as coming from the commission.'

"I thanked him and dug into the papers, getting enough live stuff to fill two columns comfortably.

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"STURDEVANT and La Peruse talked of adventures in far places as I worked, and it was not till the library clock struck midnight that I realized how long we had been there.

"'But, gentlemen, you will surely remain the night, certainly.' La Peruse insisted as we rose to go. 'It is past twelve, and the snow is deep. I can make you most comfortable.'

"I looked out the window and saw he was correct. Both Sturdevant and I hastened to accept the invitation.

"'Queer chap, La Peruse,' the Major told me as he snapped off the light. 'He could have retired twenty years ago, if he'd wished, but colonial administration seems a sort of passion with him. Africa, Polynesia, Madagascar—wherever the French have possessions, he's given the best years of his life and a lot of his own money to carrying on their work. This commissionership he holds now is only an honorary position; he doesn't get a cent out of it. Why—Good Lord! What's that?'

"We leaped out of bed and rushed into the darkened hall as a second blood-chilling cry echoed through the house.

"'Down there!' Sturdevant shouted, running headlong toward a room at the turn of the corridor. In a moment we were at the door.

"'La Peruse!' he called. 'La Peruse, what's wrong; are you ill?'

"We pressed our ears to the wood, waiting a reply, but no word came from the bedroom. Only a gurgling noise, like water escaping through a drain, or a man fighting desperately for breath. Then we burst open the door.

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"FEELING his way along the wall, Sturdevant located the electric switch and snapped on the light. La Peruse lay on his bed, the covers kicked to the floor, his hands flexed in a rigidity like that of death, fingers digging into the yielding mattress. His pajama jacket was open at the neck, and on the white skin of his throat, below the line of tan, was a ruby disc where warm blood welled up from a tiny wound. His eyes were wide open, staring, and on his sunburned face, was such a look of mortal terror as is seldom seen outside the phantasies of nightmare.

"'La Peruse,' the Major called, hurrying to the bedside and laying a hand over the Frenchman's heart.

"His warm touch seemed to revive the stricken man. He rose unsteadily on his elbow, staring at us in pathetic bewilderment. 'Where is it?' he asked in a shaking voice. 'Did you see it, Sturdevant, mon ami?'

"'See what?' Sturdevant asked. 'What hurt you, La Peruse?'

"The other passed a trembling hand across his forehead. 'The vampire,' he answered with a shudder. 'The demon un-dead, Major. It was here, I tell you, sitting on my breast, sucking the life-blood from my veins—' he crossed himself awkwardly. 'I saw it, flickering like a flame of hell-fire over me——'

"'Rats!' Sturdevant interrupted. 'My dear fellow, you've had a bad dream. A vampire! You'll be seeing old Mother Hubbard and her dog, next!'

"The Frenchman smiled wanly. 'So?' he said. 'Look,' he touched the wound at his throat and held his blood-stained fingertips up for inspection. 'Is this blood or not blood, my friend? And if it be blood, how comes it there? You, yourself can testify my door was locked; there is no other entrance to the room. Yet when you broke in what did you find, hein? If it was no vampire, then, pour l'amour de Dieu, what was it?'

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"SERVANTS and attaches of the Commission, in varying stages of dishabille, were crowding into the room. La Peruse waved them away and turned to Sturdevant.

"'My friend,' he said, 'I am afraid. And my fear is the greater because I know not what it is I fear. How long I slept before it came I can not tell, but I remember waking with a feeling of suffocation—no pain, but weakness and utter impotence—to see a red, fiery thing waving like a flame above me and to smell the odor of a charnel house. At first I knew not where I was, but realization came slowly. The thing that seemed to burn above me I can not describe, for the darkness of the room and its very nearness obscured my vision. How long I lay wondering I have no idea; but suddenly I became aware ot a feeling like a pulling at my throat. Then I knew: The thing was sucking my blood.

"'Rubbish!' Sturdevant replied. 'I don't doubt you think you saw this thing, but you couldn't have. No one ever saw a vampire, or anything like one, outside a book or a bad dream.'

"You do not know the things I have seen, my friend,' the other returned. 'Here in what we call civilization we have forgotten the ancient things of nature, so we say they do not exist. But the people who live in the silent places have not forgotten; they remember, and they know. Listen, my friend:

"'The revolt of the Hova in 1898, which led ultimately to the exile of Queen Ranavalona, was not particularly anti-European, The Malagasy government had long employed English and French army officers and engineers, and found Europeans quite tolerable. But there is no question the Hova were violently opposed to Christianity. Travelers say the Hova had no definite religion of their own. That is not so. They worshiped a goddess known as "The Fragrant One," whose manifestation was said to be a man-eating tree.'

"'I was in Gallieni's army of pacification when we put down the rebellion. One day word come by a convert, Andevo, that Hova insurrectionists had captured a missionary priest. We hurried inland to the rescue, and arrived to find the mission a smoldering ruin. Two days forced marching brought us to the Hova camp fires' ashes, still warm. Another day our scouts surprised the war party dancing about something white on the ground. One volley of musketry sent them into the jungle, and when we charged their camp we found a skull and several bones in the center of their dancing circle.'

"'Cannibalism?' Sturdevant asked.

"'Non, non,' La Peruse denied. 'The skull and bones were clean, clean as though scraped with sandpaper; there was no evidence of fire upon them, but something more we found; their surfaces had been eaten away—how do you say?—eroded?—as though by acid.'

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"'H'M,' Sturdevant commented. 'Whose skull was it?'

"'The skull was that of a white man, and in the front of the mouth was a gold tooth—what you call a crown—the priest had set in by an American dentist in Paris. Our guide, the convert, recognized it at once, for that golden tooth had been the marvel of the mission settlement.'

"'Still, I don't see any evidence of your man-eating tree,' Sturdevant objected. 'The Hova might have used an acid substance to pickle their victim's skelton. Such things are not uncommon among barbarous peoples.'

"'Yes, yes, you are right to be skeptical,' the Frenchman admitted, 'but wait. The guide told us the Hova made sacrifices to "The Fragrant One" by placing the victim (preferably a Christian) in the tree's branches. It is supposed to be a sort of vegetable octopus, with tentacles to catch and hold its prey. When the tree had eaten the offering, the bones were collected and kept as souvenirs by the devotees.

"'Now I, myself, had always scouted these stories; but when I saw the murdered priest's skeleton I reconsidered. Do you know the Benus' flytrap?'

"'You mean the insect-catching plant of Carolina?' Sturdevant asked.

"'Yes,' La Peruse answer, 'the same. That plant, as you know, has a flower so delicately sensitive that the slightest touch by an insect closes the petals like the leaves of a book. Once imprisoned, the unfortunate insect is slowly dissolved by a powerful acidulous liquid excreted by the plant. As you would say, he is digested.

"'Now consider: In tropical lands the flora of the temperate zone attains much greater size. If America and south Europe produce "flytrap" plants large enough to digest the humble bee, why should not a tropic island like Madagascar develop a tree large enough and fierce enough to devour a man? Eh?'

"'H'm, possibly,' Sturdevant tugged at his beard, 'you may be right. At any rate, we're still in the dark regarding the cause of your wound. It's nearly morning; lie down and try to sleep. I'll stay with you the rest of the night.'

"I left them together and crawled back in my own bed, but did precious little sleeping. The echo of the Frenchman's ghastly cry and the sight of his still, horror-drawn face stayed with me till daylight.

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"WE had a continental breakfast—coffee and rolls—in our bedroom, and I turned my overcoat collar up against the storm as I plunged my way toward Connecticut avenue. La Peruse begged Sturdevant to stay with him so piteously that the Major consented to remain an hour or so.

"I knocked the information I'd gotten into shape and sent it off to the home office. The job was moderately safe for awhile longer, anyhow.

"I hadn't been in the office fifteen minutes next morning when a call came from Sturdevant. 'Hello, Loomis,' he said, 'there's something dam' queer going on up here.'

"'What's the trouble?'

"'I don't know; that's where the difficulty comes in. La Peruse is worse. I stayed here again last night, and ran in to see how he was getting on about every half hour till 5 o'clock this morning. Everything seemed O. K., and I'd turned in for a couple of hours' sleep when he gave another one of those war whoops, and when I got to his room he was lying just as we found him yesterday morning. I had more trouble in bringing him to this time, and he's so weak from loss of blood we've had a physician up to look him over.'

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"I REPORTED at the Bushnell house about seven that evening, and Sturdevant took me to La Peruse's room at once. The Frenchman was like a wraith of his former self. Violet half-moons under his eyes, a waxen pallor beneath his sunburn and a queer, pinched look about the nostrils testified eloquently to sudden and overwhelming weakness. The hand he extended unsteadily in greeting was as thin and bloodless as a fever patient's.

"'Now, Frank,' the Major said. 'I want you to act as relief guard tonight. I'll sit with La Peruse while you sleep; then you take your turn at sentry-go.'

"We sat talking till I began to feel drowsy, and the Major took up his vigil by the sick man's bed.

"He shook me awake shortly after 2 o'clock, and I slumped down in an easy chair beside the night light, a copy of the Clarion-Call in my hand.

"'Do you wish coffee, sir?' some one asked in a strong English accent. I looked up and saw a small and exceedingly black man with regular features and wire-straight hair, standing in the doorway, a tray containing a coffee pot and cup in his hands.

"'Yes, thank you,' I answered. 'Pour it black, please.'

"'Very good, sir,' he replied, filling my cup. I swallowed a mouthful of the steaming black beverage and turned back to my paper.

"The old man had a riproaring editorial in that issue, lambasting the tar out of the administration about the coal strike, but, somehow, the words seemed to have lost their punch as I sipped my coffee. Presently the lines of type began to run together before my eyes. I nodded, shook my head to clear my vision, and——

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"'LOOMIS, Loomis, wake up. Give me a hand here!'

"'Eh, wha —what?' I asked stupidly, half rising from my chair, then sinking down again as the room, commenced whirling like a Coney Island carrousel.

"Gradually I began to see things. Sturdevant, his white hair and beard bristling with anger and excitement, bent above La Peruse. La Peruse lay half out of the bed, head downward, eyes staring glassily, the bandage on his throat displaced, and a thin trickle of blood oozing from his reopened wound.

"'Good Lord!' I exclaimed, bracing myself against the arms of my chair. 'What's happened, Major?'

"'La Peruse has been murdered while you sat there snoring.'

"'But I wasn't asleep,' I protested. "I felt a little queer after I drank that coffee, but——'

"'Eh? What's that?' he asked sharply. You drank coffee? Where? When? Who gave it to you?'

"'Why, the boy!' I answered.

"'H'm,' the Major lifted La Peruse to the bed, and glared at me. 'Go find that servant and have some one phone the doctor. There's still a flutter in this poor chap's pulse. No thanks to you, though.'

"I roused a secretary and asked him to call a physician, then inquired my way to the servants' quarters. Three minutes' search sufficed to find the man who served me, peacefully sleeping.

"I brought him, still in his pajamas, to Sturdevant.

"'Did you serve coffee to this gentleman?' the Major asked, eyeing him sternly.

"'Yes, sir,' the black man answered. 'I thought some black coffee might help him stay awake.'

"'H'm,' Sturdevant looked him over from head to feet. 'Pretty bold, doping him right under my eyes, aren't you?'

"'Doping him?' the man's assumption of horrified incredulity was masterly. 'You surely don't think that, sir.'

"He turned to me. 'How much coffee did you drink, sir?' he asked.

"'Not more than half a cup,' I answered.

"'Ah,' his insolence was superb as he stretched out his hand, lifted the cup, and drained it at a single gulp.

"He looked at Sturdevant. 'If the coffee is drugged, sir,' he announced, 'it surely should act on me.'

"'H'm, all right; you may go.'

"'Thank you, very much, sir,' the other replied, as he bowed his way from the room.

"The physician came bustling in. 'What's all this?' he asked testily, making a hasty examination of the patient.

"'Why the man's almost dead from exhaustion. Every indication of severe hemorrhage. Where's the blood?'

"Sturdevant shrugged in annoyance. 'We know no more about it than you do, doctor,' he replied.

"'Then you're dam' ignorant,' the physician blurted. 'There'll have to be an immediate transfusion of blood if we're going to save this man's life.'

"Hurried telephone calls to the doctor's office for paraphernalia, an examination of half a dozen of the commission's personnel for a suitable blood count, and the big porter was chosen to supply the vital fluid.

"When morning came La Peruse was resting easily, his body refreshed with new blood.

"'We saved him this time,' the doctor said as he struggled into his ulster, 'but I'll not answer for the consequences if he has another hemorrhage. See that he's watched every moment.'

"'He'll be watched, all right, doctor, you may depend on it,' Sturdevant assured him.

"As I was leaving he whispered, 'Come up again tonight, Loomis. We'll find out what's what this evening, or know the reason why.'

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"LA PERUSE was slightly improved, though still very weak, when I arrived at the Bushnell house about 11 o'clock that evening.

"'Hello, Frank,' Sturdevant greeted as I was divesting myself of hat, muffler and overcoat.

"He led me to the room assigned us, shut the door carefully and lighted one of his long, black cheroots. 'Been doing some visiting and exploring today,' he announced. 'Had quite a conference with Prof. Stockton, of the Smithsonian Institution. He's the foremost authority on tropical flora in the country.

"'What's the idea?' I asked. 'Did you want to check up on La Peruse's theory of the man-eating tree?'

"'Partly,' he replied. 'Stockton says La Peruse may not be far wrong. He gave me a lot of interesting data on Madagascar, too.'

"'Shall I take the first trick?' I asked as we walked toward La Paruse's room.

"Not much; we'll handle this business together,' he answered. 'I can't risk having you sleep at the switch a second time.'

"We tiptoed across the room, and I was about to take a chair when the Major put out his hand, giving me a slight push. Under the day bed, Loomis' he ordered.

"'What? I whispered incredulously.

"'Get under that day bed there,' he repeated. 'You're going to be the silent partner in our little game tonight, and the invisible one, too. Crawl under that couch and keep your mouth shut and your eyes open. Go on.'

"I slipped to the floor beneath the couch.

"THE Major pressed the bell communicating with the servant's rooms. In a few moments the little black man who had waited on me the previous night entered. 'You rang, sir?' he asked.

"'Yes,' Sturdevant replied without looking up from his book. 'Bring me some coffee at midnight, please.'

"'Very good, sir.'

"The time crawled by like a frost-bitten snake. The servant entered with the coffee, set the tray on the table and stood waiting Sturdevant's orders.

"'That's all, thank you,' the Major said as he resumed his chair and picked up the cup. He took a swallow of the drink, then resumed his reading. Five, ten, fifteen minutes ticked off on my wrist watch, nothing happened. Then the room's quiet was disturbed by a low guttural sound. I looked at Sturdevant in fascinated horror. His head had fallen forward on his chest, the book had dropped from his hand. He was asleep—snoring.

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"I WRIGGLED a few inches on the floor, intent on crawling from under the couch and waking him, then froze where I lay.

"Stepping softly as a panther, the colored servant came into the room, followed by another. The second one carried a tray with coffee pot and cups, the first bore a bundle of some sort carefully between his outstretched hands.

"Pausing beside the Major a moment, they smiled at each other, then placed another cup exactly like that from which Sturdevant had drunk on the table, pouring an amount of coffee equal to that he had left into the substituted cup. Quietly the fellow with the coffee turned and walked quickly down the hall.

"The trick by which I'd been drugged the night before, and which had enabled the suspected black to demonstrate his innocence and my dereliction of duty, was so simple as to be childish, yet Sturdevant and I had been fooled by it.

"I lay where I was, watching the man's movements.

"Quickly he leaned over the sleeping Frenchman, unfastening the bandage at his throat with a deftness the most experienced pickpocket might envy. A moment more and he produced a jar of oil, touched the sleeping man's wound with the unguent, then, with a tiny scalpel, removed the softened scab.

"I saw a spot of blood form and grow larger as the wound was opened, and fixed my muscles for a spring when his next move struck me stone-still with mystification.

"Something like a ball of coarse moss, doubled upon itself like a giant sleeping spider, dangled from a thread as the man drew his hand from the bundle he carried. I saw him swing the thing through the air several times, slowly at first, then faster and faster, till it whirled round his head like a wheel of light. Carefully he slackened the swinging thing's speed, finally dangling it at arm's length from him above La Peruse. The rapid motion through the air had opened the thing he held till its parts were fully displayed.

"Leaning forward, he dropped the knot of moss upon the Frenchman's open wound.

"My eyes almost started from my head in horror. While I watched the thing upon the sleeper's throat began to live, putting out tiny tendrils like the fronds of an asparagus fern, but red as rust iron in color. Like a living animal, the thing's leaves waved and swayed in the air. Gradually like a toy balloon slowly inflated, a great, tri-petaled, blood-red flower began unfolding.

"La Peruse moaned and stirred uneasily in his sleep.

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"'AT him, Loomis!' With a bound Sturdevant was out of his chair. He leaped across the room, hands outstretched to seize the black.

"With a snarl of bestial ferocity, the little man dogded, hurling himself toward the door.

"I squirmed from my hiding place and leaped in his path, driving my fist at the point of his jaw.

"He fought like a wildcat. Shorter than I by almost a foot, and underweighing me by at least 40 pounds, he was all I could handle, and more.

"'Ah! Got him!' Sturdevant dropped on the fellow's shoulders, seized his elbows in an iron grip and pressed them into his sides.

"'Now, you little hellion,' he rasped, take that accursed thing off La Peruse and see you don't leave any roots in his wound.'

"'Ha! You think to make me?' the other answered with a snarl. 'You can not. Your friend will die. You may kill me, cut me in pieces, if you like, but the cursed Frenchman dies. I'll make no move to save him from his judgment.'

"'No?' Studevant replied, seizing the man's left wrist in his right hand and slowly forcing it upward in a hammer-lock. 'No? We'll see about that.'

"Perspiration glistened on the fellow's forehead, his eyes started in their sockets like a frog's, his mouth drew taut with agony as Sturdevant slowly increased his pressure.

"Step by step the Major forced his captive toward the bed. At last the other dropped to his knees beside La Peruse. 'Let me go,' he begged. 'Let me go, you white beast, and I'll take "the Kiss" from him.'

"The captive reached out, seized the waving, red thing at the Frenchman's throat, and lifted it carefully from his wound. Like an inflated bladder pricked with a pin, the infernal plant began wilting as its terrible nourishment was cut off.

"'Now we'll gather in the other one,' Sturdevant announced as he snapped a pair of handcuffs over the prisoner's wrists.

"The other black was lying in bed, apparently sound asleep, when we reached his room, but it required our combined efforts to subdue and shackle him when he leaped up as we entered the door.

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What Can Hoover Do?

By WILL ROGERS

ALL I know is just what I read in the papers. I have been traveling so fast I didn't get to read all the papers so I naturally turned to the old reliable "Literary Digest" and grabbed up what little snatches of news I needed to mend out a fairly informed week.

It tells about "Hoover entering the race." Well, that was mighty informing, BUT Hoover had been in the race since the old days of "Save a lump of sugar a day and it will keep the Germans away?" He hadn't any more than fed his first Belgian than the women, who had dropped three stitches on what they thought was to be a sweater but which some soldier afterwards wore as a sock, and says, "There's a man that ought to be President." He grabbed the mothers by the heartstrings right away when he said, "Feed the soldiers first, and if there is any left throw the politicians a bone." He was the first "Food Dictator."

We had had all kinds of dictators. We had had political dictators that tell us how we should vote for them; we had had literary critics and dictators who had told us what to read; and my Lilliputian friend Bill Hayes was to tell us what we were to have to look at while we were waiting for the news reel to come on. Hoover is the first one to take us off beefsteak and put us on calories. He grabbed off the Catholic vote right away by making the Baptist eat fish on Friday. He took white bread away from us and had us eating bran mash like a horse. Fed the wheat to the hogs and made the Jewish soldiers eat pork. Fed all the corn to the army mule so he could keep fat and kick a new recruit. Army mules crippled more soldiers than the Germans. He put a fixed price on wheat and sold steel and iron to the highest bidder. He had us sweetening our coffee with nothing but a slogan: "Drink it black and give the enemy a whack."

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WE buttered our bread with a slogan: "Spread it thin and we are bound to win." "Why eat food when substitutes will fill you just as full?" He won the war, but he ruined our stomachs. He gave us freedom, but it took us three years to get used to eating meat again. He starved us into liberty.

Then when he came back why they wanted to run him for President. But it was the Democrats who wanted to run him. Well,



Hoover saved a lot of Democrats.

he had been away a long time and had been out of touch with political affairs, but he hadn't been so much out of touch with them that he didn't know about what the strength of a Democratic candidate would be in 1920. 'Course he had been working with President Wilson and naturally they took him for a Democrat. But if you remember that's why they shouldn't have taken him for a Democrat, for it was the Republicans that worked better with Mr. Wilson than the Democrats did. Well, the Republicans got in, and President Harding wanted to add enough respectable members to his Cabinet to make it kinder balance, so he had to draft this Democrat, Hoover.

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WELL, he dragged along in the Cabinet there. There is mighty little nourishment belonging to a thing like that. It's about like playing in the line in a football game. Unless you get the ball to run with, you are there to do nothing but get run over, or try to make a hole for the "headman" to come through. Well, he couldn't see any percentage of sitting in a chorus of ten voices, so when the 1924 handicap come on he was laying on a radio sounding board with his ears to the ground.

Well that was a bad year for outsiders. Cal had been in two and a half years, and he wanted to run again on a vindication platform. He swore he could keep still four more years and not see or hear a thing. Well, that was just what the Republicans wanted. They said if somebody don't watch us too close for the next four years why we will be willing to give what is left to the Democrats. So when all the scandal came along about the elections in Pennsylvania and Illinois, why, Calvin was looking out the window watching the sheep mow the White House lawn. (One of his economy measures.) But Jim Reed, the old Sherlock Holmes of the Democrats, he smelled graft, traced it down and sure enough his deductions were perfect.

But I am getting ahead of my story. In '24 they offered the Vice Presidency to Mr. Hoover. Well, that was just verging on an insult, especially when you knew the good care Mr. Coolidge took of himself. So he turned it down. They called up Lowden and offered it to him. When he heard what it was, he got so mad he said he would devote the rest of his life to some lost cause so he took up Farm Relief. Dawes wanted to get a chance to tell the Senate what he thought of them so he went clear to the trouble of being Vice President just to do it. Well, Dawes saw he couldn't do anything toward reforming the Senate, so he just got sore and went to sleep and left 'em.

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HOOVER stuck along with the Cabinet thinking something would show up and it did. It was the Mississippi Flood. It was like old times to be doing something after being idle with the Government for so long. He did a wonderful bit of work and saved a lot of lives. But when they got 'em all dried off, and looked at them, they were Democrats. Well, he didn't know whether to keep 'em or shove 'em back in again. But he was a humanitarian and he fed them and promised to take care of them until Congress would give them some flood relief. So it looks like he has them on his hands and the Red Cross' hands for life. He is the only Republican (if he is a Republican) that ever saved a Democrat's life, and if he ever gets to be President, I bet there will be times when he wishes he had pushed 'em back in again.

Now, if that Flood had been in the North and it had been Republicans he had saved, why, he wouldn't have to charge it off to profit and loss. He could have wrung some voters out of it. But a Democrat voting for a Republican down South is just like throwing a handful of gravel at a battleship. He will have their moral support, but their votes will go to a lost cause, as usual.

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NAVY'S NEW WARSHIPS EACH EQUAL TO FLEET

The longest and most powerful naval vessels in the world have just been added to the American Navy with the completion of the new aircraft carriers Saratoga and Lexington, writes J. Earle Miller in Popular Mechanics Magazine. Built to tear through the seas at thirty-three knots, or about thirty-eight land miles an hour, each can put eighty-eight planes into the air, and at the same time carry on a respectable fight against an enemy on the sea or in the air, for each is armed with eight big eight-inch long-range guns and twelve five-inch antiaircraft rifles.

Started at the close of the war as battle cruisers, the two ships were changed, after the Washington disarmament conference, into aircraft carriers of the latest type. With their superstructure condensed in tall towers on the starboard side and their smokestacks streamlined into a single unit, they are the weirdest ships in the Navy. Bigger than battleships, but as fast as the lean gray destroyers, they are entirely different from anything else afloat. Their great speed requires enormous power, four electric generators, each of 35,200 kilowatts capacity, for each ship. The power of each vessel is sufficient to supply all the electrical needs of a city the size of Boston. Steam turbines, run by sixteen oil-fired boilers, turn the generators, which transmit power to eight enormous electric motors, each of 22,500 horsepower, connected in pairs to four propellers. With 45,000 horsepower driving each propeller, the combined output of 180,000 horsepower makes them the world's fastest big ships.

The Navy's entire fleet of six electric driven battleships now in commission—the New Mexico, California, Tennessee, Maryland, Colorado and West Virginia—has less power than either of the new ships.

Because of the concentration of all the superstructure, gun turrets and other above-deck equipment at the extreme right hand side of the ship, the Lexington and Saratoga are balanced by placing their fuel oil, water and gasoline tanks in the hull on the opposite side. As each tank is emptied, it can be filled with water to keep the ship in trim.

The broad, long landing deck is large enough to drill a regiment on, for the ships have a length of 888 feet and a beam of 105 feet. At either end, the deck flares out over the hull, and also drops somewhat to increase speed when a plane takes off. The deck is equipped with arresting gear to stop a plane on landing within a few feet, instead of allowing it to run along for some distance, as is done on a land field. When the landing deck is in use life nets are rigged along the sides, so that members of the deck force can, if necessary, leap clear of the deck when a plane is landing.

Two levels below the landing deck, the ship has hangars and machine shops for handling the eighty-eight planes, which include everything from light and fast observation and attack squadrons, to heavy bombers and torpedo planes. Huge freight elevators are built in, to lift the completely assembled planes to the flying deck, the elevators coming to a stop flush with the deck, so they act as part of the flying field when not in use. A new type of catapult, mounted near the bow, can launch seaplanes, while the flying deck is being used by both land planes and amphibians.

Either of the aircraft carriers, according to Navy officers, is capable of meeting any existing battle fleet single-handed. With the eight-inch guns in their turrets, built for unusually long-range work, they can stand off enemy destroyers and cruisers, while their great speed will enable them to maneuver out of range of the heavier battleships. The twelve five-inch antiaircraft guns are designed to keep the air clear of enemy planes while the carrier's own force is taking the air.

The flying deck is long and wide enough to accommodate the entire complement of set-up planes at one time, and still leave room for ships to take off. Not all of the eighty-eight planes on each carrier will be kept fully assembled at one time, but others can be set up as fast as needed, to replace airplanes shot down or incapacitated by mechanical troubles.

Some idea of the immense size, weight, power and speed of the Saratoga and Lexington can be gained by comparing them with other naval vessels. The 32,600-ton Maryland, Colorado and West Virginia, biggest battleships in the Navy, are overshadowed by the aircraft carriers, with a displacement of more than 33,000 tons. The difference in size is even more marked, for the battleships, with their enormous weight of heavy armor.

In shaft horsepower either of the new ships, with 180,000 horsepower delivered to her four propellers, is equal to more than five 35,000 horsepower battleships of the Maryland class. Their enormous power will drive them practically as fast as the swiftest light cruisers in the fleet, and only two knots slower than the best of the first-line destroyer squadrons, while they can outrun the older torpedo boats.

Complete with her complement of planes, the Saratoga cost approximately $45,000,000 to build.

The Good of the Game

by Edgar A. Guest

Hold the game above the prize,
And the rules above the goal,
Here the greater glory lies.
Here is victory for the soul.

Hold the game above the thrill
Of the cheering of the clan,
For the one of lesser skill
May come out the greater man.

Better far than victory
Or the prizes victors claim,
Win or lose, it is to be
One who glorifies the game.



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Holleran Yell Is Baffled

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

NEW YORK, March 3.—Whenever I see an article about modern business methods in the newspapers I throw the paper away and turn on my radio instead because these methods disgust me whenever I think about them.

I had experience with such methods in the case of a bum by the name of Harry Grabholtz, a pugilist galloper that I picked up in a pool parlor in a very peculiar way. Some young sportsmen were playing a game with dice on one of the tables when a dispute began about the score, as they were keeping score with money.

In the midst of the dispute one young man hit Harry Grabholtz over the head with a pool cue. I thought: "Well, that paste ought to be good for three bases," so I became interested in Grabholtz when he merely yelled to the proprietor in a calm way, "Hey, Edward! Joseph has splintered one of your cues!"

This led me to believe that Grabholtz would be a fine candidate to climb the ladder of pugilistic laurels as he was impervious to pain, so I asked him how he would like to go in for a career amid the plaudits of the public.

That is how I became the manager of Harry Grabholtz. There was one drawback about him, as he could not fight, but he was so large and ugly looking that I rushed him right down to New York City to obtain some contests in the big heavyweight elimination tournament. But, of course, I did not tell any body that he could not fight. On the contrary, I deliberately encouraged the impression that he could fight quite considerably and whenever the newspaper reporters would come around to interview us I would say to Grabholtz. "Tell the gentlemen what you did to that bum down in Wheeling or tell them about the time you hit the holdup desperado a left hook and killed him by hand out in Sapulpa."

My bum was so stupid that he could never make up any stories of this nature and the more the reporters would try to find out the details of these affairs the more foolish he would look, so I would come to his rescue and say, "Gentlemen, this boy is just too modest to tell you about his exploits, so I will tell you."

And I would tell them.

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WELL, after a few days, a man by the name of Mr. Flynn came to me and said I would need an agent to obtain matches in the big elimination tournament as the tournament was being conducted on modern business lines and my antique methods would not get me anywhere in New York City.

"Why," I stated, "I am not familiar with these modern methods, but it is my crude system to get as much money as I can and give up as little as possible. This system," I said, "seems to me to be all that business amounts to any way, no matter whether you are modern or old-fashioned."

Mr. Flynn laughed heartily and said that under the modern system business was much different.

"Nowadays," he said, "you have to give up money to make money and the more you give up the more you make. If your bum is a logical contender for the fistic championship you can not get a match for the championship unless you give up a large sum to the champion



I thought, "Well, that paste ought to be good for three bases."

because the titular honors are worth a lot of money and the champion naturally expects you to pay him for giving you the opportunity."

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"WELL," I said to Mr. Flynn, "we do not need any agent and that is final, but if you wish to purchase a share of this great slasher I will sell you a 10 per cent interest for $500."

Mr. Flynn tried to argue with me, but finally he gave me the sum of $500 for 10 per cent, as he thought Harry Grabholtz was a great fighting prospect for fistic supremacy and the next day he came around with a gentleman by the name of Mr. Harris.

"Mr. Harris is the matchmaker of the heavyweight tournament," said Mr. Flynn, "and, of course, he is in a position to get our boy some fine matches in the tournament. But he is not very much interested in him yet, so I thought it would be a smart thing to sell him 10 per cent of our boy, too, so that he will always keep him in mind when there is an easy match in sight for a lot of money."

Well, of course, I pretended that I did not want to sell any more per cent of my galloper, but finally I said I would sell Mr. Harris another 10 per cent for $500 cash.

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AND not long after that Mr. Flynn and Mr. Harris came to the gymnasium where my boy was training and brought a man named Mr. Smith with a very ugly face and a lot of scars.

"Mr. Smith is a great pugilistic trainer and we need him in the firm to teach our bum the finer points of the science of prize fighting," Mr. Flynn said. "But he is not mercenary and he will not accept money for his services, so I thought it would be smart to sell him a 10 per cent interest. If he is part owner of the boy he will put his soul into his work for the love of the game and our bum will receive the very best instruction."

So I accepted $500 from Mr. Smith, and as soon as I did so, Mr. Flynn turned to me in a very rude manner, and said, "Now get out of here, as you do not own any share of this boy any more because you have sold 30 per cent of him and that was all you had in the first place."

My dear sir, I pretended that my feelings were very much hurt about this, and I said, "Mr. Flynn, you have taken advantage of my inexperience to swindle me out of my bum. You will be sorry for this, Mr. Flynn," I stated, and walked away.

Of course, I took my $1,500 and went away from New York City, feeling very well satisfied with my old-fashioned method of doing business. It seemed almost dishonest to me to keep their money, but I told my conscience to keep still, because these three men were trying to swindle me and I had only swindled them back.

But I completely forgot that every time there is a swindle it is passed along until finally it gets to the public.

Two weeks after this group swindled me out of my bum and I swindled them out of their funds I happened to pick up a newspaper and saw an article from New York.

"Harry Grabholtz knocked out in first round by Eddie Sprawl," the article said, and, of course, I started to laugh heartily, but I read on, and finally I read where the article said: "The Messrs. Flynn, Harris & Smith, proprietors of the defeated bum, made a very tidy profit on the transaction, as they had Grabholtz fighting on a salary of $75 a week and the boy's great record, achieved while he was terrorizing the heavyweights out West under the management of Holleran Yell, enabled them to obtain a purse of $25,000 for the contest."

The Kiss of Madagascar

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"'HOW'D you dope it all out, Major?" I asked, when La Peruse, rebandaged and soothed with a strong sedative, had fallen asleep once more.

"He bit the end from a cigar as he replied: 'Just adding a few facts together, Loomis. A knowledge of Madagascar, plus a knowledge of the West Indies, plus a little thought—and there you are.'

"'Take Madagascar, for instance. We know the difficulties the French had subduing the place and every effort the natives made to get back autonomy.

"'When Gallieni and his forces defeated the Hova in 1896 they overthrew one of the most corrupt governments in the world. Ranavalona III had come to the throne by the simple expedient of murdering her predecessor with slow poison. The island's inhabitants consisted of three classes, Andriana, or nobility; the Hova freemen, and the Andevo, or slaves. But actually there were no freemen but the Andriana. They had a custom called fanampoona, which meant simply forced labor. The government would notify a man he was "honored" by being selected to work for it, and work he had to, without compensation.

"'The natural result was the impoverishment of the people and the enrichment of the nobility. The French changed all this. They freed the slaves, forbade fanampoona and made the nobles go to work. You can imagine how popular such a policy was with the ruling classes.

"'La Peruse was one of the leaders in perfecting the new order of things, and he's had more attempts made on his life than any man in the island, I suppose.

"'A little conference with our historical experts and a talk with the French embassy revealed the existence of a well-developed, though unsuccessful, organization among descendants of the Malagasy nobility to assassinate the directors of the colonial administration and restore the old regime.

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"'NOW, when I talked with Prof. Stockton yesterday he not only agreed La Peruse's theory concerning the man-eating tree might be correct; but he told me something that furnished a definite working hypothesis for the cause of La Peruse's illness. It seems there is a beautiful orchid of the epiphyte variety known as Angraecum, which grows on the west coast of Madagascar. But the natives whisper strange stories of a vampire plant, a sort of vegetable leech, which infests the interior. Stockton searched for the thing for months, but never found anything like it. Everywhere he heard of "the Kiss," as they call it—a red, terrible plant that fastened on travelers as they slept and sucked their lives away, but no specimens could be found. He finally abandoned the hunt and decided the strange orchid was only a native myth. However, when he mentioned it, I saw where such a thing—provided it actually existed—could easily account for La Peruse's strange sickness.

"'The next question was: "Who is the logical suspect?" The natives of Madagascar aren't negroes in the generally accepted sense, though their skins are black when they happen to be pure-bloods, unmixed with Malay, Chinese or Hindu stock. These small, straight-haired, regular featured black boys we captured tonight didn't look like ordinary negroes, nor did they talk like them.

"'The fact that you went to sleep after drinking his coffee was even a stronger clue, and the insolent manner in which he alibied himself only served to make my suspicions stronger.

"'I took the precaution to search his room today, and got into every box he had, except one. That was of iron and fastened with two Yale locks. If it hadn't been for two things I'd have thought he had ordinary valuables in it; but I found a box of gold coin in his bureau drawer secured by an ordinary lock, and in another drawer I found a dagger about ten inches long with a waved, razor-edged blade—a Malay kris.

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"'NOW what would a servant have more valuable than a box of gold? If the man were an ordinary servant, as he assumed to be, there was no explanation for his possession of so much gold; but if he were the agent of a conspiracy, well supplied with ready cash from the conspiracy's war chest, it was simple enough. Also, if he were a West Indian, as he claimed, why should he have a Malay kris concealed among his clothes?

"'That's the way I figured it, and I staged our little party last night on those assumptions. I knew he'd hardly try the drugged coffee again unless I gave him an opening, so I pretended to trust him, and everything worked out exactly as I'd figured. Pretending to drink his coffee was one of the hardest things. My shirt front is still sticky where I poured the villainous stuff down my collar.

"'What are you going to do with "the Kiss?"' I asked.

"'Give it to Stockton,' Sturdevant answered with a grin. 'He spent six months looking for a specimen in its native habitat, and now I've got him one right here in Washington.'"

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LOOMIS drew a deep breath and stared hard at Bailey. "Now you see why I can't abide the sight or thought of an orchid," he explained. 'Do you wonder I was horrified when you said you wanted to give your girl some of the awful things? Why, they're all first cousins to 'The Kiss of Madagascar.'"

"Gosh," Bailey commented, "lend me $10 will you? That'll just pay for the violets."

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Woman Realtor, Age 90, Makes "Go-Getters" Hustle

Mrs. Edward Black, woman realtor of Philadelphia, who has recently reached the age of 90, has the young "go-getters" of the profession hustling. During the past year, alone, she has acquired enough rich contracts coveted by other great firms to make her a serious competitor in the field.

"I have heard a lot of criticism of modern business methods and sharp dealings, but they have never worried me," she smiled, when interviewed by the American Magazine.

Mrs. Black took over her husband's business in 1905 when he died, and not only retained all the old clients of the firm but has added enough more to make it a leading concern. She arrives at her office daily at 9 o'clock and remains until 3 without stopping for lunch, and then rides ten miles home in a street car. She has no children, but resides with a niece. Mrs. Black's office is on the third floor of a building opposite Independence Hall, a quarter of the city which is her favorite from girlhood, and climbs two flights of stairs every morning to reach it.

The oldest real estate woman in America, was born in Bordentown, N. J., and went to Philadelphia as a bride in 1863.

A Half Century of River Piloting

Captain "Bill" Luckett Has Spent 26 of Those Years Piloting Presidents, Notable Foreign Dignitaries and Royalty on Cruises—Recalls Interesting Days on the Potomac.

By JOHN LEO COONTZ.

WILLIAM LUCKETT, 408 Sixth street southeast, could append a very interesting title to his name if he would. But he won't; so that's that. Fortunately, however, there is no objection on his part to others appending it. And doing so his name reads something like this: Capt. William Luckett, pilot to the President of the United States, high Government officials, foreign dignitaries, royalty persona — and "Lindy." And don't forget the "Lindy"—last but by no means the least.

For 26 years Capt. "Bill"—as Mr. Luckett, now in his seventy-fourth year, is known to his friends—has been officially piloting in an unofficial capacity up and down the Potomac River the presidential yacht the Mayflower, and down and up foreign guests, dignitaries, premiers, kings, admirals, &c., on their way to pay their respects to the Chief of the Nation or honor to the great Washington at Mount Vernon.



Henry Miller Service.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge aboard the Mayflower while Capt. Luckett was acting as pilot.

Whenever the President desires to take a "spin" in the famous sylph of the sea Capt. "Bill" is forthwith communicated with by the navy yard. The presidential wish is made known to him and soon the venerable river pilot is on his way down to the historic wheel.

Capt. "Bill" knows the old Potomac better than any skipper who navigates it, if years of navigation will admit of such a comparative term. He has been riding it for 48 years, and some mighty good yarns and eventful impressions has he got. But let him tell the story:

"Yes, I've piloted the Mayflower on every trip but one * * * I was away that time. * * * I brought her up the river in 1902 when President Roosevelt chose her for his pleasure craft * * * that was her maiden trip. * * * You see she had been in service in the Spanish-American War. * * * She was first a pleasure craft built by Ogden Goelet in 1896. * * * She was covered with armor during the war * * * a light cruiser. I have had as passengers on her every President since Mr. Roosevelt * * * Mr. Taft, Wilson, Harding and Mr. Coolidge, their wives, friends of the families, distinguished guests from abroad, royalty, &c.

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"WE'VE had some mighty good times on the Mayflower. Mr. Coolidge, I think, enjoys her more than any other President. He is entirely different from the others. He loves the movies, is a great smoker and comes down to the Mayflower for rest. Mr. Coolidge goes more than any other President ever went. He uses the yacht for quiet reflection and the studying out of Government matters. He always has a party aboard and they enjoy a genuine cruise. Mrs. Collidge? She's a real woman. Everybody's fond of her; she is so jolly and good to be around.

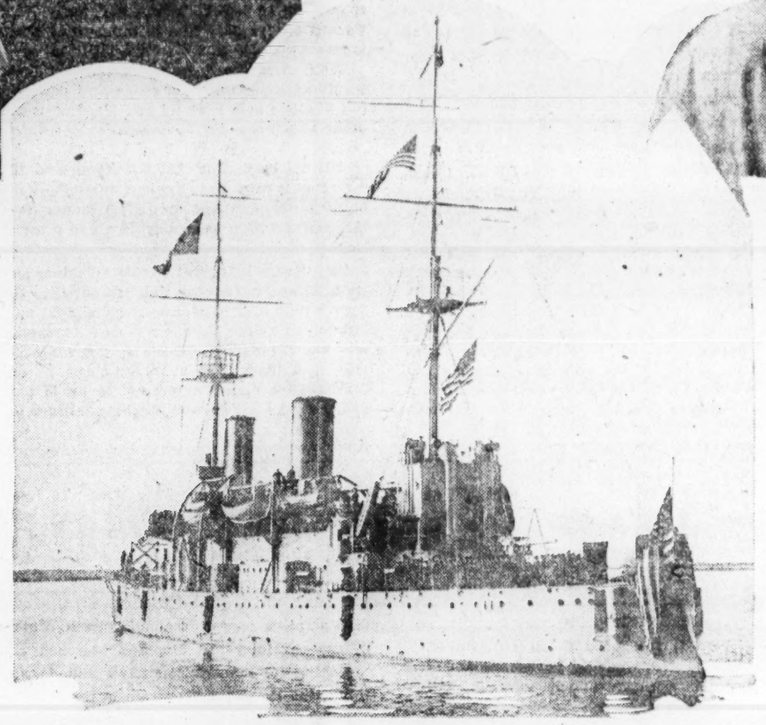
"Mr. Wilson never had anybody aboard much but the members of his family. He was a great family party man. He was very quiet aboard; spent a great deal of his time reading. I remember once when he was on we went to Fredericksburg and he went over to Stratford, the birthplace of Robert E. Lee. Sometimes Mrs. Wilson's mother was along on the cruise. Mr. Wilson used the Mayflower almost entirely as a pleasure craft. After the war came on he never came. After the war he was too ill.

"Mr. Taft used the Mayflower for friends and his enjoyment of them. And so did Mr. Harding. Mr. Harding always had the vessel loaded with friends. To him it was a source of pleasure, and he enjoyed it to the extreme. He was a 'real fellow;' very pleasant, loved to cruise along the coast going to Philadelphia.

"Oh, Mr. Roosevelt? He was the most popular President we ever had. He was beloved by the navy yard and all the men. He was a real character, very democratic and he and Mrs. Roosevelt spent nearly all their time together—reading. He never knew what it was to be still—unless he was asleep—and I bet he wasn't then.

"One time I remember passing Mount Vernon with Mr. Roosevelt aboard. Rear Admiral Long was then lieutenant commander—in command of the Mayflower. As we passed the former home and tomb of Washington the usual naval ceremony in passing was carried out. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt were on the rear part of the bridge. He asked for the origin of the ceremony. None could give it to him. He made a notation in a book. Later he got in touch with the Mayflower commander and made the ceremony a part of the regulation of the vessel in passing the historic and sacred spot. Today we half-mast our colors as we pass, toll our bell and sound taps. If there is a band aboard vessel, it plays the 'Stars and Stripes.'

"Mr. Roosevelt, I believe, was the best sailor of them all. I took the Mayflower with him on it down to Cape Henry when the American fleet made its memorable journey around the world. We watched the fleet go out. And those Roosevelt boys—they were the liveliest lot you ever saw. Always at something—never still a moment. A fine bunch of youngsters.



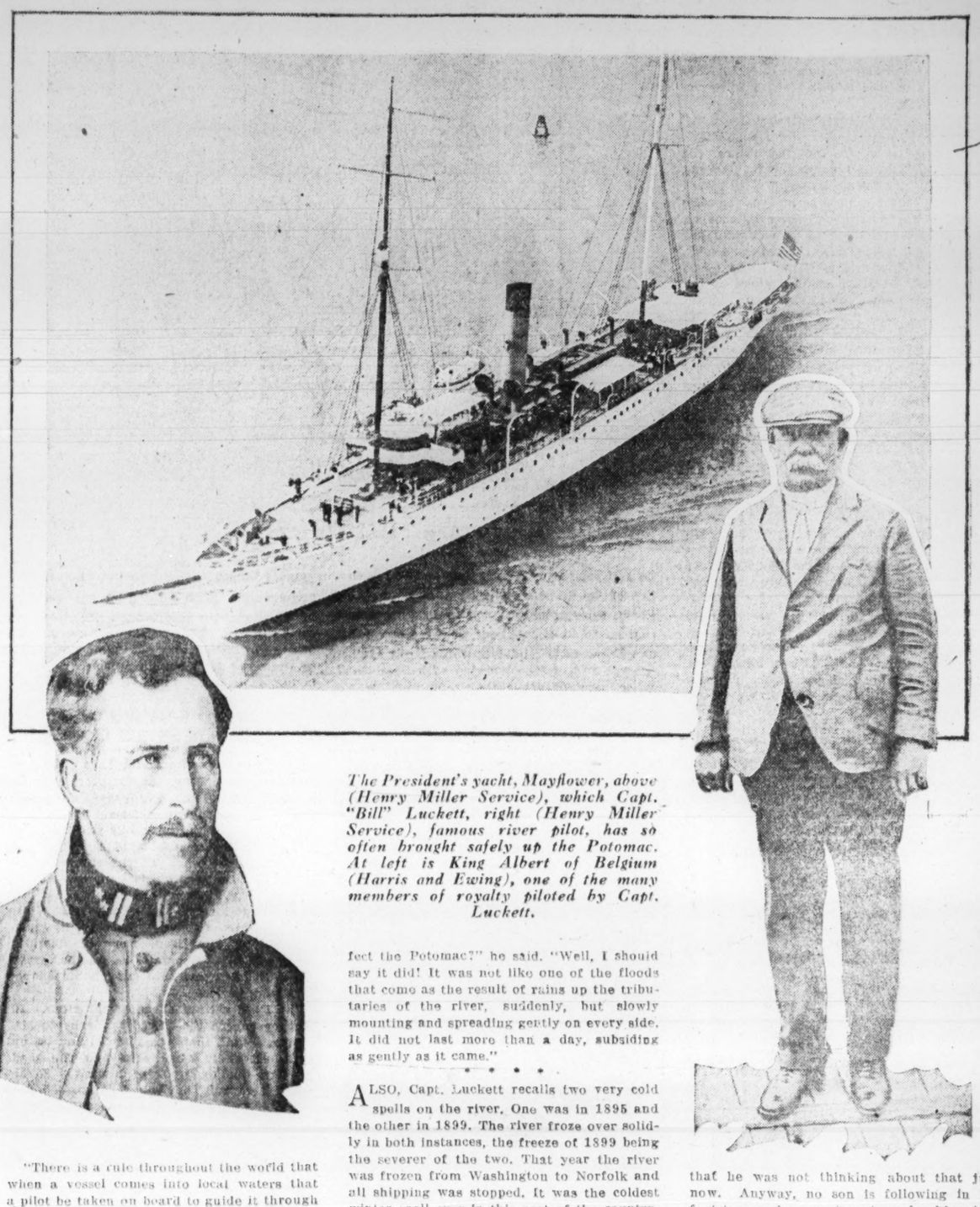
Kadel and Herbert.

The historic U. S. S. Olympia with flags at half mast as, piloted by Capt. Luckett, it conveyed the body of the Unknown Soldier to Washington.

"OH, yes, I have seen all the royal ones and the big ones that have ever come to Washington and piloted the most of them down or up the river. There are Foch, Viviani, Balfour, the King of Belgium and the queen—Albert and Elizabeth—and the crown prince, the Japanese prince and Sir Admiral Peckinham, when he come in H. M. S. the Raleigh in 1922. I had the honor of bringing up from Piney Point the Olympic bearing the body of the Unknown Soldier back to American soil.

"Yes, I brought 'Lindy' up the river. My, that was the greatest crowd I ever saw in my life. It was a different occasion from the Unknown Soldier. That was a sad time. But when 'Lindy' came all was gay and young. It was perfect weather, and the river was lined from Piney Point all the way up by people waving and shouting to 'Lindy,' and airplanes flying and roaring overhead. There must have been 25,000 people on the docks at Alexandria to watch us pass. * * * He's a real American boy—'Lindy.' I never remember a time equal to the time I brought him up the river. There will never be another such a grand time.

"King Albert of Belgium is very democratic. He is a royal good mixer. I was much impressed with him. I liked him very much. You would have never thought him a king. We didn't see much of the queen, but I understand that she is very popular like her husband. I took Premier Viviani of France and Lord Balfour of England down to Mount Vernon in 1919, when they came to this country for the first foreign loan in 1917. I did not get to see much of them. It was wartime, you know. Secretary of Navy Daniels was often down the river on the business of Government during the war. In 1918 I piloted Senator Weeks and Admiral Uria, his guest, down the Potomac to Mount Vernon. The Prince of Wales did not go down by water when he made his American visit. It was too bad I did not get to include him in my list. It disappointed me.



The President's yacht, Mayflower, above (Henry Miller Service), which Capt. "Bill" Luckett, right (Henry Miller Service), famous river pilot, has so often brought safely up the Potomac. At left is King Albert of Belgium (Harris and Ewing), one of the many members of royalty piloted by Capt. Luckett.

"There is a rule throughout the world that when a vessel comes into local waters that a pilot be taken on board to guide it through the channel into port. That accounts for my long service on the Potomac. I never had an accident, I am proud to say—no boat was ever lost by me or in a wreck. I lost a finger aboard one time in a slight accident, but that was nothing. The big thing is to have a clean record for taking your boat out and bringing it in safe.

"There is one pilot older than I am navigating the river—if he is still at it—I guess. That is Capt. Marmaduke of the Norfolk line. He is probably older than I, although I am not sure. I was licensed a pilot in 1880. First I was a wheelman. My first boat was the Martha Washington. I guess there are not many around here now who remember that old boat and rode on it in those days. It plied between this city and Mount Vernon. I was associated with Capt. L. L. Blake and Capt. William Skinner then.

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"LATER I left the Martha Washington and went to Norfolk, where I was on the George Leary, Jane Mosely, Lady of the Lake and Excelsior, respectively. The Excelsior was the first boat I was ever captain of and I can tell you I was mighty proud of the day I was intrusted with it. No, there hasn't been much change on the river since those days. You know, the river doesn't change much—except its channel. The boats are about the same, the people the same—except they dress differently now. In those days the ladies wore long dresses that swept the ground and beaux were known as 'dandies.' I believe now we have what you call 'flappers' and 'sheiks.' But the people of those days danced on the river as they do now and everybody had a good time. Then it was quite the fashion for men to get drunk; but that is passed. And right here let me say that no man who drinks is ever intrusted with a boat. It is too dangerous. There are lives at stake as well as property on the river, and a captain must be reliable. He has a lot of responsibility upon his shoulders.

"Anyway, in 1892 the Norfolk and Washington Line came into existence, buying out the river line between here and Quantico. I went with them as first officer on the steamer Washington. Later I became captain. I stayed with them until 1902. In this year I became associated with the Mayflower and I have been going around with it ever since, but am what you call in newspapers—a free—free lance sort of pilot. I am always at the service of the Government and they have (the navy yard) always called upon me when the Mayflower is to be taken out or some boat to be brought in.

Capt. "Bill" is hale and hearty despite his 74 years, a rugged, physical character, the result, no doubt, of his nearly 50 years of salt air and clean living. He is quite proud of all his associations with the great and the near-great of every civilized country. "They give a man a fine philosophy of life," says he.

He recalls distinctly the great Johnstown flood (Johnstown, Pa.), in 1889. "Did it affect the Potomac?" he said. "Well, I should say it did! It was not like one of the floods that come as the result of rains up the tributaries of the river, suddenly, but slowly mounting and spreading gently on every side. It did not last more than a day, subsiding as gently as it came."

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ALSO, Capt. Luckett recalls two very cold spells on the river. One was in 1895 and the other in 1899. The river froze over solidly in both instances, the freeze of 1899 being the severer of the two. That year the river was frozen from Washington to Norfolk and all shipping was stopped. It was the coldest winter spell ever in this part of the country, said he. The thermometer dropped to 16 below zero and there was much suffering from exposure and lack of comfortable housing.

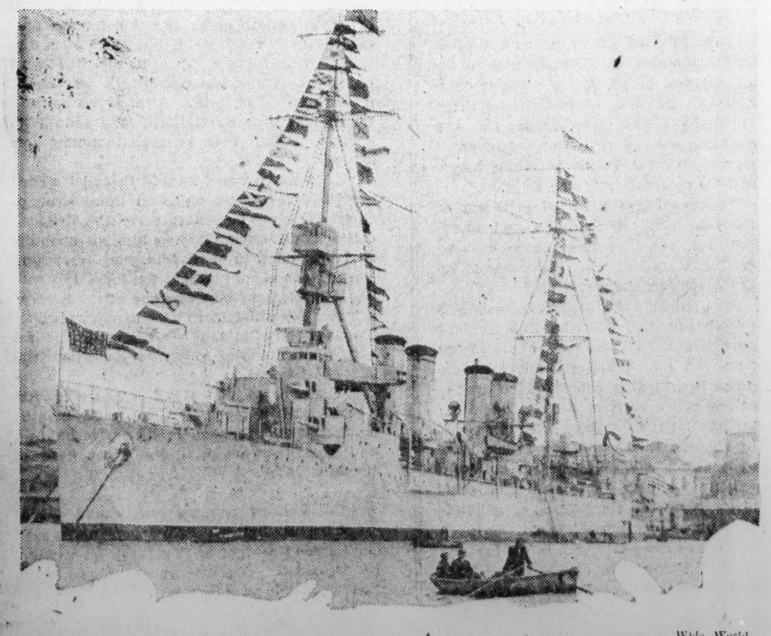
"Where was I born and why did I take to piloting on the river? Well, it don't hardly seem natural. I was born right here in Washington and spent my youth like many another boy of the time foolin' along the river hunting and fishing. When I was 26 years old I started in to working steady on the boats that ran on the river and before long I was clipping it off pretty steady up and down stream."

Capt. Luckett weighs about 200 pounds, is 6 feet or thereabouts tall, with a keen, penetrating blue eye inclined to gray and that never-failing courtesy of men accustomed to give and receive orders. "Yes, sir" and "no, sir," mark every answer given to direct questions, and "sir" to one not caught at the moment.

Asked if he were training any one to take his place some day, the captain gave a deep bass laugh and informed the interviewer that he was not thinking about that just now. Anyway, no son is following in his footsteps and no protege is under his wing.

The captain is deeply interested in men and events—men who are making history and whom at some time or other he has carried safely from one end of his route to the other. He is happily married, his wife being his junior by several years. "I married late in life," said he, "and we have the happiest of homes, though you often hear it said that late marriages are not the happiest."

The captain is deeply interested in the widening and deepening of the Potomac channel. "In old times," said he, "boats did not have as much draft as they have today. Twelve and fourteen feet was the rule then; today it is 24. And the channel should be widened to 300 feet. Twenty-four feet deep 300 feet wide—that's it."



Wide World.

Cruiser Memphis, decorated to bring Lindbergh to Washington. Capt. Luckett was pilot on this occasion.



Former President (now Chief Justice) William Howard Taft and Mrs. Taft, who enjoyed many hours on the Mayflower with Capt. Luckett as pilot.

Are Our Floods Caused by Earthquakes?

Possibly, Says Commander N. H. Heck, Seismology Expert of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. He Proposes an Immediate Probe of the Mississippi Valley Earthquake Situation.

By JAMES NEVIN MILLER.

IN the very heart of the Mississippi Valley, birthplace of the greatest flood that has devastated the Midwest in years, is an earthquake region which back in 1811-12 gave rise to three of the most serious quakes of all American history. Just what the precise relationship between earth spasms and disastrous floods may be is not known today, but the time is ripe for investigation by the trained men of science, according to Commander N. H. Heck, director of seismological study of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Commander Heck points out that last summer, when the great flood was at its height, further panic was caused by a minor quake in the Mississippi Valley which occasioned the fear that the intense concentration of load along a line of the earth's crust due to the flood might cause a more serious cataclysm.

Since 1811, some 32 earthquakes have occurred in the Mississippi Valley around the region of New Madrid, Mo. One of the most severe of the recent shocks took place on April 9, 1917, and there have been occasional minor tremors of later date.

We are accustomed to think of the California quake of 1906 as a stupendous tragedy. Indeed it was, yet its influence scarcely was noticed east of Nevada. Contrasting the California tremor with those that have occurred around New Madrid, a surprising situation reveals itself. Three earthquakes took place between December 16, 1811, and February 7, 1812, and each was severe, being felt so acutely throughout the United States and Canada, from the Great Plains to the Atlantic Ocean, that they might literally be termed, "continent shakers." In terms of area shaken, no other quakes on record on the entire American continent compare with these tremors of an almost forgotten past. In fact, they are among the 20 greatest of all history.

However, Commander Heck says there is no cause for immediate alarm. Says he: "It is useless at present to figure possibilities based on these earthquakes because we do not know whether the immense accumulated strains in the earth have been permanently relieved nor do we know whether further activity will occur at some other place. There may never again be such an earthquake in North America and yet there may be another preparing at the present time. It is this situation of ignorance which can not go on indefinitely without serious investigation of American scientists, particularly since other countries, notably Soviet Russia, are establishing large numbers of seismograph stations to study regions with far less potential earthquake risk."

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VARIOUS theories have been presented to account for earthquakes in the New Madrid district. Under the old theory, which associated earthquakes with volcanic activities, a great shock would be impossible in the Mississippi Valley. Recently, however, it has become evident that most earthquakes occur along the rim of continents, where mountains approach the shores—in the oceanic groups which in general represent submerged mountains—and beneath the seas in places where there is a rapid change of slope, notably in the great ocean troughs, numerous in the oceans, which parallel mountainous coasts or island groups. Only occasionally does a great midcontinental quake occur.

Earthquakes under consideration by Commander Heck are the result of a slipping process along a line of fracture in the rocky portion of the earth's crust. The process is in turn a release of accumulated strain which must be and is relieved by a sudden slipping of earth which science terms an earthquake. The question of the exact cause of the strain is controversial, yet among the most likely sources are erosion and sedimentation, which continue on a large scale and transfer materials from one place to another so as to alter substantially the load on the earth's crust.

An interesting theory which appears to throw light on the subject is the theory of isostasy, developed in great part by Dr. William Bowie and the late Dr. John Hartford, both of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, and internationally recognized as two of the world's greatest geodesists. The theory holds that huge blocks of the earth's crust, perhaps 100 miles square and 60 miles deep, are in a state of balance and that in order to maintain this balance the materials composing and underlying the sea bottom are of greater than average density.

However, as the result of rainfall and the flow of streams there is a constant transfer of sediment from the high to the low places. After the transfer has continued for a long time a considerable load thereby has been conveyed from one portion of the earth's crust to another, destroying the balance. Accordingly, some process must be going on far beneath the earth's surface which plays a dominant role in the procedure of destruction. Otherwise the balance obviously could not long survive. It seems not unlikely, however, that this process of adjustment meantime creates stratas in the earth's crust. If such is the case the result must be the application of stress something like that involved in an ordinary testing machine and on a scale that well nigh staggers the imagination.

If quakes generally come into being in connection with nature's plan of mountain building, how, then, can science explain the occurrence of the quake in the Panhandle of Texas in 1925, which apparently was remote from any mountain district? The answer is that mountain chains oftentimes are buried so far beneath the surface of the earth as not to be discernible to the human eye. In the case of the Panhandle quake, borings for oil revealed the existence of a submerged mountain ridge with steep slopes extending considerably to the east and west. A continuation of that ancient mountain exists in modern form today, some 200 miles away, in the Wichita Mountains of western Oklahoma. At the place where the quake occurred, the top of the ridge is buried 2,500 feet below the surface, and from the ridge the sides of the mountains drop off at a steep angle. Nature's plan of mountain building seems to be in evidence here, after all. So it is not unreasonable to expect the recurrence of an earthquake in the Panhandle region one of these days.

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PROBABLY the Panhandle quake was born somewhere along the mountain's steep flanks, and the fact, to Commander Heck, means that it is high time scientists investigated to a really thorough degree the other possible buried formations. For instance, there is the geological situation around the southeast flanks of the Ozark Mountains. Here in abundance are older rocks buried considerably below great thicknesses of unconsolidated materials—older rocks whose maneuvers undoubtedly occasioned the earthquake slips of the vicinity.

In such regions as Japan and California there are numerous points where earthquakes may be studied at first hand, since the slipping actually occurs at the surface as well as beneath it. But unfortunately, in great river basins like the Mississipi, where the older rocks lie buried deep under unconsolidated sediment, very little more can be observed than the effects of a tremor on the sediments themselves. However, there are interesting secondary phenomena in abundance—gravity waves which are set up in areas of unconsolidated material by the earthquake waves; topographic changes involving either the raising or the lowering of the earth's surface; and disturbances of ground water.

As for the gravity waves, they are great waves on the earth's surface which occur commonly in soft ground of regions of most severe intensity. Particularly interesting to the engineer are their implications because they suddenly form such progressive fissures that it is difficult to imagine how even the most carefully devised structures can withstand their maneuvers successfully. Usually the fissures come into being in earth formations that do not possess sufficient elasticity to adjust themselves to the quick-moving undulations of the waves.

Concerning the topographic features—four States today bear unmistakable witness to the early quakes born near New Madrid. Their surface was altered to the extent of no less than an area of 30,000 to 50,000 square miles. Regarded by the uninformed as of long standing, many topographic features in eastern Arkansas, southeastern Missouri and western Tennessee and Kentucky actually owe their existence to the New Madrid tremors of only slightly over 100 years ago. In some places, portions of ground were sunk as deep as 15 feet, though the average depression was nearer 5 to 8 feet.

Certain well-known lakes notably Reelfoot Lake, in Tennessee, were formed from the same cause and the course of the St. Francis River was altered materially.

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CONSIDERING the disturbance of ground water by earthquakes, Commander Heck points out that in the Mississippi Valley quakes of 1811-12, ejection of water and sand was considerable over a vast area. The sand came from beds of quicksand normally buried from sight. Newly formed craterlets, with rims rising far above the surrounding soil, were numerous. One actually towered in the air more than 100 feet and there were many ranging from 10 to 15 feet in height. Numerous crevices formed by the gravity waves were filled with sand and may be viewed today.

Facing squarely the issue concerning whether quakes actually seem to have a serious bearing on endeavors aiming for flood control, Commander Heck points to these facts about the early New Madrid quakes: Considerable caving-in of banks took place at the time with corresponding sliding of earth and trees into the Mississippi, islands were uprooted bodily and washed away; and the river itself reversed its direction of flow for several hours, though the cause probably was the filling of the great sunken earthquake craters into newly formed lakes.

It is significant that along with these tremendous changes on land and water there was no loss of life back in those fearsome early days. However, the fact may be ascribed, Commander Heck believes, to the consideration that the prevailing structure was the log cabin, which is admirably suited to resist earth tremors—almost as much so as the justly famed bamboo structures of the Orient.

If today the vital problem confronting the American seismologist is, as Commander Heck points out, a question of thorough investigation of each potential center of maximum earthquake activity, notably that in the Middle West, what will the probable procedure be? Let us turn to California and note the main phases of the important investigation now underway headed by the advisory committee in seismology of the Carnegie Institution of Washington. In addition to various private institutions and individuals, the Federal and State governments are cooperating. Particularly advantageous for research work is the region because, as has been pointed out earlier, many of the California quakes are readily observable near the surface. The plan includes the operation of suitable seismographs in sufficient numbers and properly located with reference to the earthquake zones so as to insure location of those earthquakes even of minor intensity. Other features of the survey include precise triangulation, which may be defined as the location of points of land with respect to accurate measurement of their position; and the leveling of the area to determine surface movements due to regional stress; and geological investigation of the earthquake zones.

The progress of a like investigation in the Mississippi Valley, experts point out, would be handicapped by the fact that quakes are far less observable near the surface. However, on a modest scale, Dr. James B. Meelwane, S. J., of St. Louis University, has already formulated such a probe. It includes the establishment of seismographs, or earthquake-recording devices, at six stations to be located in southern Illinois, western Kentucky, western Missouri, southern Missouri, northeastern Arkansas, and near St. Louis. The station Dr. Meelwane established recently at Florissant, Mo., near St. Louis, is the first step in his plan. It has the most modern equipment and is advantageously placed.

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DR. MEELWANE is working steadily toward the end of persuading the various State geological surveys, educational institutions and other interested bodies to cooperate in providing the rest of the seismograph stations and their maintenance. He offers the use of his splendid laboratory facilities as well as the expert advice of himself and his assistants.

It is significant, Commander Heck believes, that in Dr. Meelwane and his assistants, the Middle West, for the first time in its history, has a group of seismologists capable in every respect of undertaking the solution of the perplexing earthquake problems of the region.

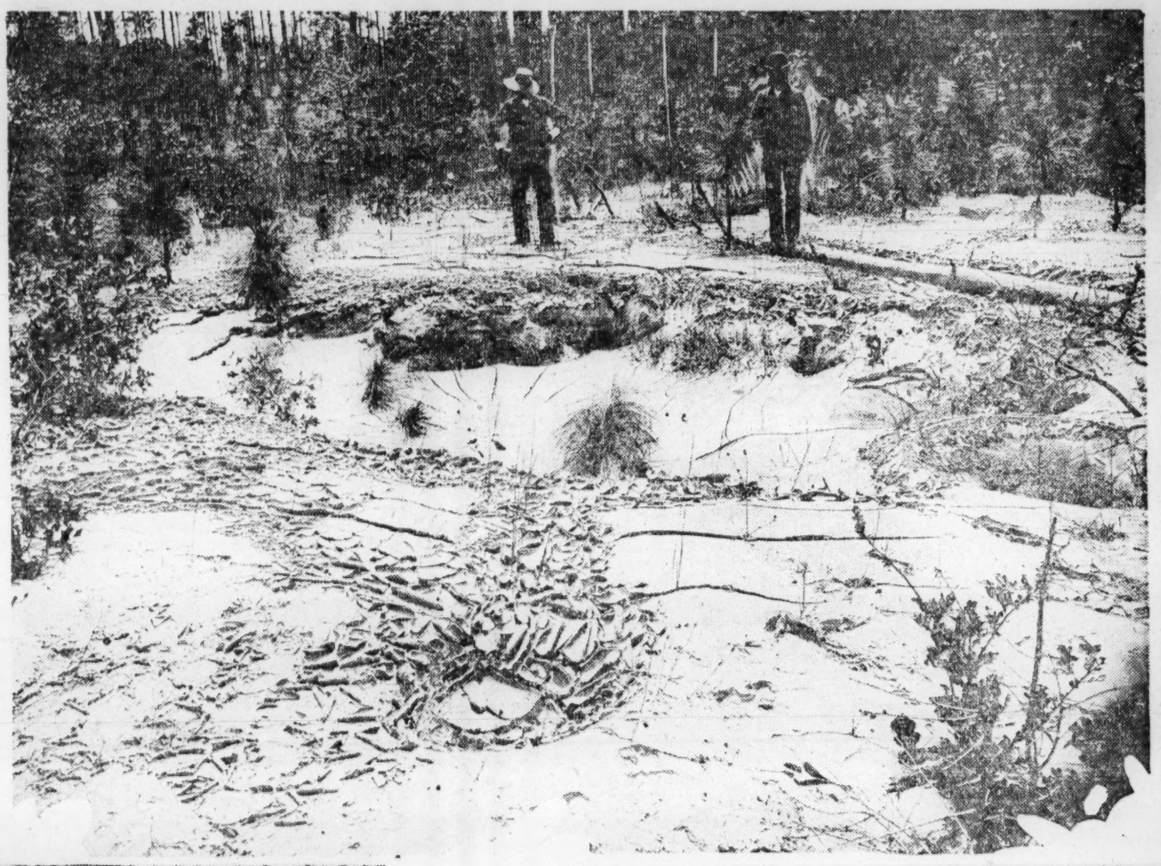
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Dr. Meelwane's proposal is indorsed by Dr. Arthur Day, chairman of the advisory committee on seismology of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, who has been directing the California investigation. The latter activity, however, requires all the available resources of the committee, so the Carnegie Institution probably will not take a direct part in the new project, though it offers advice and encouragement.

A like situation exists in the case of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, the Government's official earthquake investigation body. The organization's seismologists heartily indorse Dr. Meelwane's plan and hope the investigation may be extended to the Ohio Valley and to the entire Ozark region. However, the facilities of the survey are fully absorbed by its work of national scope and the body as yet can hardly do regional earthquake work of a highly concentrated character.

Summing up his beliefs on the earthquake situation in the Mississippi Valley, Commander Heck says: "It would seem to be desirable to have extensive leveling and triangulation done, since not only will the resulting data be of value in the study of earth movements, but they will be invaluable

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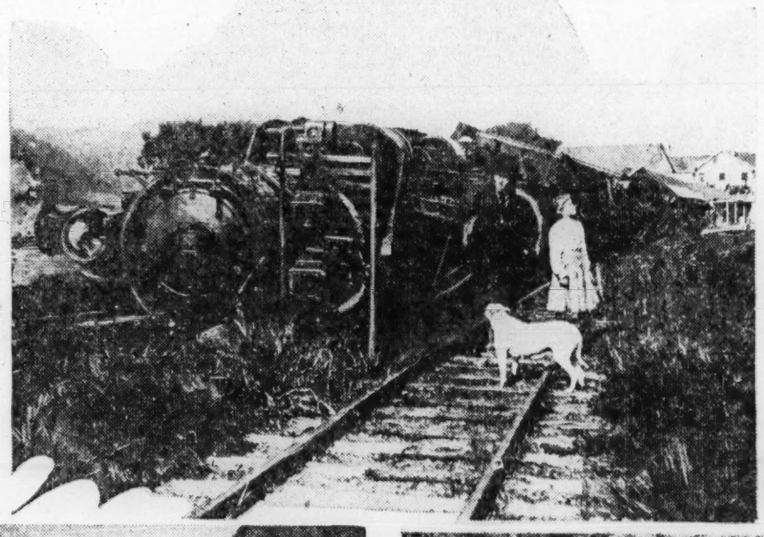


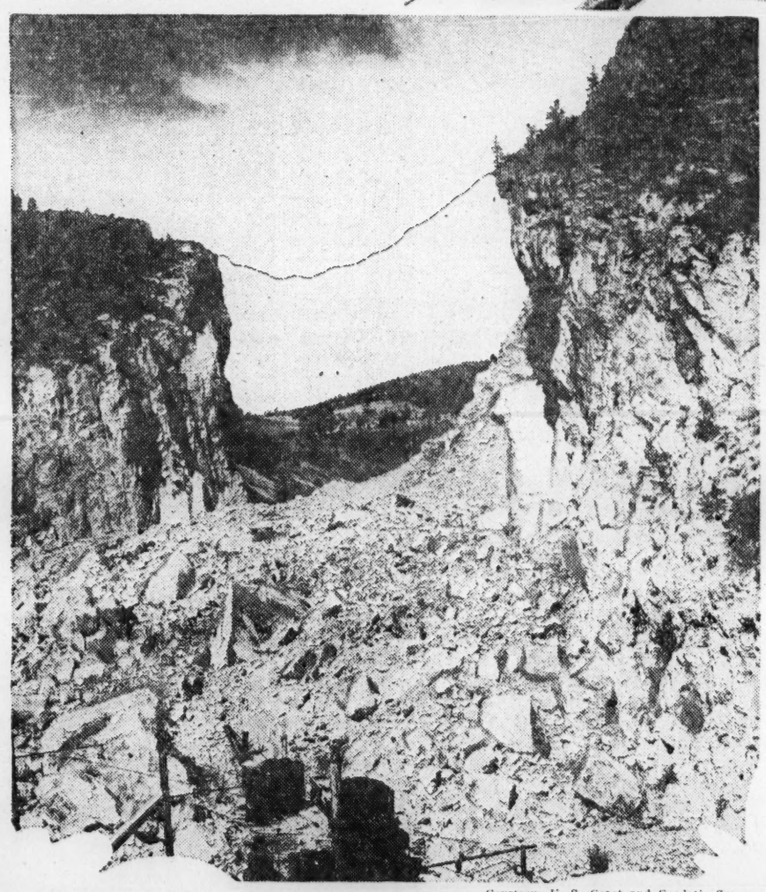
Courtesy, Geological Survey.

Striking example of what earthquakes have done to the landscape throughout the Middle West. This "crater" lake, deep-set and filled with sand, is typical of earthquake regions in the Mississippi Valley.

Below—A plaything of the great California quake of 1906—the convulsion lifted this train from the tracks as if it were a toy.

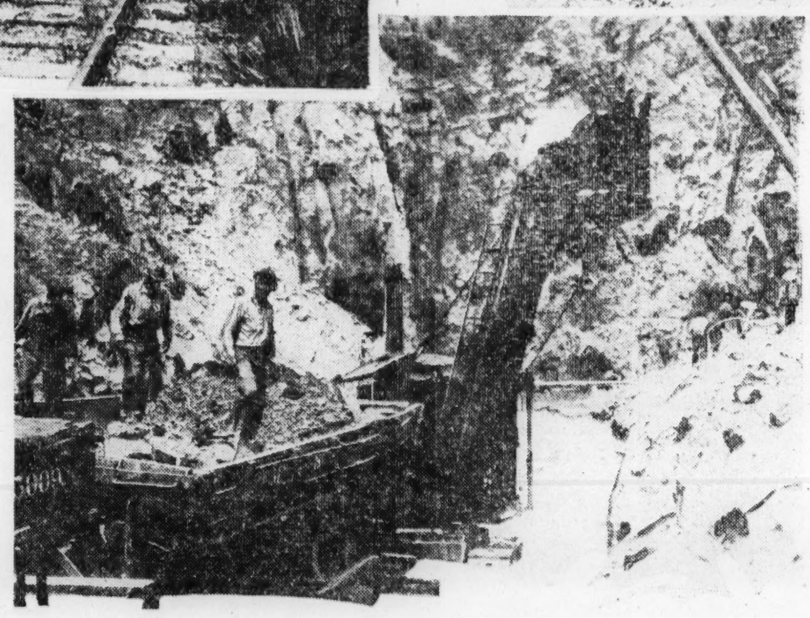
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Had the "Olympian," crack western flier, been a few seconds slower, it would have been buried under the thousands of tons of rocks which the great Montana quake of 1925 sent roaring into this massive canyon. Dotted line shows approximate outline of the cliff before the slide.



Modern man's amazing ability to combat the earthquake menace is demonstrated strikingly here. The great Montana quake of 1925 toppled thousands of tons of rocks into this creek channel. Yet a few minutes later, man's especially devised machinery enabled him to burrow his way through again.



Courtesy U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Measuring thousands of miles with a tapeline—Commander N. H. Heck, earthquake expert of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey at Washington, locating the actual position of a quake. After receiving reports on the tremor from the survey's six stations, Commander Heck takes this ordinary globe of the world and draws the arc of a circle with the radius extending from the station as a focal point. Where the lines of these arcs cross is the rough location of the earthquake.

The Married Life of Helen and Warren

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

Creator of the "Helen and Warren" Characters

A Dinner de Luxe Begins and Ends With the Caviar Course

"DEAR, I'm not a bit in the mood for a smart restaurant," demurred Helen. "I'd much rather go over to the Latin Quarter!"

"Well, this is Barton's dinner," shrugged Warren, as they skirted the tables of a sidewalk cafe. "He's keen about the place—says it's the best in Paris."

Turning off from the pulsing boulevard into the Rue Daunou.

A hectic jam of honking taxis. Electric signs winking through the dusk. Hurrying, chattering groups. The contagious animation of before-dinner Paris.

"Here we are!" pausing at a sedate doorway guarded by a liveried attendant.

Inside, an atmosphere of expensive exclusiveness.

A mulberry-and-ivory chasteness. Ivory-paneled walls, mulberry taffeta curtains, and velvet-cushioned ivory chairs.

Only a few diners, but all in evening dress.

"We're guests of Mr. Barton," Warren informed the suave headwaiter. "I think he's reserved a table."

"M. Barton?" consulting a list in his hand. "Ah, oui, oui!" now eagerly respectful. "This way, monsieur, if you please."

Leading them up the mulberry carpeted stairs. Ceremoniously ushering them into a private room.

A jewel box of a Louis XVI room. Gilt and blue satin. Cherub-painted ceiling.

A candle-lit table, set for four. An elaborate floral centerpiece. At each plate a gardenia boutonniere and an impressive assortment of glasses.

"Great guns!" amazed Warren. "Didn't expect a blow-out like this!"

"Pardon, monsieur?" lifting an uncomprehending eyebrow.

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RECEIVING no answer, he bowingly withdrew.

"Can't see why Barton's putting up such a front for us," Warren threw his hat and stick on a marble console.

"A private room—and we're not even dressed!" dismayed Helen.

"Special menu, too," taking up a decorated card. "Just lamp that!"

"And a vintage wine with each course! Think what this dinner costs here."

"Yes, these are the fancy dives that soak Americans. All right to blow us to some real food—but why all the trimmings?"

"And that time they dined with us! The simplest dinner—and Nora burnt the roast! Shall I take my hat off?" now before the console mirror. "Oh, a birthday——"

A candle-studded cake on the serving table with the wine.

"Forty-two," counted Helen, with patient curiosity. "It must be his—she's not that old. A birthday dinner—that's why it's so elaborate."

"Huh, he might've tipped me off. Time they showed up," scowling at the ormolu clock. "He said 7:30—ten of 8 now."

"Aren't they at the Continental?" pinning on a gardenia. "That's not far."

"Golly, this is a great feed!" Warren again studied the card. "Sole Royale. Truffled quail stuffed with foie gras—that's the grub to train down on! And crepes Suzette."

"And those peaches!" the cotton-imbedded fruit conspicuous on the side table. "The most expensive thing in Paris!"

A discreet knock, and the headwaiter reentered.

"Monsieur just telephoned from St. Cloud. Their car broke down. They will be delayed—he says you should not wait. We will serve now."

"No, no, we'll wait," protested Warren. "No hurry—got all evening."

"Ah, monsieur has insisted," disappearing before they could further protest.

A few moments later the caviar served with all the ceremony due that extravagant delicacy.

Individual portions in fish-shaped ice molds. Served with limes, toast, minced egg yolk and grated onion.

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THE sommelier opening a bottle of Chablis. An impressive dust-filmed bottle. Reverently pouring the straw-colored wine.

"Fresh caviar!" glowed Helen, when both waiters withdrew. "The one thing I've never had enough of!"

"Well, this ought to be enough—generous dose. Shame to dig into it without the Bartons. After 8," verifying the clock by his watch. "We should've waited—they'll turn up pretty soon."

"Dear, if we wait now these molds will melt," squeezing on more lime.

"Jove, you're a little gourmand about caviar! Well, we'll make 'em hold up the next course. That Chablis great—like to know the year."

Stepping over to the side table, he examined the encrusted label.

"1911! That's a good Rhine wine year—guess it was good all over."

The fresh caviar and vintage Chablis had their mellowing effect. Warren leaning back contentedly, again studying the menu with epicurean anticipation.

"Better hold the rest of the dinner," when the waiter removed their plates.

"They come now, monsieur. With more guests—we make two more places."

"More guests?" staring at the open door.

Two couples in evening clothes. Obviously Americans, but——

Not the Bartons!

A pompous, florid man, apparently the host, stepped forward.

"What does this mean?" his brusque demand.

"You must have the wrong room," Warren rose unperturbed.

"I have?" belligerently. "This is the room and the dinner I ordered! What are you doing here?"

"You're crazy!" bristling at the insulting tone. "We're guests of Mr. Barton. Where's that chesty captain? Send him here."

The frightened waiter scurried out.

Helen acutely embarrassed. Feeling drab and colorless beside these richly gowned women. A girl in a green-gold wrap and a middle-aged woman in ermine.

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"THIS is my dinner, I tell you!" the man snatched a card from the table. "I ordered every dish on here. How did you crash in?"

"See here, I don't like your language," with a threatening glare. "You'd better go easy."

"Is that so? What about that cake? I suppose I didn't order that for my guest's birthday?" indicating the prosperous middle-aged man, still in the doorway.

"By George, maybe you are right!" Warren stared at the many-candled cake. "Where's that headwaiter? He parked us here——"

"Oh, he did?" with a sneer. "Told you to start in without your host, too?"

"Yes, he did!" explosively. "Said Barton phoned to go ahead—their car broke down."

"That the best you can think up? You'd better——"

The maitre d'hotel bursting in. His suavity dispelled. Gestured, excited French.

"He says you asked for Mr. Barclay—claimed you were my guest!"

"That's a lie! I asked for Barton!" bellowed Warren. "That jabbering pinhead steered us in here."

"Ah, monsieur, Barton—Barclay! I did not understand," a why-expect-me-to shrug. A thousand pardons!"

"Well, you're to blame much as he is. Couldn't you see this was a special dinner?" offensively. "Why didn't you find out—before you started in on it?"

"It's just a mistake, Frank," the girl threw off her green-gold wrap. "Why get so upset?"

"Give me the bill for that wine and caviar," Warren turned to the headwaiter. "I'll pay for what we had."

"Ah, no, no, monsieur, it is our mistake! We will make it right."

"Can't make it right with me for being insulted by this fourflusher!"

"Who're you calling a fourflusher?" blustering.

"Come, dear," whispered Helen. "Please——"

"I'm not through with this bird yet!" shaking her off. "What'd you say your name was? Barclay, eh? Don't happen to know a Jimmy Carter, do you?"

"Why—what do you mean?" he spluttered, redder still. "What—what——"

"Now don't get excited. "I'm not going to pull anything here. But you'd better learn to be civil—you can't afford not to be."

"I—I'm sorry if I lost my temper. I didn't recognize you——"

"Well, we'll forget it," Warren again nonchalant, superior. "I don't want to spoil your party."

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THE other couple staring in amazement at their host's sudden change from insolence to anxious apology.

Helen flushed and tremulous, gathering her things from the blue satin sofa.

"I show you your table, monsieur," the chastened headwaiter followed them out.

"Better locate the right one this time," chuckled Warren his confidence restored.

"Dear, what is it? What did you mean?" tensely, as they returned down the velvet stairs. "Who is Jimmy Carter?"

"He is one of the slickest con men in the game. Operating in Paris now—too hot for him in New York after he trimmed Archie Schuyler of fifty grand."

"And you knew— you knew him all along? You——Oh, I should've left this," glimpsing her gardenia as they passed a mirror. "I'll send it back."

"How about all that caviar you put away? Sorry it's on the house. After all the boobs Carter's plucked—wouldn't mind setting him back a few bucks. See that couple he had in tow? That poor sucker's in for a fleecing! The why of the big splurge—stage all set. Well, not our funeral."

Entering the mulberry-and-ivory dining room now. Warren's gray suit conspicuous among the tuxedoed diners. Yet his careless assurance parried criticism. Helen envious of his poise—awkardly conscious of her own tailored suit.

"Dear, you knew from the first—and you let him talk to you like that?"

"Huh, if he'd been decent about it, I'd have kept my mouth shut altogether. After all, Kitten, we did horn in on his spread. But when he tried high-hattin' me—that was a little too thick." Then, grinning, "The way he climbed down when I sprang Jimmy Carter!"

"Your table, monsieur," the headwaiter now seating them.

No pretentious display here. Only a small "Reserved" card.

"Shall we serve you now, monsieur?" with guilty deference.

"Nothing doing! We'll wait till they come," emphatically. "Bring me a cigar and a New York paper. That caviar just pepped up our appetites—but guess we can hold out for a while. This time we'll make darn sure it's our dinner—before we start to wreck it!"

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Next Week—The Bucket of Blood.

ARE OUR FLOODS CAUSED BY EARTHQUAKES

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to the topographic engineer and to the other engineers operating in the district.

"It is to be hoped that the combined efforts of all the organizations cooperating in the program will be able to furnish definite knowledge concerning the state of earth strain in the area and the danger of destructive earthquakes. It is not expected that there will be a sudden change from complete ignorance of earthquakes to complete knowledge. Yet without such a plan the transition will never be started.

"The engineer's role in the solution of the Mississippi earthquake problem is very definite. When designing a structure it is important to make reasonable provision for all the conditions likely to arise. Engineering practice has been well standardized but it has been found that the very best practice does not meet all the requirements in the case of a great earthquake. The engineer should also remember that even a moderately severe quake has an uncanny ability to pick out and destroy weak structures while leaving the strong. Thus the question of earthquake risk should be settled as definitely as it is within human power to do so, and with every possible means at man's disposal.

"Possibly the idea of a repetition of a great quake in the Mississippi Valley should be eliminated altogether from our minds. Personally, I should like to feel that assurance, but recurrence at or near the same place seems to be a well recognized characteristic of earthquakes and corresponds to our knowledge of the properties of materials. Accordingly I hope that engineers will not only give their support to what may be undertaken in these problems, but that they will familiarize themselves with what is being done in other parts of the world to solve the strictly engineering phases of the situation."

Tales of Real Dogs

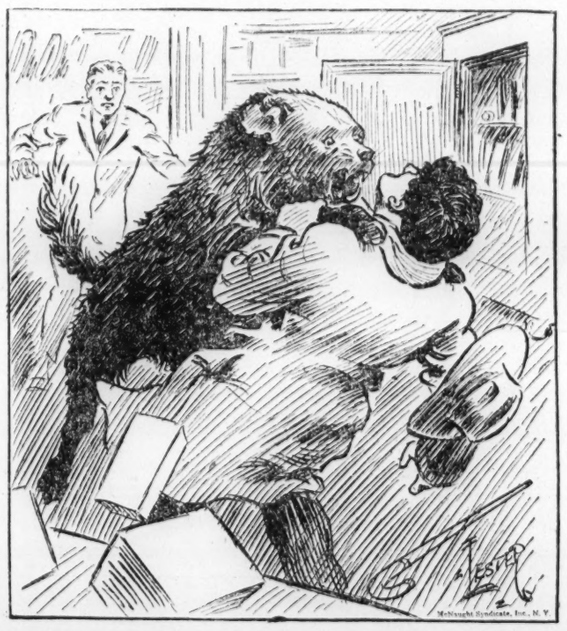
By Albert Payson Terhune

JACK, the Newfoundland "Detective"

IN a recent article of this series I told how my champion collie, Sunnybank Sigurdson, unconsciously helped me solve a 30-year-old crime mystery. Today's story is of a giant Newfoundland dog, Jack by name, whose detective work sent a man to the penitentiary.

It is a good story, but, for various reasons, I am going to change the names and places concerned. As I have said before, this is a series of true stories about dogs, and is not designed to hold up any humans to ridicule or to shame. In such cases, I use other names for the humans who are concerned.

A mid-Western town—let's call it Midwestburg—had been terrorized for months by a succession of daring and atrocious robberies. Some of the victims were not only robbed but were tortured as well. Apparently, all the outrages had been committed by one person.



Jack gave one yell of fury and hurled himself upon him.

The climax of public indignation was reached when news came that an aged couple who lived in a cottage in the suburbs and who were rumored to have large sums of money hid somewhere, had been visited by the robber. He was masked and otherwise disguised.

Overcoming and binding the helpless old people, he had thrust their feet into the hot coals of their kitchen fire, to make them confess where they had hidden this nonexistent hoard of gold. The thief got nothing worth stealing, but the two victims almost died from their burns and from the shock of the experience.

The local sheriff swore in extra deputies. Detectives were put to work on the case. Rewards were offered. John Junken, president of the local board of trade, offered a personal reward, besides devoting his own time and services to the police. The injured old couple were acquaintances of his and he vowed to avenge them.

Junken announced that the failure of the police to track down the robber was a disgrace to the community, and was also bad for business, as reports of the crimes tended to keep people from settling there. As president of the board of trade, he demanded that these business interests be protected.

The robberies kept on, and the sheriff and the detectives were helpless. There was one man in town—Peter Pieters, a dry goods merchant—who declared his own store was safe from thieves, because his great Newfoundland dog, Jack, slept in the store every night and could be relied on to drive away any robber or gang of robbers.

One morning, Pieters opened the store as usual and found its safe door swinging. The safe had been cleaned out. Every other portable article of value in the store was gone. Jack came trotting forward to greet his master, as always he did. The big dog was wagging his tail and did not seem in the least excited. Neighbors testified they had not heard him barking during the night, when the thief was working.

Once before, sneak thieves had tried to enter the store. Jack had torn one of them badly, and his uproar had roused the whole street. Yet this time he had made no sound and, apparently, had done nothing to prevent the robbery. Pieters could not understand. Neither could any one else. This added tenfold to the public excitement.

Curiosity seekers thronged the shop to look at the recreant watch dog. Pieters noticed that Jack would walk up to each of these newcomers and would sniff once or twice and then go back to his own corner and lie down. He seemed to be studying all strangers, though as a rule he paid no attention to people who came into the store.

Toward the end of the day, a newcomer entered the store. As this man crossed the threshold, Jack gave one yell of fury and hurled himself upon him. He bore the astonished man to the ground, ravening at his throat, and might well have killed him had not Pieters dragged him away.

Then Pieters recognized the badly hurt man whom Jack had assailed. It was no stranger, but an old friend of his—it was John Junken, president of the board of trade; John Junken, who had offered a personal reward for the arrest of the thief.

Pieters chained Jack to the wall, while the huge dog still snarled and struggled madly to get at his victim. Then Pieters apologized humbly to Junken for the Newfoundland's crazy behavior toward a man with whom always hitherto he had gladly made friends.

But after Junken left the shop, Pieters got to thinking. He was enough of a dog man to realize that Jack would not have made such an attack on an old acquaintance unless the dog had some fairly good reason to do so. The more Pieters thought of it, the more he began to believe in the dog. Yet it was absurd to think the president of the Midwestburg Board of Trade could be a holdup man.

At last Pieters took his story to the sheriff and to a county judge. He expected them to laugh at him. They did not. Both of them were dog owners and both of them knew Jack. Secretly, they sent for two new detectives from a far-off city, and detailed them to "shadow" John Junken. Meanwhile the three said not a word of their suspicions to any one. They were backing a dog's actions against a human's high reputation.

In a little less than a week the two new detectives caught John Junken red-handed in a peculiarly audacious hold up.

Jack had been correct, and the community had been wrong. John Junken proved to be the scoundrel who had committed the entire series of robberies. Confronted by proof, he sought to shorten his penitentiary term by confessing everything. But, though he admitted robbing the store of his old friend, Peter Pieters, he did not tell—nor, for some reason, was he asked—how he had disposed of the big Newfoundland while he was committing the burglary.

Thus there still is a bit of mystery left unsolved in the story. Nobody knows whether Junken used his old acquaintanceship with Jack to chloroform the dog while he was robbing the store, or how he eluded the Newfoundland's vigilance.

Also, nobody knows why or how it was that Jack set himself, next day, to examining every stranger who came into the store; nor why he flew at Junken. If this were a fiction yarn, I could easily invent some plausible details with which to fill up this gap in its action. But as it is true (with the exception of names and places) I merely tell what happened, without trying to improve the tale by fictional additions to what is one of the most unusual incidents in all my experience of dogs.

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By THORNTON W. BURGESS

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Do You Call This Instinct?

In the town of Windsor in the State of Connecticut lives F. W. Hutchinson, who has a young and valued police dog. This past winter the dog disappeared and his master, after nearly a week of searching, had given the dog up. Then a neighbor's boy observed some dogs down by the river acting in a most peculiar way. Finally he went down to see what it was all about. There he found Mr. Hutchinson's lost dog caught in a muskrat trap. Beside the dog was a pile of bones, brought there by other dogs from day to day and left for the helpless prisoner. These dogs had not gone there once or twice, but had continued their aid until the unfortunate victim was released. In the matted grass all about was mute but ample evidence that at least some of the prisoner's friends had been lying down beside him, giving him the added support of their presence. It developed that the trap had been set by a young boy and forgotten. Had this trap been properly tended, as required by law, this dog would have been saved nearly a week of suffering.

Now what prompted those other dogs to go out of their way to aid a friend in distress? Was it instinct? If so, it is a pity that the human race is not more often guided by instinct. Records of wild animals caught, or badly injured, and fed by their mates are not uncommon. But in this instance it seems to me that at least two traits difficult to assign to mere instinct were demonstrated, namely, loyalty and sympathy. As for the failure of the boy to visit his trap, no excuse can be offered. A steel trap is a wicked thing at best. The use of it should be allowed only to one who is wholly responsible.

How Did She Find the Babies?

This is the story of a wood mouse, or deer mouse, as it is quite commonly called. It comes to me from a correspondent whose home the year around is deep in the woods, where extensive lumbering operations are in progress. This is the way she tells it:

"I have no great love for deer mice, for they have been the bane of my life here in the woods. In spite of all I can do, they will get into camp. Last spring when I took down my couch hammock and mattress out rolled Mrs. Deer Mouse and five squirming babies. Mother at once ran down through a crack in the piazza floor, while I grabbed a little stick and ten-quart pail and scooped up the babies. I had to go to the camp and left the pail beside the mattress. When I looked out again Mother Mouse was running here and there over the mattress. Finally, as she came near the pail, she stopped and sat up, as if listening, wrinkling her nose as all mice do.

"Then she ran around and around the pail, now and then trying to climb the sides. When I moved she ran away. I put one of the tiny mice on the floor and stood back to watch. I soon saw her peeping up through the crack. Then she hustled over, took that baby by the back of its neck and carried it away, holding her head as high as she could. Even then the baby dragged a little on the floor. I was just soft enough to put all her babies down and let her carry them away one by one. Probably those same babies came back later to bother me, but if they did the enjoyment of watching the mother carrying them offset any trouble they caused me. Did the mother hear or smell her babies in that pail? Though I was very near, I couldn't hear a thing."

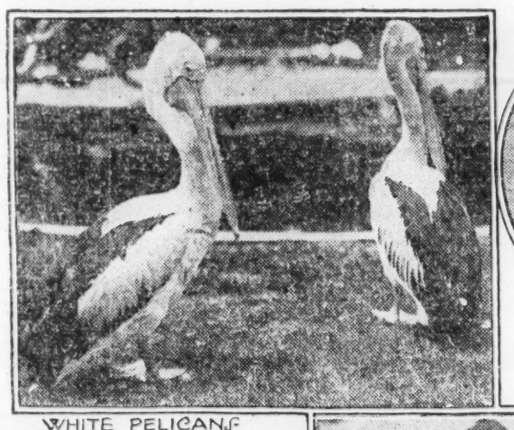
The probability is that the mother smelled the babies. With nearly all animals the sense of smell is very keen. Most of them will depend chiefly on the nose, rather than eyes or ears, for accurate information.

Were the "Cows" Being Stabled or Pastured?

A little girl has written me as follows:

"Last summer we had some nasturtiums which were covered with green plant lice. One day we noticed that there were not so many lice on the plants. We watched and saw ants go up the stems, take plant lice and cary them to their homes. Father says the ants keep the plant lice for their honeydew. Is this so?"

Certain ants are very fond of honeydew, which is the clear, sticky substance exuded by certain plant lice, or aphids. These aphids are the "ant cows," so to speak. It is not, I believe, customary for the ants to carry the aphids into their home for the honeydew. The honeydew is produced while the aphids are feeding. With her antennae an ant will stroke an aphid until, apparently from sheer pleasure, the aphid will give off a drop of honeydew. It is necessary that the aphids should have plenty of food in order to make the honeydew. In the late fall the ants often take eggs of aphids into their homes underground and there care for them until spring, when they hatch. The young aphids are then taken out and carefully placed on the stems and leaves of a favorite food plant. Ants have been known to transfer their "cows" to other pastures, so to speak. That is, they have taken the aphids from one plant and placed them on another plant better suited to them. This may have been what was happening in the incident already told. Possibly those ants were transferring those aphids to another kind of plant to get better nectar.



WHITE PELICANS
PHOTO BY L.W. BROWNELL



HAPPY JACK THE GRAY SQUIRREL.
PHOTO BY G.E. MOULTHROP



A YOUNG MOUNTAIN GOAT FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA.
PHOTO BY WM. L. FINLEY

All Is Grist at This Mill.

The following observation, made at Old Orchard Beach, Maine, is contributed by H. H. Northend: "I saw on the beach," says he, "a fish which somewhat resembled an enormous bullhead. It was about four feet long and the head was one and one-half feet across. It had two long appendages and a mouthful of ugly looking sharp teeth. No one seemed to know what it was. I thought it was an angler. A young lady wanted to take a picture of it, so she propped its mouth open wide with sticks. Then she noticed something gray in its throat and had some one take out what proved to be a seagull."

Undoubtedly Mr. Northend's identification was correct. This unpleasant looking fish travels, or I should say swims, under several names. It is called goosefish, monkfish, bellowfish, allmouth, mollygut and fishingfrog. The family of angler-fishes contains many strange forms. Some of them are bottom fishes, lying concealed on the sea bottom. Rising from the head, or back of the head is a long ray with a flag-like flap of skin at the top. This is extremely sensitive to touch. From its general resemblance to surrounding seaweed it is quite inconspicuous. A passing fish touches it. Instantly the huge mouth below opens and the unwary fish is swallowed.

Some of these big anglers are most catholic in their tastes. The finding of the gull in the throat of the fish as told above is not altogether surprising. This fish is reputed to often capture sea birds. Cormorants, herring gulls, widgeons, scooters, guillemots, grebes, mergansers and razor-billed auks have all been recorded on the angler's bill of fare. All sorts of fish contribute to the menu. Lobsters, crabs and shell fish are tidbits. Apparently all is grist that comes to the mill of this fish.

A Naturalist's Question Box.

"Which is found at higher altitudes, the mountain goat or the mountain sheep?" inquired a correspondent.

The mountain goats are much more closely confined to the rugged slopes and rocky ledges than are the mountain sheep. In winter the latter commonly descend to the foothills.

"Will the gray squirrel eat meat?" inquires Mary Jarvis.

Yes. Only a few days since I watched a pair of gray squirrels empty my suet-holder. Most rodents are meat eaters and the gray squirrel is no exception.

What John Barrymore HAS LEARNED About Women

By ALICE L. TILDESLEY

Where is the man who has the power and skill
To stem the torrent of a woman's will?
For if she will, she will, you may depend on't;
And if she won't, she won't, and there's an end on't.

SO SANG a poet 200 years ago—probably after the fair one of the moment had acted against his advice for the 247th time.

"He was right," said John Barrymore. "Woman are the dominant sex. They know what they want, and they never let up until they get it. Men have intervals of wondering what they really want and whether or not it's worth while—but women know."

He sat in his canvas-backed chair on the great stage of his studio, a dungeon wall making a background for the clear outline of his profile.

"Some day the world will be run entirely by women. They are usually right about everything, and the time will come when they'll just take matters into their own hands. Men? Oh, they'll probably die out!"

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THIS dire prophecy was lightened by the whimsical light in his gray eyes. "Are men braver than women? They have need to be—if they hope to survive. I've always had my doubts about that chap Hercules, who said he slew the hydra-headed monster and so made the world safe for something or other. You know, any sensible hydra, after seeing that Hercules was sawing its heads off as fast as they grew on, would have grown the head of a young and appealing maiden. Hercules wouldn't have had the heart to kill her. He'd have been just like the rest of his sex—utterly helpless.

"No, I don't think women have changed. They're probably no different today from what they were when Hercules came in and told his yarn to the boys around the stove in the Greek equivalent of the post office. Why, the girls in Shakespeare are as modern as the girls in Hollywood! The other day I saw an old program of 'As You Like It,' dated 1892, with Rose Coghlan playing Rosalind and my father Orlando. There was a picture of Miss Coghlan with some lines from the play underneath. Those lines might have been spoken anywhere today on the street.

"Shakespeare's women are like modern women because they were all real people to begin with. Dickens created the kind of women he wished he knew. He wished he knew some meek, goody goody, clinging, spiritless female, so he wrote about them. They were impossible. Nobody could have stood them. But, of course, there never was any woman like that.

"Rosalind and Beatrice are two glorious examples of the modern girl. I like that kind of a girl. Independent. Witty. Delightful. Do you remember how Rosalind and her cousin Celia saw the young stranger who had come to the wrestling match? They made it plain that they admired him, and Rosalind gave him the first slave bracelet—that chain he was to wear around his neck. She wasn't backward in the least, but poor Orlando! All he could do was to stammer and stutter and blush.

"Juliet, having been carefully shut away from men, falls in love with the first youth who appears. She'd have fallen in love with the iceman if he'd been around handy. There was Romeo, half-sick with what he thought was love for the other, Rosalind, and Juliet sets her eyes on him.

"Romeo was an ass; that's why I never wanted to play him. He didn't know what he wanted and he hadn't strength of mind enough to resist the little girl. She was the better man. She kept him to the point whenever he seemed about to wander. Women are much more intelligent sexually than men. A man never knows what he wants unless somebody shows it to him.

"Anyway, here they are, these two. They meet—they gasp—'This is what life means—this man!' (or this girl)—love at first sight, they probably call it. But love at first sight is no more than appetite. After that comes either the real love or satiety—comes much remorse, too, as a rule."

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MR. BARRYMORE dismissed the "pair of star-crossed lovers" with a gesture of opened hands.

"Katharine? 'The Taming of the Shrew' is just an unfinished story. Shakespeare didn't have the heart to go on after the last curtain. I can tell you what happened next. Ten minutes later Petruchio was sorry he ever heard of the lady. She got even. Anybody could have told that two people of exaggerated egos, like those two, were bound to battle until the crack of doom.

"Yes, there are probably some modern women like Katharine. But you won't get me to admit that I know 'em. * * * I don't know any modern women, to tell the truth. An actor can't say he knows his leading woman. He just meets her on the set the day the picture starts. Somebody says, 'This is Miss Hum.' He bows, and the next minute they go into a clinch. He's got her all mussed up, but he can't say he knows her."

Sam Taylor, director of "The Tempest," called from the other side of a barred cell window, "All right, Jack!" and America's most romantic actor took his place before it. Lights flashed on, cameras began to grind.

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HE WAS pressed close to the bars, his roughened hair tossed back, straining to hear a message whispered by a crouching figure outside. All I could see was his eloquent back and one of his sensitive hands, but the succeeding emotions of anger, fear and despair were as vivid as though my chair had been beside the camera. * * *

Camila Horn, the little blonde fraulein who has come to Hollywood to play opposite the star of "The Tempest," came lilting in, holding up the skirts of her old-fashioned gown. An assistant director was rushed forward to "hush" her.

"Some by cause of the dress—you like him?" she explained in her three-week-old English. Her eyes are like brown velvet, and her smooth hair like pulled taffy.

Everybody, it seemed, liked the dress. Everybody liked the girl inside it, and most of the men on the set took turns to tell her to report at 7 that evening prepared to work until 8 next morning.

"I come at seven hour," she repeated, with mystified glances from one to the other, "I go at eight. Sixty minute, no?"

They had to call an interpreter.

The lovely little Camilla hadn't English enough to tell what experience she has had with "the" Barrymore, but his other leading ladies have not been so reticent.

When Dolores Costello was snatched from the realm of the unknown to support him in "The Sea Beast," she was terrified. The first day's work called for a heavy dramatic scene.

"I'd have died right there on the set if it hadn't been for Mr. Barrymore," she confided. "He was so kind he made me forget I was frightened. He was always thinking of little things to help me—bits of business that would get over the character—and explaining how I could make the most of my scenes."

Somebody pushed the great sliding door of the stage farther open; a long golden finger of light came in and caressed the stuff of the prisoner's shirt and the hand that held his cigarette.

Lovely Lady Has Changed Not One Whit, Says the Famous Screen Lover, for the Poetic Heroines in Shakespeare's Plays Are as Modern as the Girls in Hollywood



Dolores Costello and John Barrymore in one of their famous screen love scenes.



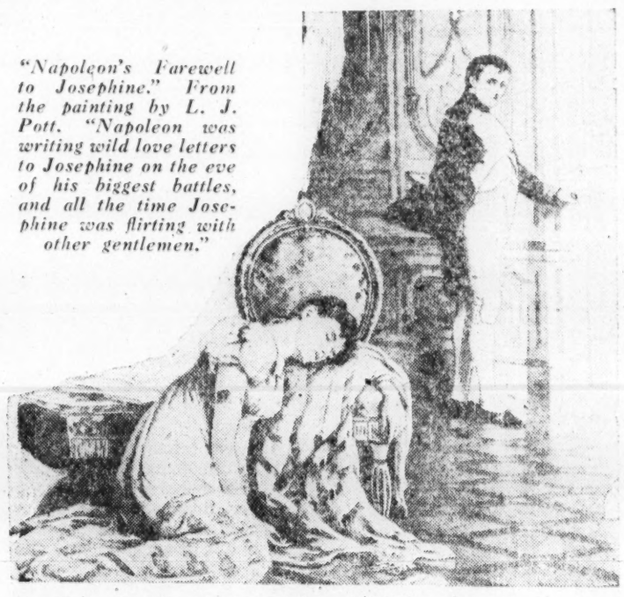
*A recent camera portrait of **John Barrymore** in one of his character roles.*



"Rosalind gave Orlando the first slave bracelet — that chain he was to wear around his neck."



"Juliet falls in love with Romeo, the first youth who appears. She'd have fallen in love with the iceman if he had been handy."



"Napoleon's Farewell to Josephine." From the painting by L. J. Pott. "Napoleon was writing wild love letters to Josephine on the eve of his biggest battles, and all the time Josephine was flirting with other gentlemen."



"Katharine and Petruchio were bound to battle till the crack of doom."

"Look at that! This is January—February the what?—well, whatever it is, see that sun! And the flowers! * * * Who could be depressed out here? They had to change the last act of my brother's play, 'Laugh Clown, Laugh,' because people in California are optimists. That's all right. I'm optimistic, too.

"I've always died in my plays, though. Good psychology. * * * If people don't like the show, they're glad of it.

But we're talking about women * * *

"Napoleon conquered one country after another and planned and executed famous strategic moves all the time his mind was filled with one woman. He was writing wild love letters to Josephine on the eve of his biggest battles—which ought to prove the fallacy of the idea that we can only win when we give our whole hearts and minds to a thing!

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"AND all the time Josephine was flirting with other gentlemen. I have a great sympathy for Josephine. She was a beautiful woman, and it must have been a bore to be married to a man who probably put in his time talking about himself. The Arc de Triomphe is a handsome affair, and she may have had a thrill out of it the first time she saw it, but it isn't the sort of thing to gloat over around the family fireside. A little affection and personal attention go further.

"No doubt Josephine had a new hat that she put on when Napoleon came home, hoping he'd admire it. He probably looked at her without knowing whether it was a new hat or a ham sandwich and went on saying: 'I think I'll conquer Gibraltar next. If I go by way of thus-and-so and take this-and-that.'

"It's all very well to be the wife of a conquering hero and possibly thrilling at first, but Gibraltar and the other places get horribly dull after a while. Josephine could find another cavalier who had sense enough to say, 'Great Scott, what a good-looking hat!'

"She wasn't vain. Women don't have to be vain. Vanity is a pride in something that doesn't matter, and women are too clear-sighted for that. They know the real things—they're not all mixed up in a cloud, like men.

"A lot is said and a lot is written about women, but nobody really knows anything about them. Men don't, anyway. The most aggravating thing a woman can do is to say 'yes' or 'no' or whatever her statement happens to be and then look as if she meant the opposite. Now how can a man know what she means?

"But she knows. You had better believe she does!"

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They Know What They Want!

WOMEN, says "the" Barrymore, know what they want, and they never let up until they get it.

Women are usually right about everything, and the time will come when they will just take matters into their own hands.

Women get away with anything—at least, so far as the men who love them are concerned.

Women don't have to be vain. Vanity is a pride in something that doesn't matter, and women are too clear-sighted for that.

Women like vain men, because men are vain about childish things, and that appeals to woman's maternal instinct.

Women or men—which are braver? Men have need to be—if they hope to survive!

Thanks For American Tree Seed.

Faced with the tremendous task of planting some twelve million square meters of land formerly given over to farming, but so churned by the shells of war that they can not now be cultivated, M. Henriquet, head of the work of the French department of forest and waters at Nancy, France, sends thanks for the American tree seed sent by Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Tree Association. M. Henriquet also states that his task is further complicated by the need of reforesting and replenishing the forests stretching from the Vosges to the Meuse and battered by three years of warfare. This area covers more than 25,000,000 square meters.

ISLAND IN WRONG PLACE

(By Associated Press.)

Tristan da Cunha is a land of no taxes, no governor or government, no mosquitoes and no snakes.

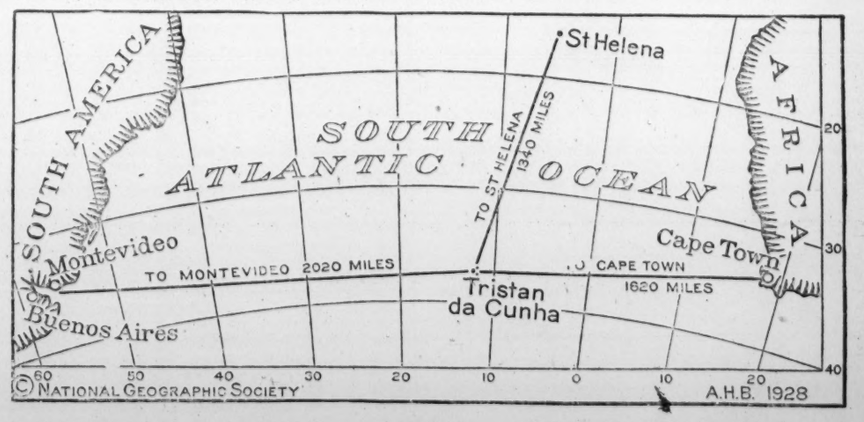
But before a rush of prospective settlers begins the National Geographic Society warns that they will do well to weigh some other omissions on the island.

It lies almost midway between Cape Town, Africa, and Buenos Aires. It is one of the loneliest inhabited islands in the world.

Tristan da Cunha is a land also of no songbirds, no butterflies, no bees, and—when ships fail to come for a year or two—no soap, no tea, no sugar, no candles, no flour and no new clothing. Often the potato hills yield no harvest. Then the 130 islanders verge on starvation.

The island is in the right world, but in the wrong place. Its longitude is perfectly respectable. Any resident of Queenstown, Ireland, living on the same longitude line will report that 9 degrees west is a very good longitude, indeed. Locating at 37 degrees south was Tristan da Cunda's mistake.

Geographically the island, 21 miles in circumference, is like an unfortunate tight-rope artist who balances near the middle of a 3,700-mile wire, unable to reach Buenos Aires at one end or Cape Town at the other.



Discovered in 1506 by Tristao da Cunha, a Portuguese sailor, and visited intermittently for fresh water by American whalers, the island received no permanent population until Great Britain established a military post there after Napoleon went to St. Helena. A corporal elected to stay behind when the guard was taken off. With a few shipwrecked sailors and five imported wives the colony began. The drowning of fifteen men when the island's rowboat was wrecked in 1885 left, it is reported, one adult man.

Whalers called Tristan da Cunda's latitude the "Roaring Forties." A missionary who, with his wife, has returned to minister to the islanders tells how the Forties roar:

"It is impossible to take a cup of milk from one house to another when the wind is high without having the milk blown from the cup unless the cup is firmly covered. When the wind rises to hurricane force, as it does for days at a time, you can't go out of the house without danger to yourself. No person can stand against the hurricanes of Tristan da Cunha."

Back Troop the Pirates' Ghosts!

Tales of Buried Treasure in Florida Keys Revived by Finding of "Pieces of Eight" Filched From Spanish Galleons; New Overseas Highway to Key West Now Runs Through Erstwhile Lair of Buccaneers



Wind-swept palms guarded the secret of a pirate chest hidden for many a year until a strange sailboat anchored off South Bimini and removed the cache.

WHERE Black Caesar and his crew of cutthroats once lurked in some mangrove-hidden harbor, and Edward Teach, the Blackbeard of tales of piracy, plied his ferocious trade, yachtsmen in modern craft now angle for the sporty gamefish. The millionaire developer, too, proves that there really is "gold in them thar keys," made accessible by the recent opening of the Overseas Highway to Key West, connecting the Florida mainland with America's farthest South city.

If it is true that the spirits of restless departed souls haunt the scenes of their evildoing, then it is certain that the shades of many a tatterdemalion pirate crew must perch upon the sandy beaches of the Florida Keys, reminiscing in ghostly voices of the good old days of blood and plunder. The islanders who make their homes along the palm-shaded shores on the inhabited keys do whisper among themselves that in the dark of the moon the creak of an anchor chain or the echo of wild carousing is borne landward on the breeze.

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AT one time in the early eighteenth century 800 freebooters made their headquarters on the Island of New Providence, a little more than 100 miles from the keys. After a period of looting merchantmen and Spanish galleons traveling between the colonies and Spain, the pirates would sail triumphantly into the harbor at New Providence to indulge in drunken orgies until, their pockets empty, they boarded their craft again for another terrorizing cruise.

A leading spirit among the pirate chiefs that harried the coast of Florida, the keys and the West Indies was Edward Teach, a bloodthirsty tyrant, whose misdeeds and long hirsute adornment had won him the name of Blackbeard. He wore his whiskers in fanciful fashion allowing them to grow to extravagant length and reaching up to his eyes. One of his contemporaries confided that "he was accustomed to twist it with ribbons into small tails and turn them about his ears." Also, "in time of action he wore a sling over his shoulder with three brace of pistols; and stuck lighted matches under his hat, which made him altogether such a figure that imagination can not form an idea of a fury from hell to look more frightful."

In fact, Blackbeard rather fancied that "fury-from-hell" idea, and on one of his voyages for entertainment determined to make his crew believe that he was the devil incarnate. Shouting that he would make a hell of his own and see how long his crew could stand it, he went down with a number into the hold, closed tight the hatches, and, filling several pots with brimstone and other combustible material, set it on fire. Most of the men were suffocated, while Blackbeard strutted still further his remarkable powers of endurance.

Teach's vessel, the Queen Anne's Revenge, was fitted with 40 guns and was a match for any British man-of-war that encountered him in 1717. Together with Black Caesar, he was famous, or rather infamous, for his cruelty, his supreme disregard for human life and the terror in which he was held even by the hard-boiled members of his own crew.

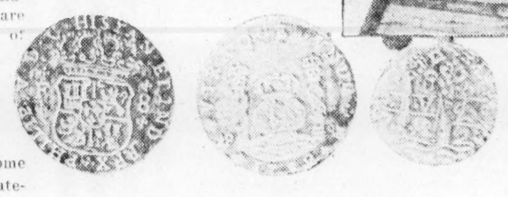
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TWO women pirates at least joined with their savage mates in wreaking havoc along the Florida coast. When John Rackham, one of the pirates of the day, was captured, together with his ship and crew, two of the members turned out to be women in disguise. One, Mary Read, had been brought up as a boy in England and had trained as a soldier, and the other, Anne Bonney, was Rackman's sweetheart and was accustomed to sail with him in disguise on his adventurous quests.

The tales of hidden and buried treasure off the Florida Keys and the nearby Bahamas are many and varied, and several are substantiated by the actual gold pieces of eight displayed as evidence. During the years that the pirates held sway among the uninhabited Florida Keys, there is little doubt that their ill-gotten caches may have been buried cannily in the golden sand or concealed in some crevice in the coral rock, marked by a fateful cross on some secret map.

Spanish galleons, bearing cargoes of spices and Mexican gold, or English ships, laden with textiles and fruits from far-distant colonies, were despoiled alike, and some of this pirate booty, planted in a secluded spot by greedy hands, even now turns up from time to time.

The natives of the tiny little Island of Bimini tell of a lone palm that stood out on the Island of South Bimini, and of a sailing vessel within the last four years which anchored offshore one night and how the next day a hole yawned beneath the palm as of the



"Pieces of eight." Gold coins stamped with the name of the Spanish king, Philip V, thought to be once a part of the loot taken from a Spanish galleon.

size of a seaman's chest. And in the homes of some of the islanders are treasured old coins that have been found in the sand as though washed up at high tide with the shells or perhaps found with companions in some coral rock cranny.

The Florida Keys, however, reveal a wealth of such stories, for it was here that the pirates made their last stand, many hiding their treasure before being captured and hanged from a yardarm with their secrets buried in their memories. For years the pirates slipped in and out of the keys, difficult to catch because of their great knowledge of the reefs and channels. They easily eluded the pursuing vessels of the American Navy by dodging merrily between shoals and shallows and away to sea, leaving the Navy raging impotently behind.

In fact, one of the pleasant, playful little customs of the pirates to facilitate capture of merchantmen was deftly to change the landmarks and channel signs by which every seaman guides his vessel. If two palms in line gave hint to the narrow channel between reefs, then the pirates carefully dug up one palm and replanted it several paces away. One can imagine old Teach laughing in his beard as another ship went aground, to be broken on the reef. All the pirate crew had to do was to scramble into their longboats and remove the spoils. As a result of this misplaced energy, the reefs outlining the coast bore the bones of many ancient wrecks—a regular boneyard of the sea in which the barracuda and swordfish played.

Commodore Porter, by a stroke of inspiration, finally cooked the pirates' goose by bringing from New York a shallow-draft, steam-propelled ferryboat. At Key West, the base of operations for the Navy squadrons, guns were mounted on the deck. At the first engagement consternation arose in the black hearts of the "skull-and-crossbones" fleet,' for this queer craft, independent of wind or tide, remorselessly pushed its way on over shoals and reefs on their very heels.

One by one the pirate chiefs of the keys were remorselessly driven from the high seas, and Caesars Creek and other rendezvous sank back into silence and never resounded again to the shouts and rude songs of the buccaneers.

At Caesars Creek, just a stone's throw from the great rock, where he used to scan the seas for prey, now is the most exclusive clubhouse in the world, on the Island of Cocolobo Cay. Thirty miles from Miami Beach, just a comfortable run by swift motor boat or yacht, a group of millionaires, headed by Carl Fisher, developer of Miami Beach; James Snowdon and Commodore C. W. Kotcher, of Detroit, founded one of the most unique sporting clubs in America.

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THE club list contains the names of some 40-odd members, all of national importance and prominenece, with an average wealth of $12,000,000, including such men as Harvey Firestone, James A Stillman, Gar Wood, Lawrence and William Fisher, Senator T. Coleman du Pont, M. M. Belding and others of equal ilk. The fleet of yachts that nod placidly at anchor in the harbor includes the Shadow K., the Cocoon, the Seahorse, the Shadow, the Phantom, the Troubadour, the Hussar and others that skim the cream of Lloyds Register.

The club grounds comprise 60 acres, extending from the bay to the ocean, fronting Caesars Creek on the south. The buildings include two guest cottages, a social casino, servants' quarters, the steward's residence and the main clubhouse, with a club orange grove. Members may take guests to the club or send them on their private yachts with proper credentials, otherwise the exclusiveness of the club is absolute.

The seclusion of the island made it a favored retreat of former President Warren G. Harding, where he found rest and recreation in the pursuit of the gamy denizens of the deep in the waters about the key. And what a stronghold would one of the robber pirates have found on the key—what a place to have held celebration in the rustic clubhouse!

At Metacombe Key, one of the green stepping-stones that extend southward from the tip of Florida curving over to the Gulf of Mexico, one of the natives recently had the thrill of his life. Digging about in the coral rock that forms the surface of most of the island, clearing away the dense underbrush to plant a lime grove, Bert Russell saw something gleam in the sunlight.

In a little pocket in the rock he unearthed some 30 pieces of eight of ruddy gold, marked after the fashion of the time, "Philip V—D. G. Hispan. et Ind. Rex," which might be translated from Spanish into English as "Philip V, King of Spain and the Indies, by the Grace of God," and dated about 1730. Other and apparently older pieces, roughly shaped as though hand-hewn, were marked roughly with the Spanish cross and were of even greater interest.

It may be believed that the planting of the lime grove waited while Russell cleared all the available territory, but without further success. Perhaps some pirate buried his share there some 200 years ago and passed on without ever touching again upon the island to collect his cache.

Many of the Florida keys carry a hint of their adventurous days in their nomenclature, which delves back into the past. The name "key" itself comes from the Spanish word "cay," for island, and approximately 200 of these little islands drip southwestward. Thirty are joined in the famous Overseas Railway and the even-more-discussed engineering feat of the Overseas Highway, which has just been opened to automobile traffic between Miami and Key West and makes accessible for the first time in history many of these intriguing isles of the tropical seas.

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WITH the completion of the Overseas Highway, the keys will be awakened from the lethargy in which they have dozed since the uproarious days of the pirates. True, for years—since some were homesteaded some 50 years ago—they have yielded fish, sponge, limes and other members of the citrus family, and other agricultural produce. They tell that the only farming necessary to grow in the rich soil is to scratch a hole, put in the plants and keep the weeds back. Sweet potatoes grow so prolifically that the farmer welcomes the raccoon doing his stuff because there is always plenty to go around and the coons' energy in digging saves them the effort of excavating the surplus.

But those peaceful days of frontier life are fast drawing to a close. The motorist has discovered the delights of the climate and the angler the thrill of the many gamefish in the harbors. Days when merchantmen used to sneak by fearfully are now transformed to a golden round of hours for sportsmen in the vivid waters of the Gulf Stream or in the shade of a palm.

And the nights, when dark comes down in all its star-strewn beauty over the silhouetted palms in the moonlight, are not a whit troubled by any restless ghosts that may have dropped by to see if that treasure has been troubled yet by these inquisitive "Yankees."

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Bert Russell, whose family three generations ago settled Metacombe Key, was the discoverer of a pirate treasure cache while planting a lime grove.



The Overseas Highway between the mainland of Florida and Key West links up the palm-frilled little isles or keys, once the rendezvous of pirate craft.

MASTERS USED SYNCOPATION

By ANDRUE BERDING.
(Associated Press Staff Writer.)

London, England (A.P.).—Sir Thomas Beecham, England's foremost composer-conductor, who has just appeared in the United States as a guest conductor, has no patience with those who condemn so-called jazz music as something new.

"Beethoven, Bach and Handel played jazz," he said, "although they would not have called it such.

"And modern music * * * I question whether there is any such thing. Modern music is but another chapter added on to the music we have had for the last 300 years."

"The music we are hearing today is not so very different from the music Bach and Beethoven and Mozart played," he continued.

"Syncopation is as old as music. Beethoven and Bach have it in their works, yes, even in the symphonies, sonatas and quartets regarded as their most classical compositions. There is only this difference between Beethoven and Bach and the present-day so-called jazz writers. The popular composers of today use more syncopation to the measure than the old composers.

"You notice syncopation in jazz more than in the classics because the jazz writers are simpler. They have no skill and cunning. The classical writers used syncopation, but they interwove it subtly with their conventional melodies so that it did not obtrude.

"There is music written during every decade," Sir Thomas continued," which takes its place in the grand gallery of masterpieces, as I call it, and there is music which expires. The music which has taken its place in this grand gallery through 300 years is exactly the same as the music which is taking its place there now.

"Is the clash and dissonance of the modern composers, like Ravel and Debussy, Stravinsky, Scriabine, Honnegger or Kodaly, anything different from passages in the older writers? Mozart's celebrated quartet was criticized at the time he wrote it for being dissonant and disharmonious. Beethoven wrote dissonant passages for effect in many of his works, and foolish people tried to correct what they thought were his mistakes.



Sir Thomas Beecham.

"When, however, their music became general, the clashes of sound were seen to provide welcome elements of change and criticism died away."

Modern composers have greater opportunities for study than the great performers of the past, Sir Thomas said, but they are no greater virtuosos.

Learned Spirit of America From Balky Team of Horses

Ole Edvart Rolvaag, professor of Norse literature at St. Olaf's College, Northfield, Minn., and author of numerous novels, gained his first real impression of the spirit of America from a team of balky horses after he had come here as an immigrant.

"I found myself on a street car in Brooklyn," he declared in an interview in the American Magazine, "and the car was being held up by a big van. The horses drawing the mountainous wagon had balked and it seemed that nothing could move it. Traffic and the busy people on the car were completely tied up. Finally the motorman, after clanging his bell in vain, turned on his power and the horses had to move. He shoved the van and team for nearly two blocks, after which the horses changed their minds and went ahead of their own accord.

"That served as my inspiration," he continued. "It came over me in a wave that America was like that. Clang, clang, over the top. If you can't do it one way try another! Such a thing could never have happened in Europe. I have seen many wonderful things here since, but that incident was the keynote of all I have found in this country."

Our Oldest Cities.

It is not generally known that except for St. Augustine, Fla., Santa Fe is the oldest city in the United States.—Woman's Home Companion.

Otherwise Alike.

It seems to be the general idea that the only difference between the big cities and Hades it that in the latter place they don't play such up-to-date music an dit has fewer tall buildings.— American Magazine.

Making Trouble.

Each automobile worker produces more than three times as much now as he did before the war.—Farm and Fireside.

Is America Becoming Woman-Ruled

What a Learned Exponent of Psychology, Dr. John B. Watson, Has to Say Concerning Count Keyserling's Contention That the United States Is Fast Becoming a Matriarchate



By ISABEL STEPHEN

"THE man behind the bank account really pulls all the strings." This is the answer of Dr. John Broadus Watson to the charge of Count Hermann Keyserling, noted German philosopher, that the women dominate this country.

Count Keyserling, here for a lecture tour and to study social life at first hand, will learn many amazing things if he is open-minded, the celebrated authority on behaviorism believes.

The titled nobleman is considered one of the intellectual giants of Europe. Founder of the "School of Wisdom" at Darmstadt, Germany, a sort of super-Chautauqua, where learned men gather to discuss abstruse subjects, Count Keyserling is one of the continent's most brilliant thinkers.

He is fearless in expressing his views, and invariably attracts a large following wherever he goes. Not all of his listeners agree with him, however, and one of America's eminent psychologists now takes issue with him.

One by one, Dr. Watson proceeded to blast the count's preconceived notions, and in no uncertain terms rose to the defense of American men as the ruling powers. As a former professor of experimental and comparative psychology at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, a member of learned societies and the author of many books on psychology, he is ably equipped to be a spokesman for his sex.

"To begin with, America will never become a matriarchate," he asserted. "I don't say that woman will never dominate; but if she ever does, it will be very, very far off—ages hence. But the matriarchal system will never develop, in any sense of the word. Matriarchism implies wife and motherhood—well, should women gain supremacy, men here would become drones and women would have their queen bees for the propagation of the race.

"Men rule here today just as much as they ever did. They dominate in exactly the way they want to—that is, by piling up money—and the one who controls the purse-strings is the one who dominates.

"We haven't got the military interest here that they have in Europe; our ambitions are toward financial success and scientific developments.

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"EIGHTY PER CENT of purchases are made by women. They have the spending of the money men earn. The great bulk of advertising is written to appeal to them. Not only articles which are essentially feminine fill the advertising columns of women's magazines, but also merchandise and wares which were formerly confined to men's periodicals, such as automobiles, and so on.

"The reason for this is that wives dominate as buyers. Besides running the home in the old sense of the word, they have taken on their shoulders much of the same sort of work that is done by private secretaries. Since scientific appliances have relieved them of monotonous, laborious household tasks, women have turned their exertions in other directions, and save their husbands a lot of the time and energy.

"Not only are the modern women capable of buying automobiles, consulting with the architect or the renting agent in planning a new home and so on, but many wives purchase practically all their husband's clothes. My wife does, I know, and so do the wives of many of my friends. This extension of service gives men far more time than they ever had before, and this time is being used to good advantage.

"Also because of the modern woman's social freedom, the husband is no longer shackled to the fireside. Formerly a woman who attended the opera or a party with a man other that her husband would have been ostracized; nowadays, nobody thinks anything of it. The wife has her own diversions, interests and clubs, and is not utterly dependent on her husband as she used to be.

"There is a tremendous growth of golf clubs in this country, and the majority of them do not permit women to play on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Realizing the importance of this form of exercise as an aid to efficiency, the women do not object. Neither do they protest when their husbands attend hockey matches or go off on yachting parties.

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"INSTEAD of being more securely tied to women's apron strings, therefore, men have more freedom than they ever had before.

"So far as the country being governed by women, that is absolutely absurd. Women have accomplished an amazing amount with their freedom, but the effect of their obtaining the ballot is practically nil. Militant suffragettes were tremendously enthusiastic and optimistic about what would happen to improve politics, when they acquired the right to vote. Well, they haven't succeeded in making a dent. There is just as much—no more and no less—graft and so on as there ever was. I know many of those who were leaders in the movement, and they take little or no interest in politics today. They admit that women as politicians are failures.

"The few who have obtained office certainly haven't been conspicuously successful. Most of them have fallen into the hands of grafters, and they don't know what it is all about. Most of them are nonentities, like 'Ma' Ferguson. It is all a complete fizzle.

"It is a blatant contradiction to facts to say that women rule in America and not in England. In England the woman voter is a vital factor. British men acknowledge their women have a real place in politics. In the House of Parliament they have Lady Astor and Mrs. Wintringham, who who are just as articulate as the male members.

"It isn't that American women are not so brilliant as the British. They are, but they haven't the same background. In Europe for centuries women have been the power behind the throne."

Here Dr. Watson referred to famous women in English history who went out and campaigned for their husbands, and to such historical figures as Mme. de Rambouillet, whose influence even Cardinal Richelieu feared; the Duchess de Longueville, who, according to Cardinal Mazarin, was capable of governing and overturning three kingdoms; Mme. de la Fayette and others, whose salons were the center for all sorts of political intrigues.

"Jane Addams is the only outstanding feminine American figure, and she, of course, is principally a philanthropist. Men here simply don't use women in politics, and no woman of superlative power and inclination along political lines has arisen so far.

"Therefore, it is nonsensical to shoulder prohibition on women. If they were not capable of effecting any of the other reforms they spoke so much about, how were they able to put prohibition over? It was the churches and big business that foisted prohibition on us, but even they haven't been able to enforce it very successfully. I wonder what Count Keyserling thinks of prohibition by this time. I wonder what he thought of it New Year's Eve."

Then, in ye-gods-and-little-fishes tones, Dr. Watson started to worry the bone about "your country is already the most closely regulated socially of all nations. Women will continue to make it increasingly so."

"In speaking of the country being more closely regulated socially, I presume Count Keyserling refers to the wealthier classes, as there is very little social regulation of the lower classes, either in this or European countries.

"I wonder how on earth our boys and girls, men and women, could possibly have more freedom than they have right now! In England boys have their tutors or attend very strictly regulated schools, and girls have governesses or attend private schools which are almost cloisters. Here they come and go as they please. Boys are quite independent, and chaperons for girls are as dead as the dodo."

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"AND what about this country being more deeply engrossed in social questions than in intellectual?" Dr. Watson was asked.

"By social questions, social service is probably implied, since 'society' is of negligible importance here in comparison with England. In place of society leaders as persons of paramount importance, we have great financial geniuses such as Rockefeller, Morgan and so on. In social service, however, it is not women, but the insurance companies, the National Hygiene Committee for Social Hygiene and other great movements which are spreading the knowledge of health and longevity, thus insuring less and less poverty, all backed by men or enormous wealth.

"We have had many 'anti' faminine movements, such as the anticigarette and the anti-this and anti-that, but they have never amounted to anything of much importance—certainly not of national importance.

"In regard to the intellectual part, America is very much to the front in advancement in every department of scientific research, and it is quite a long time since anything spectacular has been done in the intellectual line in Europe. Of course, the war is accountable for this last, but that doesn't change the fact that America is forging ahead and will be able to keep abreast, if not in front, of other countries. Medicine is an art, and in medical research we have a great number of world-wide acknowledged authorities.

"In raising the estate of the 'arts,' so far I have not heard of women ever having been particularly devoted to this task, either in Europe or America. In this country it is men who have backed opera and been instrumental in bringing artists to America. It is, of course, because of our enormous wealth that right now all European artists are centering their attention on our shores. However, painting and music are not the only departments of culture."

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DR. WATSON paused for a few moments to reread the questions submitted to him. So far the dominance of men had dominated the interview, and he remarked before he closed he wished to point out some point other than that of national buyer, in which woman led.

"There is the flapper!" he offered at last with a cheerful smile. "She certainly dominates. She reigns supreme. Since the Athenian period the boy has always been the apple of the eyes of his parents. In Europe he is still a person of great importance. His coming of age in an occasion of celebration. The daughter's coming-out or presentation at court is a very secondary consideration.

"In this country our boys pass their twenty-first birthday without any blowing of trumpets. They simply merge into adults and take up their life job.

"However, the little flapper's wings are clipped. How could she flap without the aid of dad's bank account? What would she amount to without her numberless pretty gowns, cars, swanky entertainments, excursions to the various smart resorts?

"Her day of dominance is as brief as a butterfly's life. Within a season or two she flutters into her proper place and is kept there more or less securely by her economical dependence.

"It will not be until women dominate the stock exchange that they will rule the men of America.

"On the surface it may appear to visiting foreigners that women rule and men are slaves and downtrodden creatures, but that surface is very, very thin.

"Men of Latin countries have the reputation of gallantry and of being princes of romance because Paris, Rome and resorts on the Riviera have a certain coterie of idle South American 'floaters' and poverty-stricken counts and other titled scouts on the lookout for wealthy American brides.

"In like manner, the American man has the reputation of being woman-ridden because he chooses to devote his life to piling up money.

"Illusions! Very few foreigners penetrate the real homes of the French, the Italians, the Spaniards and the English, and to a lesser degree the doors of the real, substantial homes in this country are not flung open to casual visitors. To judge by the circus set, which is simply bent on finding amusement, is futile. The inward life here is as remote from that found in the restaurants and seasonal resorts as that of any other country.

"The relationship between modern married couples in this country is a great improvement on that of former days. It must be admitted, however, that this great freedom is very rapidly breaking down the home in the classical sense. Hence the impossibility of any remote system of matriarchism. That, I am sure, Count Keyserling will admit before he is here very long.

"He will also find out that we are not governed by women; that our country is not so mightily closely regulated; that it is the man behind the bank account that really pulls all the strings."

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Uncle Sam's New Boss

"AMERICA is a matriarchate," according to Count Keyserling.

"It is governed by women.

"Your country is already the most closely regulated socially of all nations. Women will make it increasingly so.

"What is prohibition but proof of it?

"Your country, more than England, is deeper engrossed in social questions than in intellectual.

"There are other countries where women rule. Italy, Spain and France, I should say. England is not, because the English are a marvelously balanced race, a combination of all races and yet complete to themselves; and while it is your Anglo-Saxon tradition that lets you permit woman to take more than equality, England does not hold to its racial heritage to that extent.

"In the Latin countries I mentioned the effect of matriarchy is to improve culture, to raise the estate of the arts. Culture is accumulation, and women are an accumulative lot."



Count Hermann Keyserling, one of Europe's intellectual giants, is known chiefly to Americans through "The Travel Diary of a Philosopher" and "The Book of Marriage." The count is a member of a distinguished German family long settled in Esthonia, where he was born. He founded the "School of Wisdom" at Darmstadt, Germany.

Insect Damage.

Insects in America do $2,000,000,000 worth of damage every year and nullify the labor of a million men.—American Magazine.

Inventors Needed.

What the country needs today is something for cooks to hold food together not called a tooth pick.—Woman's Home Companion.

Inspirationless Jobs.

It isn't fair to yourself or to your boss to stick to a job that doesn't hold a certain amount of challenge for you.—American Magazine.

MONKS DREW PICTURES NOW USED ON POSTCARDS

London (A.P.).—The cowled monks of the middle ages who sat at heavy oaken tables in moldy stone cells, busy the live-long day illuminating missals and books of hours, little thought that they were painting for postcards of the Year of Our Lord 1928.

Out of the dim recesses of the past the authorities of the British Museum have drawn some of these page illustrations and have reproduced them as emblems of good wishes to be mailed to friends.

Three cards in particular have been issued. One is "The Building of the Tower of Babel," from the famous Bedford Hours, done in Paris in the early part of the fifteenth century. Another is "Christ in Majesty," from the Arundel manuscript, and a third, "June," a pastoral sheep-shearing scene, by the famous Flemish illuminator, Simon Bening.

Two series of pictorial cards have also been issued by the British Museum for postcards. One set consists of reproductions from the Westminster Abbey Psalter, considered among the finest examples of late twelfth century English illumination. The other comprises reproductions from a Flemish book of hours of about the year 1530.



Illustrations drawn by monks of the middle ages for Missals and Books of Hours are reproduced on twentieth century postcards. One of the cards shows "Christ in Majesty" (above), from the Arundel manuscript in the British museum.

Latest Styles From Fashion Centers

by HAZEL REAVIS
(Associated Press Fashion Editor)

Spring Fabrics Are Almost Unlimited.

Paris (A.P.).—Clothes for spring show a wide range of fabric in their Paris version. Almost any fabric has been pronounced wearable so long as it is adaptable to the silhouette of the season and conforms with the color schemes.

But there are conspicuous favorites in the new styles, notably moire, taffeta, silk faille, wool crepe, wool voile, waxed materials and floral printed chiffon taffeta and satin. Asperic, kasha and jersey of plain and fancy weave are important among the Rodier woolens. There is quite a bit of flannel in the new collections and thousands of yards of polka dotted dark blue or black foulard, crepe de chine or satin.

For morning and sport wear nearly every house shows tweeds. The mixtures are usually light in color and weight, beige, brown and blue combinations leading. Shetland wool and jersey are the general choices for sport blouses or sweaters.

The dressmakers seem in league to put women into dark blue or black for street wear. Blue and black are stressed by most of the houses. Many dark coats for afternoon are unlined, but where linings appear they are usually of the material of the dress underneath the coat, particularly if it be a silk dress. Printed chiffon is a favorite for afternoon costumes. Marquisette and silk voile are old materials reappearing for afternoon dresses. Fancy weave wool voiles are occasionally made into tailored costumes, with or without coats.

A new combination for evening is chiffon and taffeta similarly printed in floral design and both fabrics employed in a single frock.

Much tulle lace with heavy braided design is used for afternoon and evening. Most of it is black, although dark blue, gray and gold are featured. Cire, or waxed lace, of heavy pattern is extensively used.

Printed taffeta is perhaps the newest material for evening wraps. Lame is less in evidence than it was in winter collections.

Shawls Of Chiffon

Paris (A.P.).—Square chiffon shawls which look like huge handkerchiefs with handrolled hems are added to many evening dresses at the fashion house of Jean Patou. Colors match frocks exactly.

Frilled Pantalettes Paris Suggestion

Paris (A.P.).—Shorter skirts with frilled pantelettes under them are the serious offering for spring of one fashion house in the Champs Elysees. Skirts are sometimes slit deeply at the sides to disclose the ornate beruffled and be-ribboned garment underneath.



Paris (A.P.).—The bertha collar of a navy blue chiffon dress designed by Suzanne Talbot extends into a scarf in back, hanging two-thirds the length of the frock. Three diagonal tiers encircle the skirt and meet again at the right side. The bell sleeves are three-quarter length like some of the newest Paris models for spring.



Paris (A.P.).—From cream white silk morocain Suzanne Talbot fashions a formal afternoon costume. The long skirted coat covers an afternoon dress of quite elaborate order. The coat is semiredingote in form and fastens with a single button. It has no collar.



Paris (A.P.).—The embroidered silver dots which trim a dark blue dress from Bernard et Cie are right in the spring feeling. They outline the flounce on the skirt, trim the foresleeves and decorate the neck. Flowers are placed at the belt, a new arrangement. Bernard makes this dress of velvet, but it is suitable for many materials.



Paris (A.P.).—Many tiers of pleated tulle, dipping in back, are Nicole Groult's idea for a black evening dress. The corsage is formed of three layers of tulle, ending in a pointed girdle of black. Groult adds a pouf of feathers, in accordance with her fondness for feather trimming on evening frocks.



Paris (A.P.).—Dark and light blue are the colors for this spring suit from Suzanne Talbot. The pockets stand out in miniature paniers formed by an upstanding band which serves the triple purpose of trimming, pockets and second belt. The blouse is white cotton pique, and Talbot suggests a hat of a lighter shade of straw with a dark blue band of ribbon.



Paris (A.P.).—Lucien Lelong is fond of slender pennants of tulle attached to slim frocks by one point and left to float as they will. This Lelong model has tulle draperies attached at the side seams of the corsage, under the swathed girdle, which ties at the right side in a bow without ends and again at the tops of the shoulders.

Printed Taffeta Used For Coats

Paris (A.P.).—Coats of small figured, printed taffeta over dresses of the same material are a Paris suggestion for Easter. Several new models of suits and ensembles made of stiff printed silk are shown. The coats are usually full length and straight in line. Many have scarf collars which tie at one side in a taffeta bow.

Straw Tam O' Shanters

Paris (A.P.).—Straw tams with feather or silk pom-poms stuck atop are a phase of spring millinery. Occasionally printed foulard is wrapped around the head-band.

Develop the Spirit.

Life, compared with eternity, is but a speck of time. The only part of us that is permanent is the spirit.—American Magazine.

And Rightly So.

Life's an eternal contradiction. Harmony has dissappeared from many a household when the song birds of the family started "harmonizing."—Farm & Fireside.

PARIS STARTLES WOMEN WITH NEW COTTON FROCKS

Fashion buyers in Paris received one of the greatest surprises of many seasons when, in the midspring showing now being held, cotton frocks were boldly displayed by several prominent couturieres, says the Woman's Home Companion correspondent.

Lifted grandly from its houshold element, cotton appeared in sports cloths, afternoon, and even gowns for evening wear. So improved are the fabrics, however, over the old-fashioned cotton goods, that the adaptation of the material is entirely justified. For example, one sports suit was shown in a blue-green material dotted with gold. As a demonstration that the goods were entirely tubfast it was given the severest laundry tests and automobile grease was removed from it with the most ordinary cleaning preparations without harming the fabric.

Large and small checked ginghams were also shown with distinction and candy-striped cotton broadcloths turned out marvelously in sports costumes. In the gingham ensembles a new note was added in short jackets of the predominating color.

For summer, sports chintz and figured linens were shown and there was a new fabric in Java print, somewhat resembling Persian designs. For afternoon frocks on warm summer days there is even a greater variety of cotton weaves and designs. In this group are multi-colored printed dimities, lawns, crepes, voiles, batistes and dotted Swisses, delightful in texture and coloring. As many as nine colors are often used in one pattern.

Evening gowns in cotton were exquisite, printed organdie being most favored for this unusual purpose because of its crisp coolness on a hot summer night. Brilliant coloring is the chief innovation that permitted pure, unadulterated, old-fashioned cotton to come thus to the fore.

Tired Feet Cause Wrinkles, Theory of Beauty Expert

That tired or badly shod feet are responsible for wrinkled faces is the latest theory advanced in beauty culture.

"A large proportion of the wrinkles and worried squints and tired, listless faces that you see may be laid to improper shoes," says Hazel Rawson Cades in Farm & Fireside. "Bad stockings, incorrect methods of walking and unintelligent methods of caring for the feet are other causes for wrinkled faces."

In a public school in New York, the beauty experts add, pupils' feet were examined recently and it was found that 75 per cent of the girls and 50 per cent of the boys were suffering from foot troubles. Of their troubles, a large proportion could be traced directly to too-short shoes or stockings. Chiropodists have agreed that this is true of older people, as well.

"It is fortunate," says the expert, "that children are being taught to walk differently now. In the old days the little girls were taught to toe out politely. Now they are told to walk straight like an Indian, feet straight, carrying the weight evenly. This change from the old tetering, tiring totter to a graceful, free-swinging walk is a noticeable improvement in women."

Favorite Recipes Of Foreign Chefs

SPRING VEAL

By L. OBERHAUSER
(Chef, Grand Hotel, Vienna.)

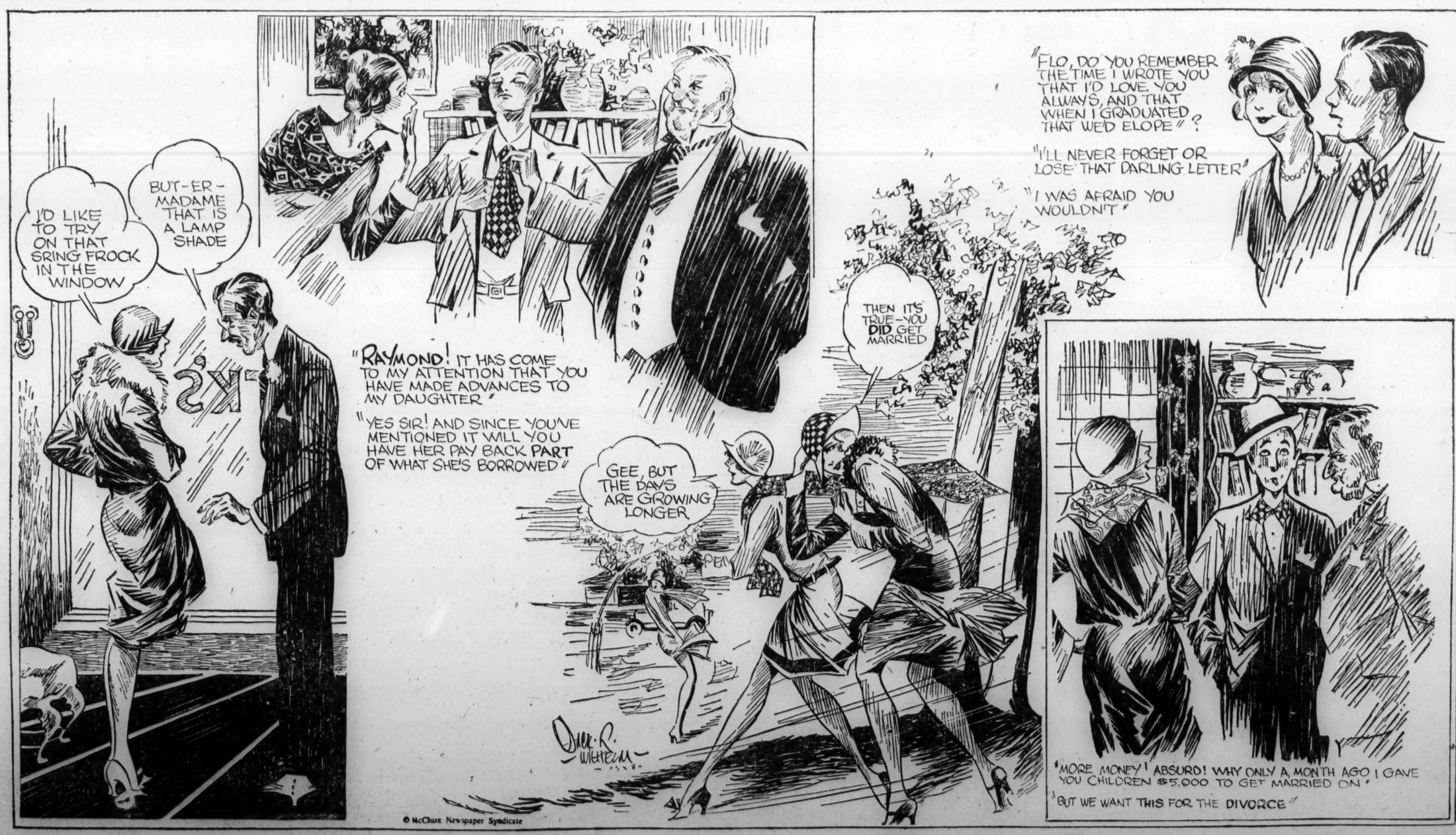
Cut 4 to 5 pounds of breast of veal along with gristle and bone into slices of 3 to 4 ounces each and roast till brown in one-half pound of butter and 4 ounces of finely chopped onions.

Dust with flour, pour in one gill of white vinegar, add the flesh of three or four fresh tomatoes, a pinch of salt, some cayenne pepper, some boullion and allow to stew till the meat is tender.

Serve with assortment of vegetables, including pickled onions, one pound of carrots, one-half pound of mushrooms and one-half pound of young peas.

MEET THE MISSES!

By JACK WILHELM



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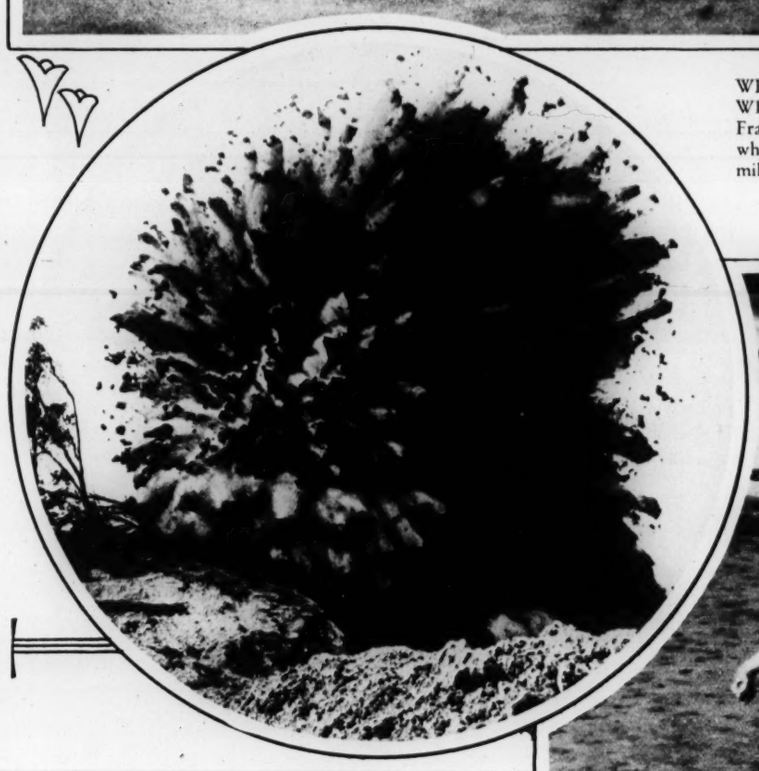
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WHAT TWO SOMERSAULTS AT 225 MILES AN HOUR WILL DO TO AN AUTO. Above—Remarkable photo of Frank Lockhart being pulled out of the sea at Daytona Beach where he catapulted into the ocean while making about 225 miles an hour. Right—How the car looked after the rescue.

Underwood and Underwood.

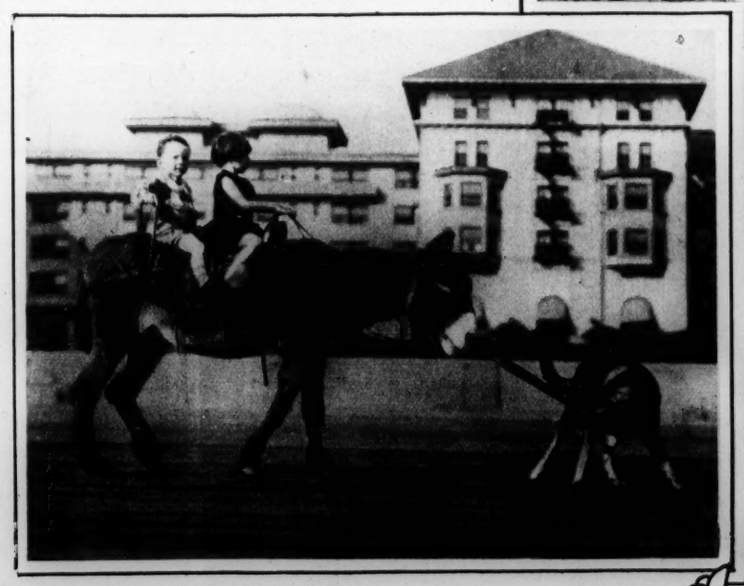


LIKE A HUGE FLOWER is the "bloom" of rock and earth caused by a shot of dynamite in leveling Guano Island of San Mateo, Calif.

Wide World.







ONE WAY TO HANDLE A DONKEY. Rodney Holden and Virginia Lee Schubach use their police dog to see that the donkey keeps moving.

Underwood and Underwood.

FLYING ATHLETES. Striking picture of all contestants in the 120-yard hurdles of the A. A. U. relays at Los Angeles shows them all Lindberghing over the hurdle at the same time.

Wide World.



KING GEORGE ENJOYS WEDDING. His Majesty leaving the ceremony which united Lady Kathleen Crichton to the Marquess of Hamilton at London.

Underwood and Underwood.



"BEST BODY." Howard Heed, West Chester, Pa., declared winner in contest for boys to determine the best built bodies. The contest was held at Pottstown, Pa.

Wide World.

WINNERS IN THE WASHINGTON POST'S "CHILDREN AND PETS" CONTEST.



PERRIE NELSON EAKLES AND "LADDIE BOY." Perrie is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shrewbridge, Germantown, Md.
(FIRST PRIZE, $10.)



SEESAW! SEESAW! Freida Ewig, 7726 Blair road, Takoma Park, Md., with "Skeezix." Freida is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ewig.
(THIRD PRIZE, $2.50.)





JACK EDMUND MALONE, 2238 Decatur place northwest, with his pet dog.
(Awarded $1.)



MARGARET LOUISE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bodmer, Clarendon, Va., with her pet rabbit.
(Awarded $1.)



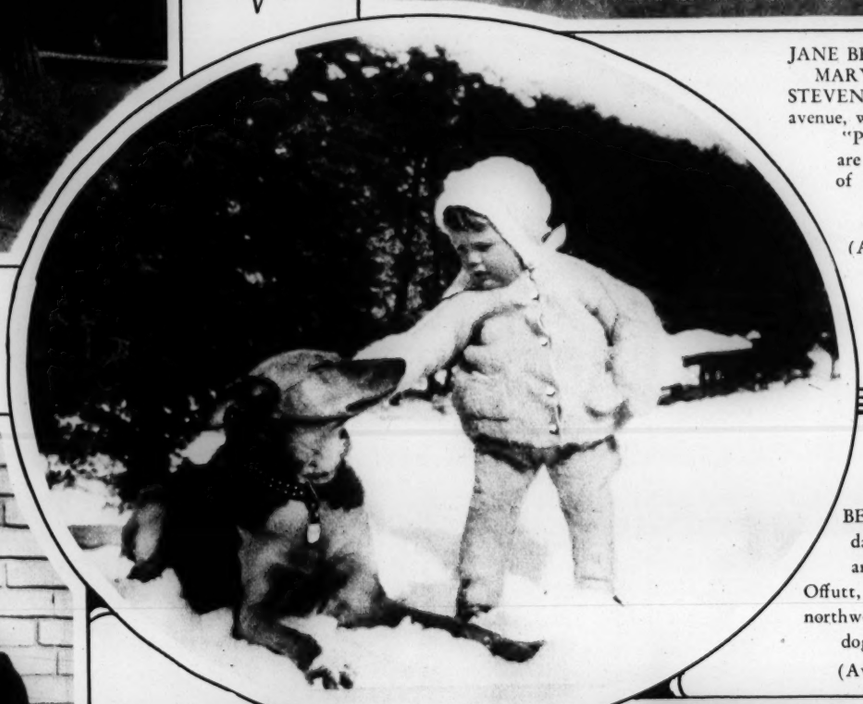
WHOSE AFRAID? Bobby Middleton, Edgemoor, Md., with his Great Danes.
(SECOND PRIZE, $5.00.)



JANE BROOKS AND MARY MOORE STEVENS, 5822 Utah avenue, with their dog, "Patsy." They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Stevens.
(Awarded $1.)



HUDSON MOSES, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Moses, 2700 Tilden street northwest, on his pet horse "Sandy."
(Awarded $1.)



IDA ELIZABETH (BETTY), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Offutt, 3039 Q street northwest, with her pet dog, "Bobby."
(Awarded $1.)





WALTER HERBERT ENGLEHARDT, 244 Eleventh street northeast, with his pet cat.
(Awarded $1.)



LAURIE LILLY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Bates, Berwyn, Md., with her pet setters.
(Awarded $1.)

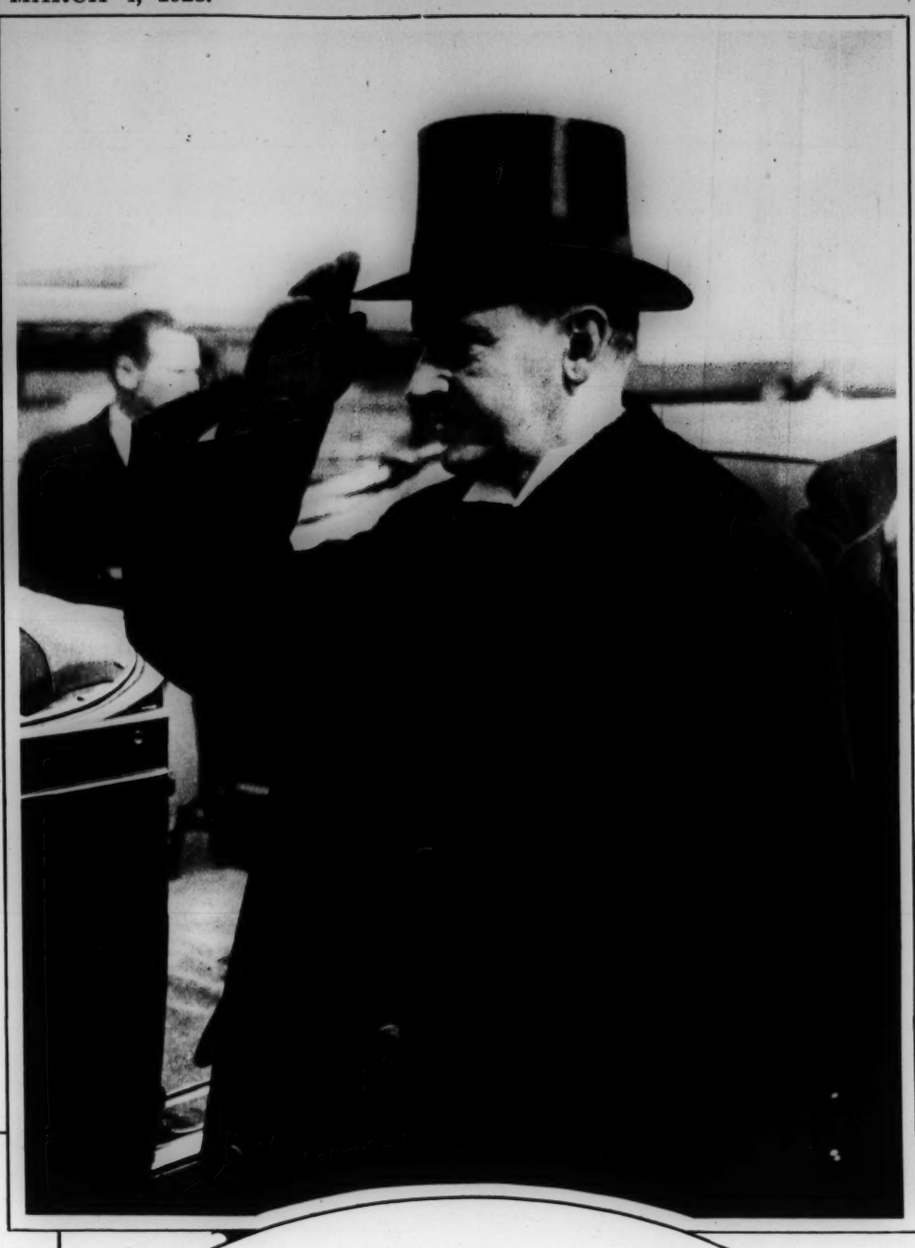


GEORGIANA WIXSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin G. Wixson, 4407 Eighth street northwest, with her pet cats.
(Awarded $1.)

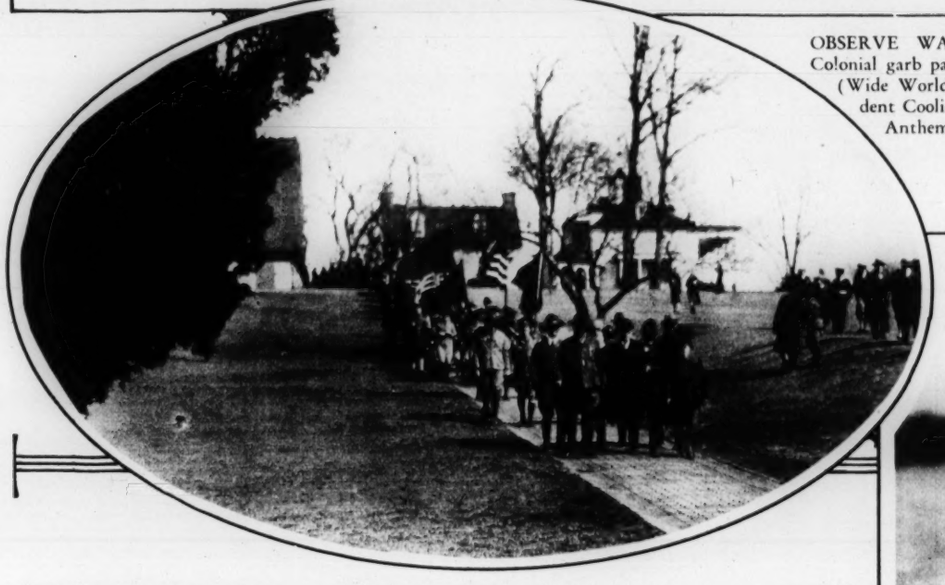
JOAN MARY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lynch, 2928 Forty-fourth place northwest, with her wire-haired terrier, "Ginger."
(Awarded $1.)

WILLIAM H. S. WALLACE, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, 1322 Levis street northeast, with his pet dog.
(Awarded $1.)





OBSERVE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY. Troops in Colonial garb passing the reviewing stand at Alexandria, Va. (Wide World). At the right an unusual pose of President Coolidge, saluting as the band played the National Anthem on his arrival (Harris & Ewing).



BOY SCOUTS AT MOUNT VERNON. Above shows Scouts marching to the Tomb of Washington. Below shows the Scouts assembled for the address of the day delivered by Frank J. Hogan (on box). At the right is Col. E. L. Mattice, assistant to the Scout executive, who was officer of the day.

Louis Jolurden, Post Staff Photographer.





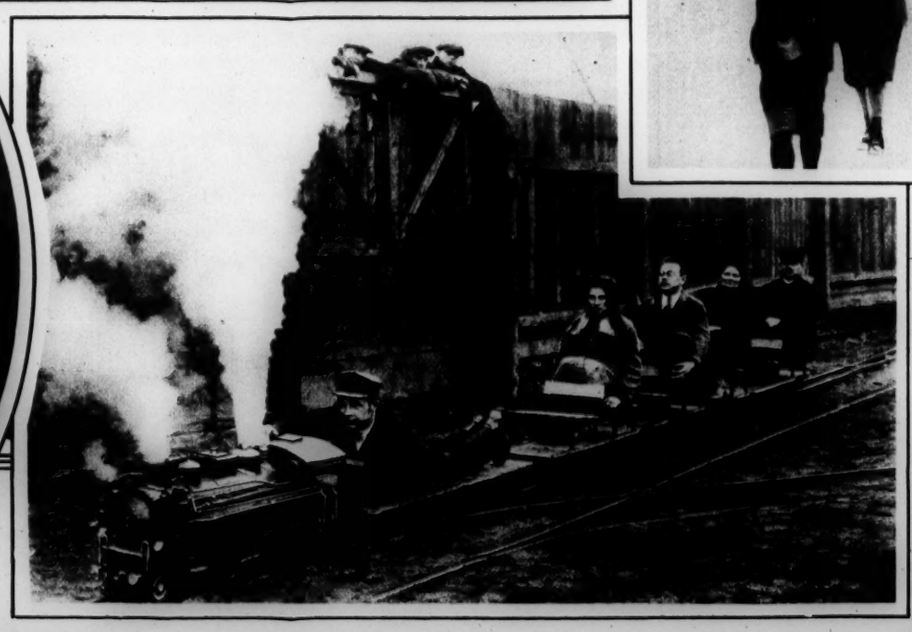
NEW USE FOR AIRPLANE. When photographers were making pictures of skaters on Lake St. Clair, Mich., their auto broke through the ice into ten feet of water. Skaters and the plane rescued it.

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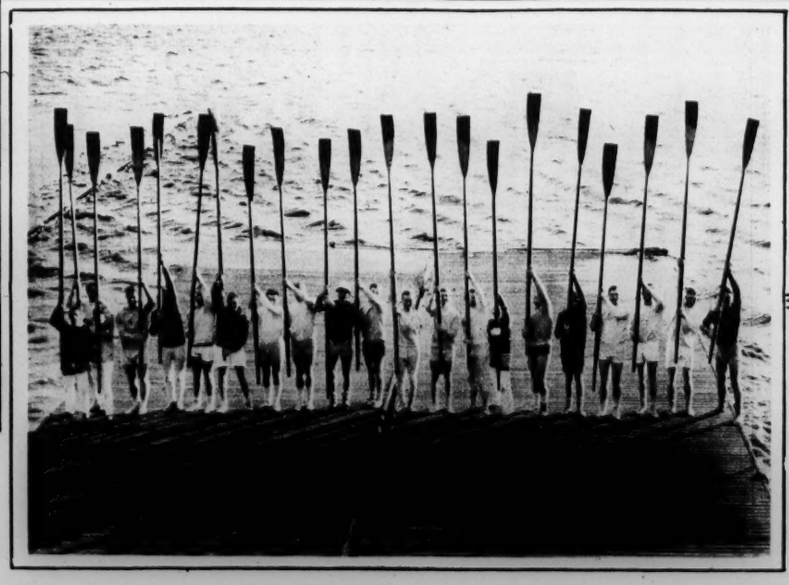


YOUNGEST MEMBER OF SECRET SERVICE. Harvey Ingley, 27, crack shot and famous basketball player, helps guard the President.

Harris & Ewing.

WORLD'S SMALLEST LOCOMOTIVE. Young machinist of Vienna, Austria, takes his friends for a ride on miniature train built by himself.

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THE STARS AND STRIPES COME ON THE ICE. American teams which took part in the Olympic games at St. Moritz marching behind the colors.

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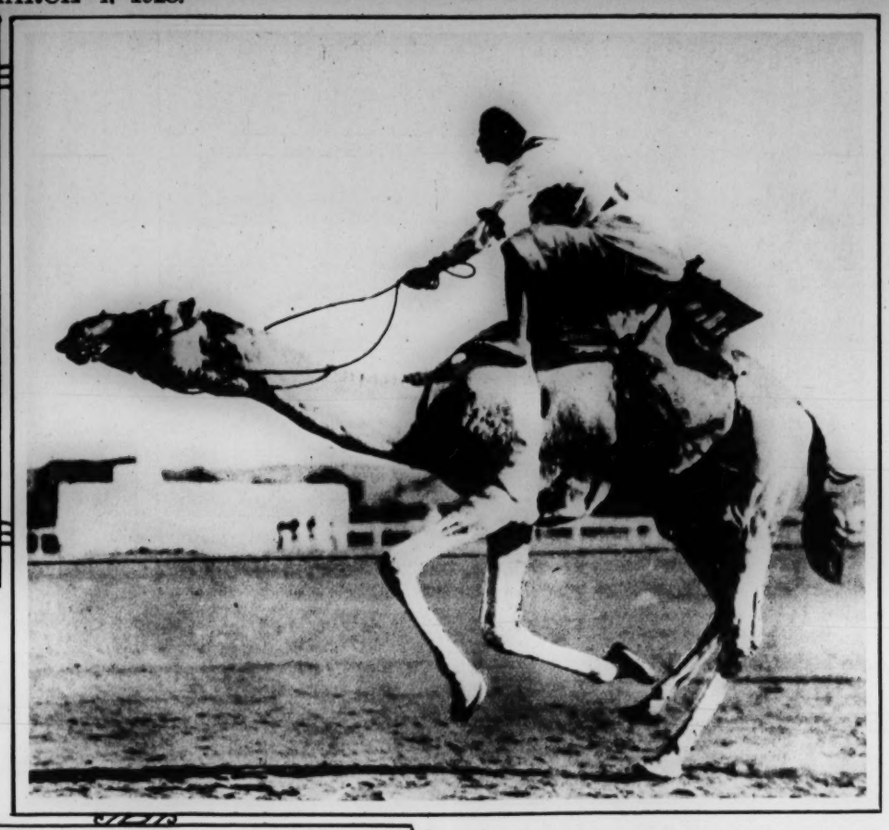
FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING. "Rusty" Callow, new head coach of the crews of University of Pennsylvania, takes his men out on the Schuylkill, the earliest this has been done in many years.

Wide World.



AL SMITH HAS NOT ANNOUNCED HIS CANDIDACY, but he seems to be making good with newsboys and firemen. Above—New York's popular governor at the newsboys' dinner in New York, where he was chief speaker. Below—The governor reviews the volunteer firemen of Brooklyn and Long Island.

Wide World.



EGYPT'S "SPORT OF KINGS." Competitor in a camel race in the land of the Pharaohs winning in a hot finish.

Wide World.



"TALKING DOG." Mrs. Mabel A. Robinson, of Boston, with her French bull, "Princess Jacqueline" which is said to speak words.

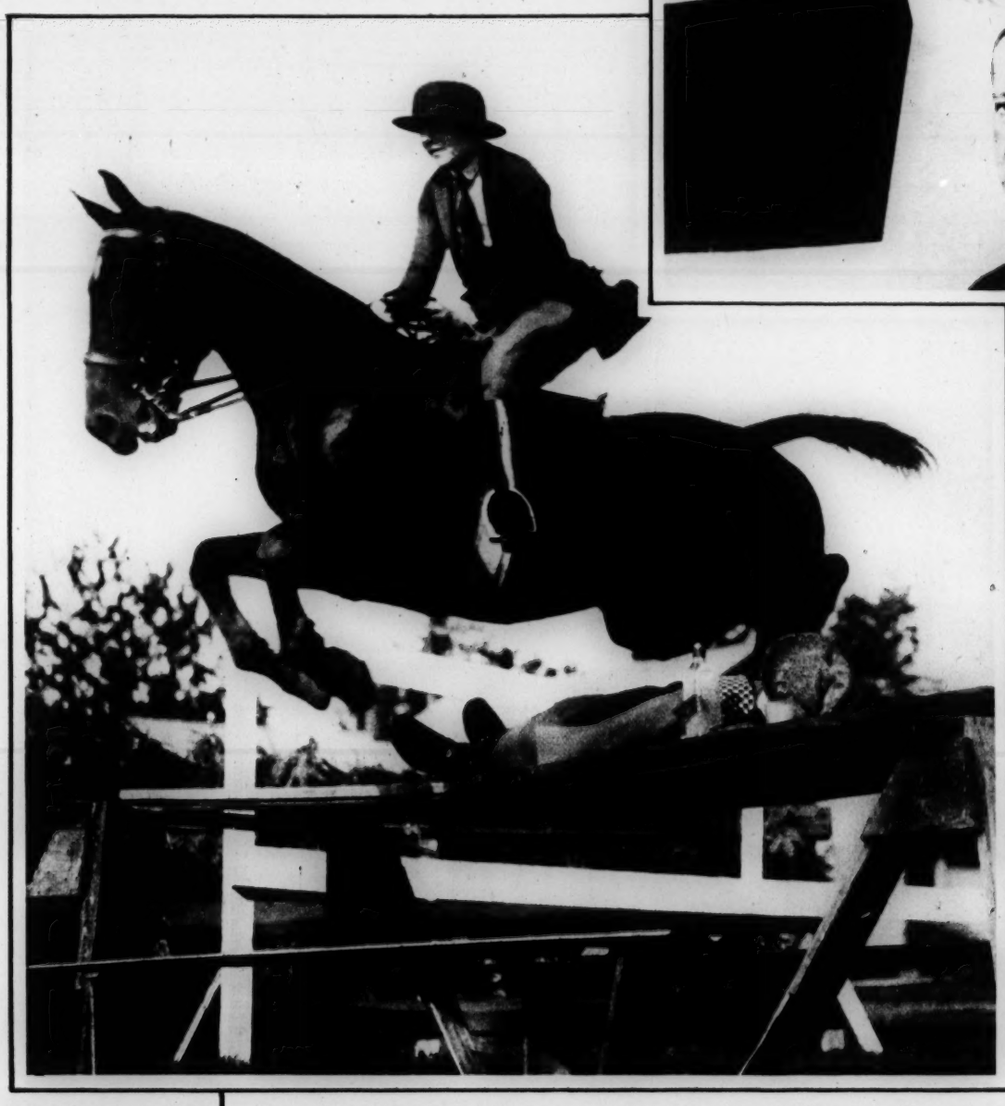
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FIVE NEW RECORDS. Bert Hinkler, England's Lindbergh, who made five new records on his flight from England to Australia.

Wide World.



REAL ACTION. Mrs. Claude D. Starr, of Portland, Oreg., on "Spider," champion broad jumper, does "table and soldier" jump at Oakland, Calif., Horse Show.

Henry Miller Service.



HONOR MEMORY OF WASHINGTON AT VALLEY FORGE. Boy Scouts of America in exercises on historic grounds on Washington's birthday.

Wide World.



WING SLOT DEVICE SAVES NAVY FLIERS. The plane turned upside down, but landed so easily that two naval fliers escaped.

Underwood & Underwood.



THOUSANDS THRONG TO HUT OF MEXICAN "HEALER." Trainload arriving at Espinoza, Mex., where Nino Fidencia is reported to achieve marvelous cures.

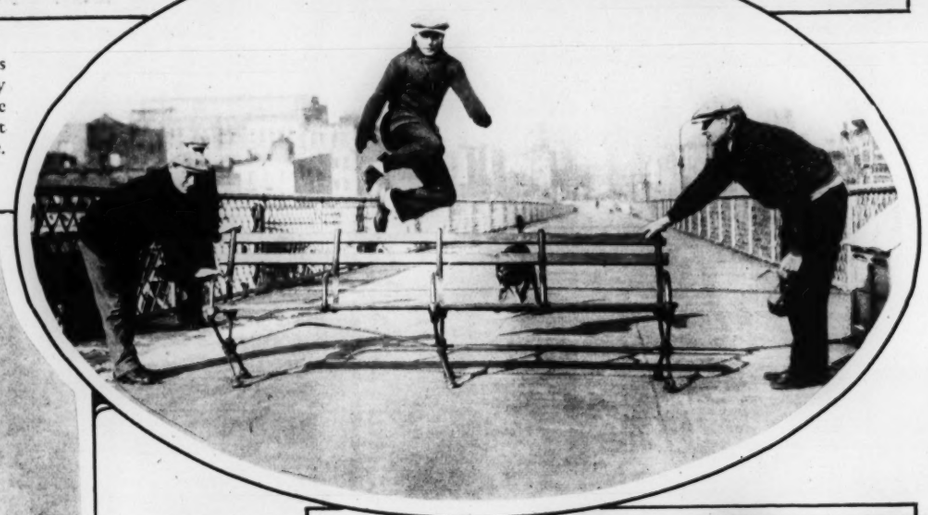
Wide World.



LIKE A HOMING PIGEON. Mrs. Earl Shellhammer, French "War Bride," is learning to fly at Madison, Wis., in the hope of being able to fly back to Paris to see her people.
Underwood and Underwood.

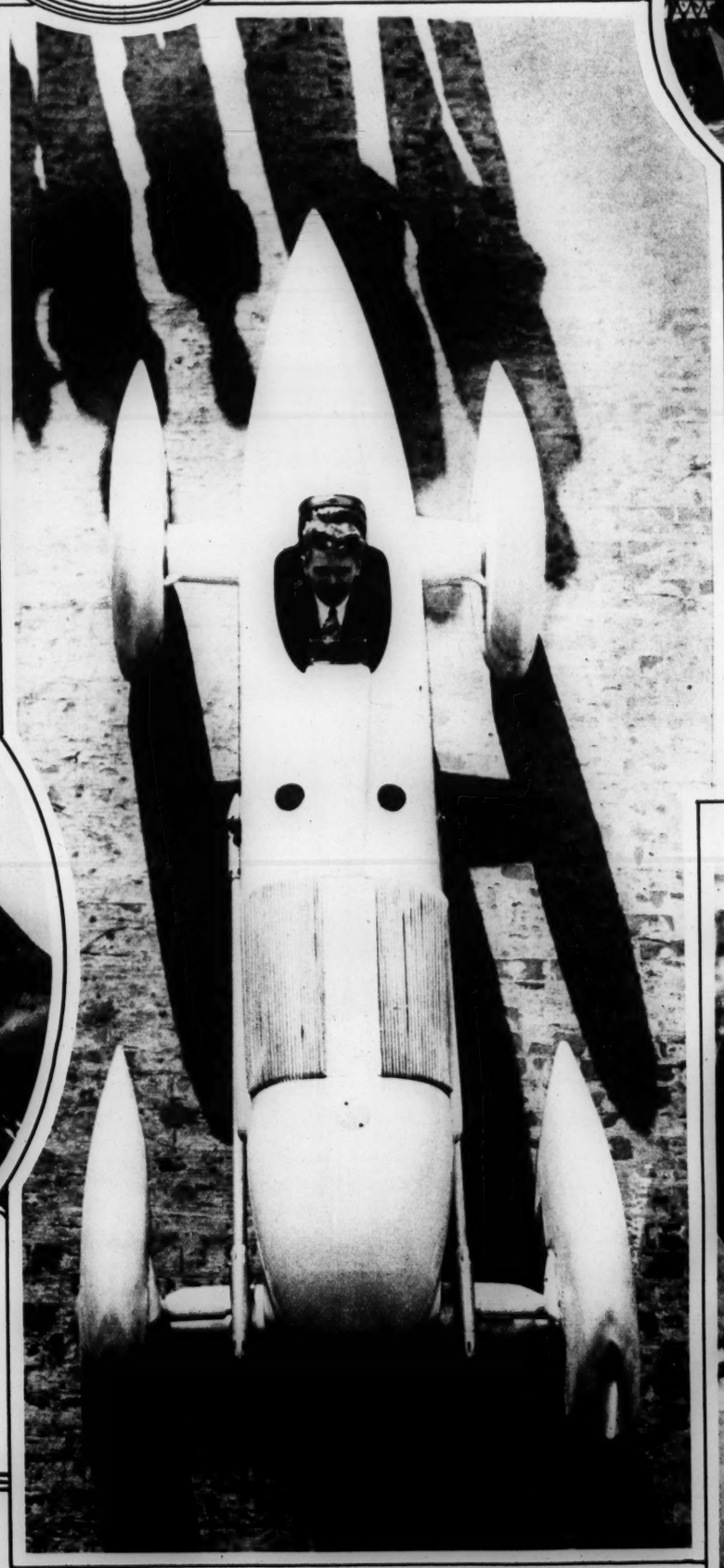


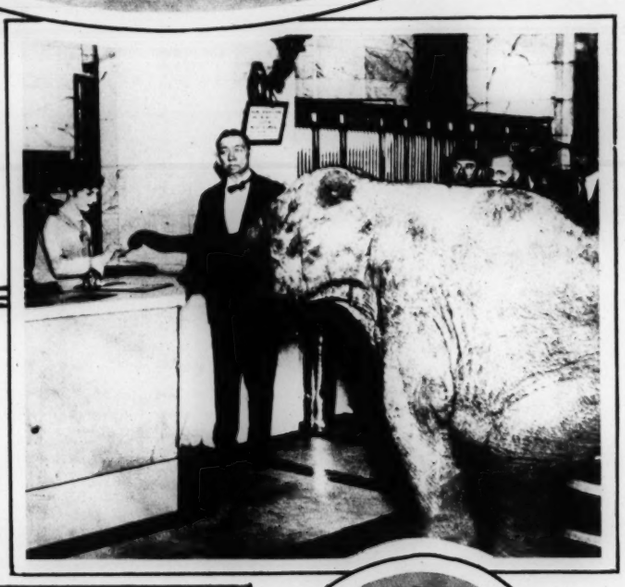
GETS MEDAL OF HONOR. Thomas Eadie, diver who disclosed extraordinary heroism in diving to the rescue of the crew of the ill-fated S-4, receives highest American award from President Coolidge.
Harris and Ewing.





MRS. KARL P. CROWDER, who was Miss Mossburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mossburg, 515 Quincey street northwest.
Harris and Ewing.





BRIDGE AS TRAINING GROUND. Sid Terris, "galloping ghost," trains on Williamsburg Bridge in New York, where he is assured of plenty of fresh air.
Wide World.

WILLIE ELEPHANT REGISTERS at a Baltimore hotel where he was the mascot of the G. O. P. at an ad club dinner.
Underwood and Underwood.



OLDEST U. S. INHABITANT. Nah-Kee-Num-Skuk, 200-proof American Indian, aged in the woods and 119 years old. He was born the same year as Lincoln.
Underwood and Underwood.



ONLY JAPANESE CATHOLIC BISHOP VISITOR. Bishop Januarius Hayasaka, who presides over the largest Roman Catholic diocese in Japan, who was guest at a luncheon at the Japanese Embassy recently.
Underwood and Underwood.

CLOSE CALL. Frank Lockhart in his Stutz "Blackhawk" which turned two somersaults while making approximately 225 miles an hour, landing in the sea. Lockhart was not seriously injured.
Underwood and Underwood.





NO FLAWS IN HER RECORD. Miss Alice Gaskill, of Lawrence, Kans., who won three swimming events, all she was allowed to enter, for three years in succession.
Underwood and Underwood.

CALLS ON PRESIDENT. Jay Ward, diminutive mascot of the "Second A. E. F." calls at the White House with Representative J. Mitchell Chase, of Pennsylvania.
Harris and Ewing.



THE FLEET ADVANCES. Above the U. S. Battle Fleet steaming in fighting formation out of San Pedro for maneuvers in the Southern Pacific. Right shows a salvo of the big guns of the fleet.

Wide World.



PLAN TO COMPLETE CATHEDRAL. Gen. Pershing and Bishop Freeman consult on plans for completion of the Cathedral of S. S. Peter and Paul.

Underwood & Underwood.



DONALD EUGENE, son of Mrs. A. L. Wagner, of New York City, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Olinger, of this city.



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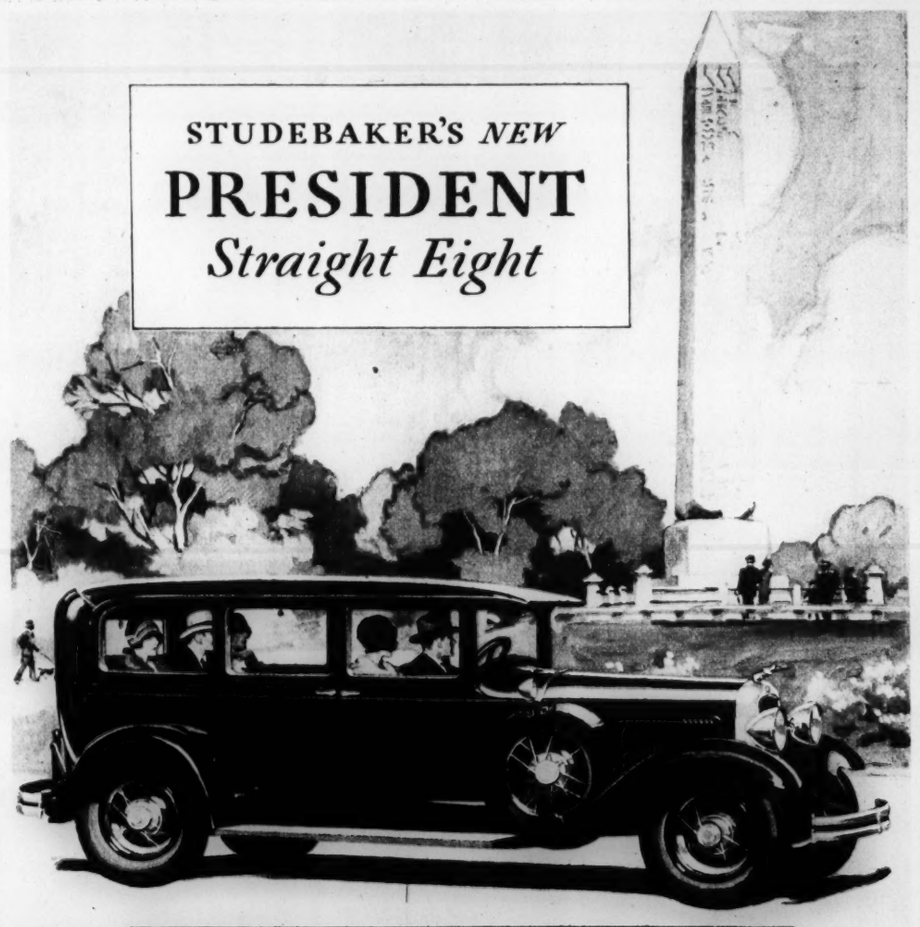
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FELICITATIONS. Schoolmates of Miss Margaret Elizabeth Moffett, winner of Sons of Revolution patriotic essay prize, congratulating her in front of the National on Washington's birthday.
Hugh Miller, Post Staff Photographer.



BUDDIES. Frankie Lou Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Frank Hines, 2903 Fourteenth street northwest, with her pet dog.
(Awarded $1.



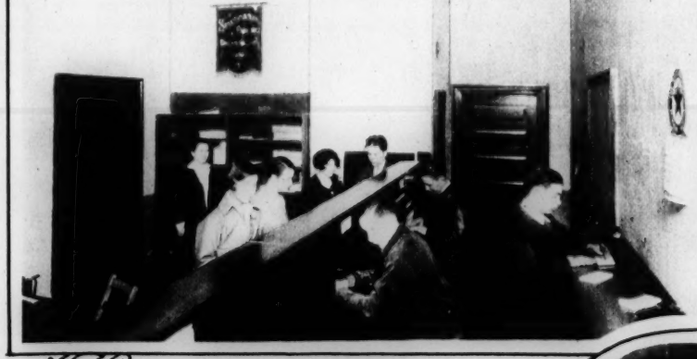
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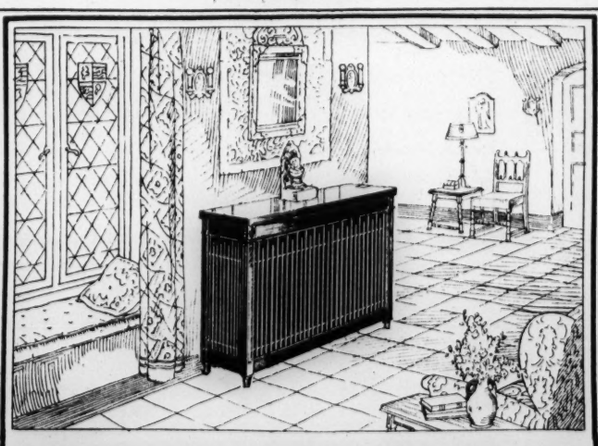
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So take this precaution: Use a dentifrice that keeps teeth white and also helps to firm gums and keep them healthy.

Daily, every morning and every night, brush teeth and gums with Forhan's for the Gums.

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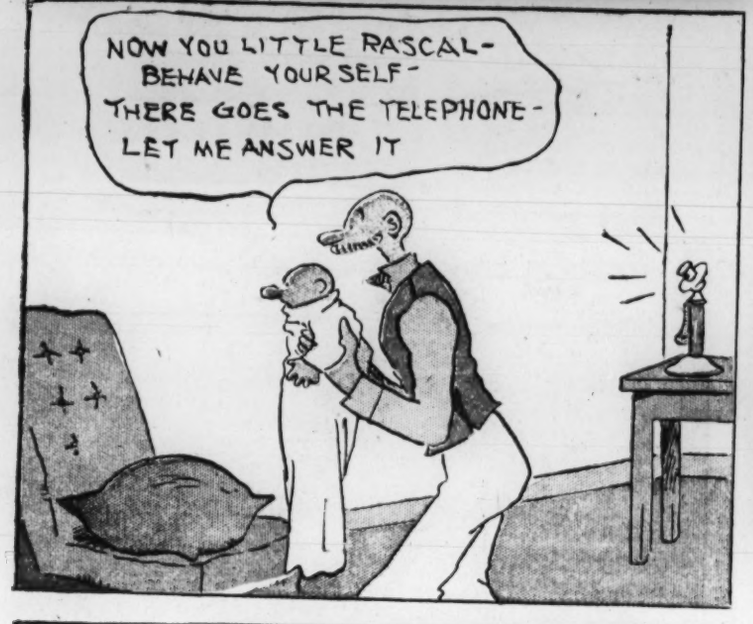
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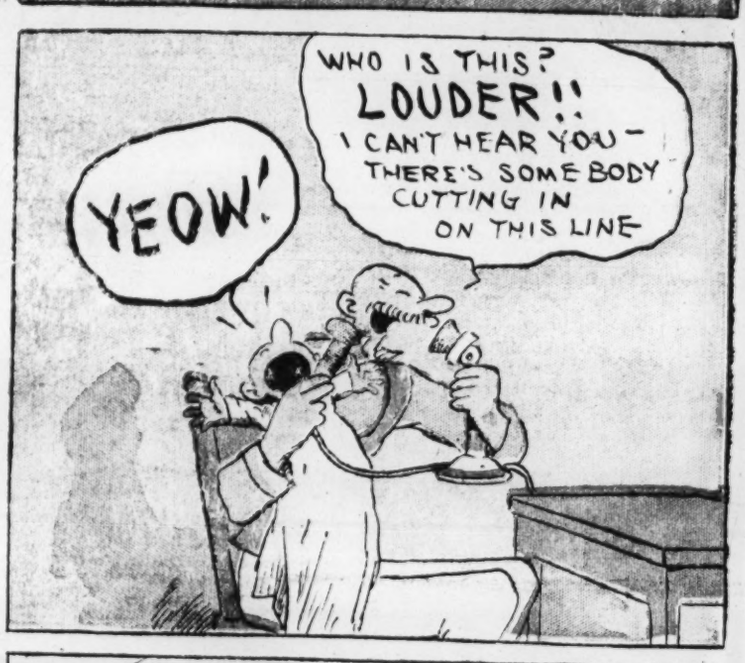


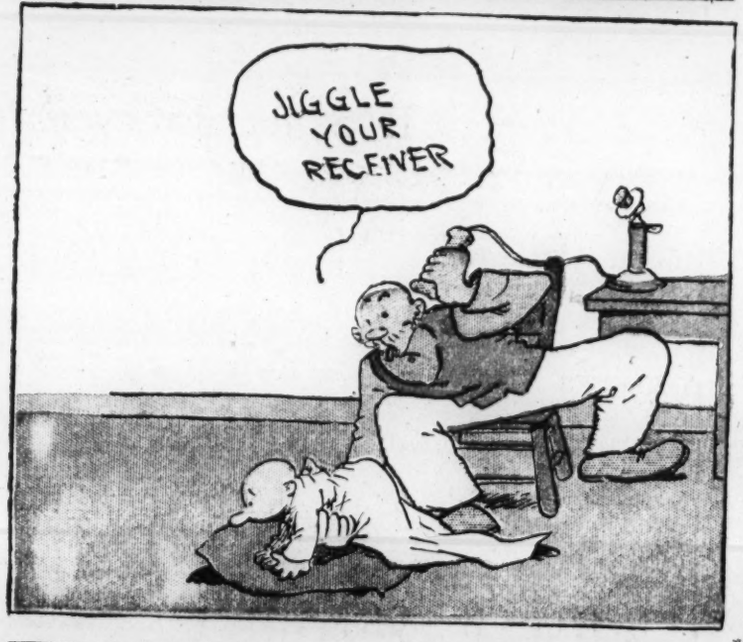






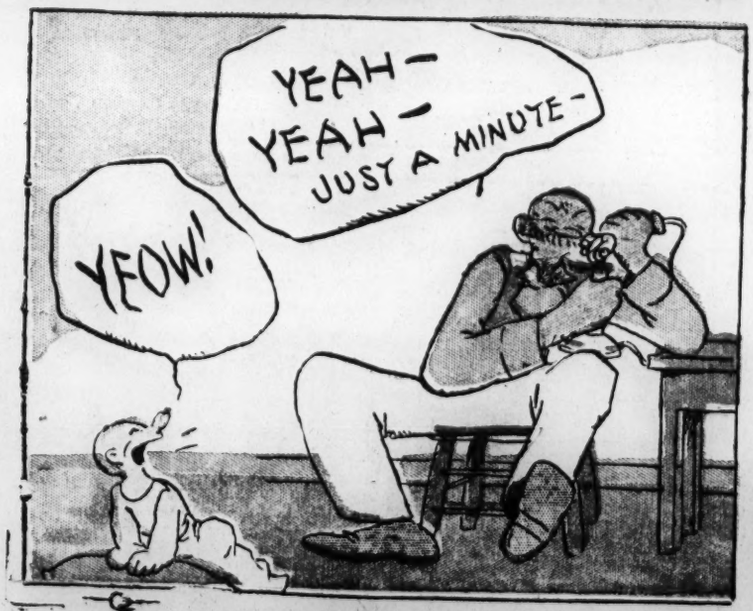




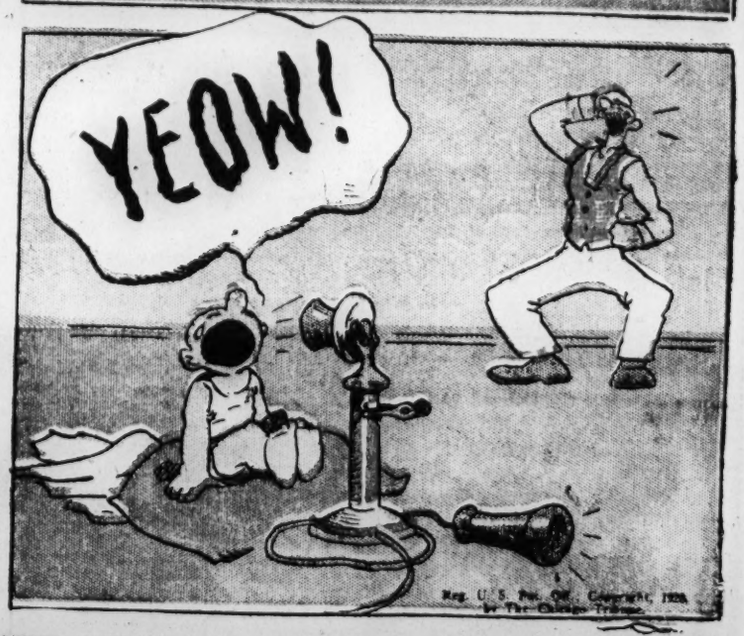














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HAVE YOU A LITTLE CARTOONIST IN YOUR HOME?

DRAW IN THE FUNNY FACES

THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

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By R. Dirks
Originator of the Katzenjammer Kids

TEE-HEE
HAW HAW!
HA! HA! HA! HA!
FOR DER LAST TIME - BEAT DOT RUG UND KEEP OUDT FUM MY APPLE BARREL!
VELL? VOTS SO FUNNY ABOUD DOT?
HE HE! AT LAST DER LIDDLE ANCHELS GOT TO GET USEFUL FOR VUNCE IN DERE LIFE!
DO YOU GET DER IDEA, BOLIVAR? KICK DER STUFFING OUDT UND IT GIFFS A NICE APPLE!
UND IF YOU DON'T, BOLIVAR, YOU GET DER STUFFING KICKED OUDT!
POW!
ANYBODY VOT GOT DUST IN DER VHISKERS - DISS ISS DER DAY!
BOY, VOT A SOCK! RIGHT FROM DER HEART!
SHH! CHUST A MINUTE, BOLIVAR! VUN APPLE AT DER TIME!
DER HORSE-LAFFER! GIFF A GOOD LOOK!
A ROD, A REEL UND A OCEAN FULL FUM FISH - DOT'S DER LIFE!
MY-O-MY! VOT A SVEET KICK-BALL PLAYER DOT BABY VOULD MAKE
THUD!
UND HIS NAME VOS BOLIVAR!
HAW! A APPLE A DAY VILL KEEP DER INSPECTOR AVAY!
CHASS, DOT'S LARGELY TRUE, BUT VEN YOU COMMENCE, NOTTING CAN KEEP DER APPLE-SAUCE AVAY!
A PIPPIN, VOT? BACK AROUND MIT DER BITZNESS END UND IT GIFFS!
JESS JUANITA AN' ME, AN ZE BAM-BINO MAKE TREE IN MY BLUE PARADISO -
WAM
TELL ME DARLING, "ISS DERE ANYMORE AT HOME LIKE YOU?
BETTER YOU TELL HIM IF YOU GOT ANYMORE APPLES IN DER APPLE BARREL!
HE DOT LAFFS LAFFS, LAFFS LAFFS!
VEN YOU ISS READY MIT DER SOCK-SOAK!
VOT ISS
DOG OF A PEEG! - FOR ZIS INSULT I LEAVE ZE SHEEP INSTANTLY!
HAIL! HAIL! DER GANG'S ALL MIT!
VELL, DUMMER, DOES DOT PROOF SUMTING OR ISS DER VORLD NUTTY?
OO, LOOK, CAP! POOR BOLIVAR GOT SORE FEET!
HM - I COULDN'T SAY FOR SURE BUT I TAKE A CHANCE!

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Hairbreadth Harry

By C. W. KAHLES

THREE DAYS AND NIGHTS I'VE BEEN SEARCHING FOR BELINDA AND I CAN'T KEEP MY EYES OPEN ANY LONGER. I SEEM TO BE WALKING IN MY SLEEP

HEH! HEH! HEH! NOBODY WILL EVER FIND HER WHERE I HAVE HIDDEN HER

BUT I CAN'T TAKE ANY CHANCES WITH THIS GUY AND NOW IS MY OPPORTUNITY! HE'LL NEVER WAKE OUT OF THAT SLEEP!

BOMB

SLOW FUSE

WHEN THAT BOMB GOES OFF AND BLOWS HIM TO ATOMS I'LL HAVE AN AIRTIGHT ALIBI. I'LL BE IN FULL VIEW OF THOUSANDS IN THIS THEATRE

TO-NIGHT
THE BEETLE
BAFFLING MYSTERY DRAMA
WHO PULLED THIS MYSTERIOUS MURDER? YOU'LL NEVER GUESS! IT'S A THRILLER!

B-O-O-O-OM! THERE SHE GOES! THAT DISTANT EXPLOSION REMOVES ME HATED ENEMY FROM ME PATH AND NOBODY WILL EVER SUSPECT ME

INTERMISSION BETWEEN ACT TWO AND THREE

WONDER WHO DID THE MURDER?

I'LL BET IT WAS THE CATTY WOMAN IN THE GREEN DRESS

I THINK THE QUIET LITTLE SAP IN THE BACKGROUND DID IT

LIKE AS NOT IT WAS SOMEBODY IN THE AUDIENCE

THE GUILTY PERSON IS IN THIS ROOM AND CAN'T ESCAPE. I WILL NOW SWITCH OFF THE LIGHTS AND SUMMON THE SPIRIT OF THE DEPARTED. FEAR WILL MAKE THE CULPRIT CONFESS

I DIDN'T DO IT

I HOPE YOU DON'T SUSPECT ME!

GEE! THIS MYSTERY IS GETTING EXCITING!

ACT THREE

SPIRIT, SPIRIT, IF YOU ARE IN THIS ROOM TELL US WHO BUMPED YOU OFF!

GOLLY! I'M GETTING TERRIBLY NERVOUS! THIS IS SPOOKY STUFF!

O-O-O-OH! LOOK!!

I-E-E-E!!

WHAT THA—?

WHERE'D HE COME FROM?

SUDDENLY A STARTLING APPARITION WAFTED ACROSS THE DARKENED STAGE!-AND THEN—AN EAR-PIERCING SHRIEK—

YOU—YOU—YOU—

WELL, I'LL BE—

STOP! STOP! IT'S HIS GHOST! DON'T LET IT GET ME! TAKE IT OFF!

YOU—YOU—YOU—

YI-YI-YI! I'LL CONFESS ALL! IT WAS I WHO BOMBED HIM!! STOP! BELINDA IS HIDDEN IN——

THAT'S NOT IN THE SHOW!

LIGHTS!

WAKE UP, WAKE UP, YOU SLEEP WALKER! I FOLLOWED YOU IN THE STAGE ENTRANCE BUT IT WAS TOO LATE TO HEAD YOU OFF THE STAGE

ARREST THAT MAN IN THE BOX THERE, OFFICER! HE ACTS GUILTY OF SOMETHING. I'M THE HOUSE DETECTIVE

WHERE AM I?

GOSH! THIS SHOW IS GETTING BALLED UP!

YOU BROKE UP A GOOD MYSTERY SHOW BUT YOU STAGED A SWELL ONE OF YOUR OWN

YOU SEE, IT'S JUST AS HE CONFESSED. NOW WE'LL FIND BELINDA

CURSES! IN MY FEAR I BLABBED TOO MUCH

GOSH! WHAT A NARROW ESCAPE! MUST HAVE BLOWN UP A COUPLA MINUTES AFTER I WALKED OUT IN MY SLEEP.

JUST AS HE SAID— IN THE STONE SARCOPHAGUS OF RAMESES, IN THE MUSEUM

GOSH! NO WONDER I COULDN'T FIND HER!

NOW WAS THAT NICE?

WINNIE WINKLE
The Breadwinner



SEE MAW, OUR NEIGHBORS NEXT DOOR WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN ROBBED LAST NIGHT IF THEY'D HAVE HAD A **DOG** AROUND TH' HOUSE! I'M GOIN' OUT AN' GET A WATCH-DOG FOR OUR HOUSE BEFORE TH' BURGLARS YISIT **US**!!

OH BOY! THAT'S GREAT!! WE'RE GOIN' TO HAVE A DOG!! I KNOW WHERE I CAN GET A **SWELL** DOG FOR NOTHIN'!!

I DON'T KNOW WHY SPUD'S MA AN' PA WAS GLAD TO GET RID OF A SWELL DOG LIKE THIS 'UN!! COME ON ROMEO, I'M GONNA GIVE YOU A FINE HOME!!

FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE! YOUR FATHER WENT OUT TO LOOK FOR A DOG — !!!

WELL, POP DON'T NEED TO LOOK NO FURTHER! HERE'S TH' BEST LIL' WATCHDOG IN TH' WORLD! HIS NAME'S ROMEO!!!

LAN' SAKES! GET THAT DOG OUT OF TH' LIVING ROOM! I JUST CLEANED IT — !!?!!

HERE, ROMEO!

HERE ROMEO! STOP THAT- Y'DARN FOOL!!

STOP HIM, PERRY- STOP HIM-

I'LL SHOW YOU - YOU INFERNAL DOG - Y'CAN'T COME IN AN' RUIN **THIS** HOUSE !!!!

THANK GOODNESS! NOW GET HIM OUT OF THE HOUSE AND I'LL LOCK EVERY DOOR AND WINDOW SO THAT WILD BEAST CAN'T GET IN HERE AGAIN!!

GEE - NO WONDER SPUD'S MA AN' PA WAS GLAD TO GET RID OF THIS DOG!!

WOOF WOOF

THAT MUT'S NAME OUGHT'A BE CYCLONE AFTER WHAT HE DONE TO THIS HOUSE!!

WOOF WOOF WOOF

I'D BETTER LOCK THIS BACK DOOR TOO! Y'NEVER CAN TELL WHAT THAT ELEPHANT OF A HOUND MIGHT DO!!

I LOCKED ALL TH' WINDOWS DOWNSTAIRS MA!!

WHEW!! WELL, I'M CERTAINLY GLAD WE GOT RID OF THAT BEAST!

WELL, HERE'S OUR WATCHDOG FOLKS!! CAN Y'IMAGINE **ME** HUNTIN' ALL OVER TOWN FOR A DOG AN' I FOUND THIS 'UN SETTIN' RIGHT IN FRONT OF **OUR** HOUSE?

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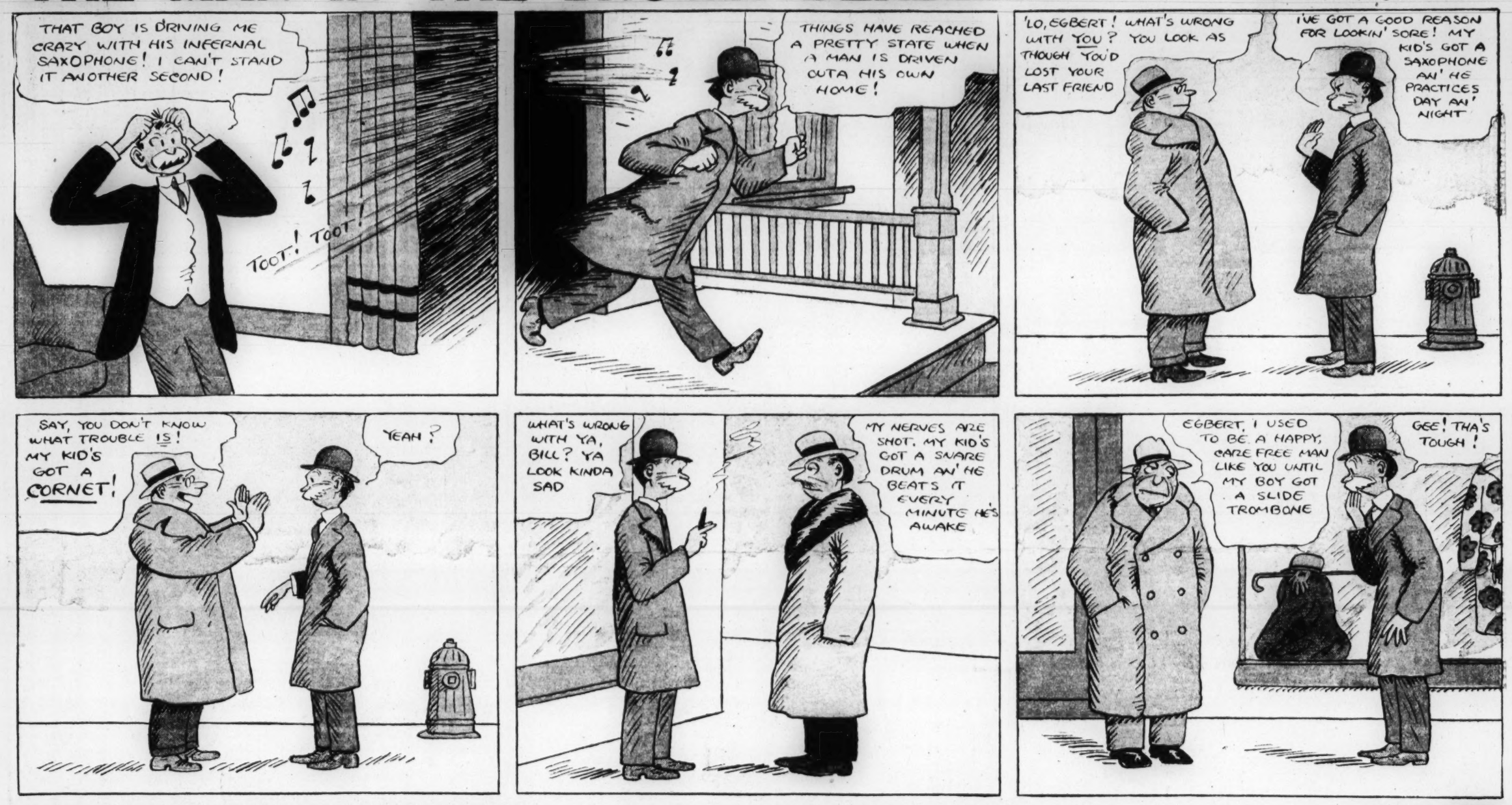
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THE MAN IN THE BROWN DERBY

By H. T. Webster

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The Bungle Family

Such Luck.

By H. J. TUTHILL

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ELLA CINDERS

by BILL CONSELMAN and CHARLIE PLUMB—o

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Ella, Jim Blunt, and Blackie are looking for the radium cave—with them is an Indian chaperone, Mrs. Flying Eagle. At the moment, Jim is out exploring····

OUCH! SAY, PEOPLE DON'T BITE MOSQUITOES—WHY DO MOSQUITOES BITE THEM?

I WILL TELL YOU A LEGEND OF MY PEOPLE ABOUT THE MOSQUITOES AND OTHER INSECTS—

A long time ago, our first ancestor the Little Boy Man roamed happily among the animals, their friend and comrade, beloved by all·····

The only one who hated him was Unktomee, the Spider, a trouble-maker. Unktomee called the animals together and warned them that unless they killed the Little Boy Man, he would some day be master of all of them. They decided to war upon the Little Boy Man·····

The friendly birds carried the war-news to the Little Boy Man, who sorrowfully prepared to battle with his former comrades·····

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Then one day, the prairie swarmed with the invading horde—elk, bison, coyotes, mountain lions, bears, badgers, wolves—and from the sky millions of insects which tormented and stung the Little Boy Man as he bravely fired his arrows. The insects blinded him, he could not see to shoot, he was in despair····

Then the Little Boy Man smote the rocks with his flint war-club. The sparks set fire to the grass, the smoke vanquished the insects and the flames made the warring animals flee in terror.

The animals sued for peace and the Little Boy Man made a treaty which provided that as punishment, the animals forever after should furnish man with skins for clothes and flesh for food, and all agreed to this except the insects who declared that they would never cease to torment man·····

MAR 4, 1928

BUT THE FAITHFUL BIRDS RESOLVED TO PUNISH THE INSECTS FOR REFUSING PEACE—AND THAT IS WHY BIRDS ALWAYS PURSUE INSECTS AND INSECTS BOTHER MANKIND!

IF YOU CAN'T READ 'EM UNCA WALT, I'LL TELL YOU WHAT THEY SAY.

GASOLINE ALLEY

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THESE GLASSES DOC GOT FIXED UP FOR ME MAY SHARPEN THINGS UP A BIT BUT THEY BOTHER ME JUST THE SAME.

YOU'LL HAVE TO GET USED TO THEM, WALT.

YES I'LL HAVE TO BREAK 'EM IN A LITTLE AT A TIME.

GEE! UNCA DOC LEFT HIS GLASSES OVER HERE WHEN HE WAS HERE A WHILE AGO.

I'LL TAKE 'EM BACK TO HIM CAUSE HE'LL MISS 'EM.

YOU LEFT YOUR GLASSES AT OUR HOUSE, UNCA DOC, AN' I BROUGHT 'EM BACK.

NO SKEEZIX. MINE ARE RIGHT THERE. THOSE MUST BE UNCA WALT'S NEW ONES YOU HAVE.

I DIDN'T KNOW UNCA WALT HAD ANY GLASSES. I BET HE LOOKS FUNNY.

GREAT JUMPIN GRASSHOPPER! THESE ARE TEN TIMES WORSE NOW. I CAN HARDLY SEE A THING.

DOC WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH MY EYES? ALL OF A SUDDEN EVERYTHING IS BLURRED AND OUT OF FOCUS.

MATTER? THAT KID OF YOURS JUST CAME OVER TO MY GARAGE AND CHANGED GLASSES ON US - THAT'S WHAT'S THE MATTER. I CAN'T SEE A THING EITHER.

THAT LITTLE RASCAL! HE CERTAINLY HAD ME GUESSING FOR A WHILE.

I CAN SEE BETTER WITHOUT 'EM BUT I SUPPOSE I'D BETTER HUMOR DOC AND WEAR 'EM PART OF THE TIME.

SKEEZIX! WHERE ARE YOU AND WHERE ARE MY GLASSES? I LEFT 'EM RIGHT HERE!

?

HERE THEY ARE UNCA WALT.

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Boys and Girls Enthuse Over The Junior Post

Whole Paper Must Be Filled Starting with Next Week's Issue

Dear Post Boys and Girls:

My! How the letters, stories, poems and drawings have come trooping into the office of the Junior Post.

I am told by the managers of the Airplane Model Contest that the response there has been truly wonderful. And nearly as many girls as boys are competing. Hurrah! Boys and girls go hand in hand in achievement, study, work and play nowadays. They should always be good comrades and friends.

The Junior Post has a great future before it if only you will work hard and send in your very best material. Just think, next week we will have four pages all of our own work! That means we can use many more stories, poems and drawings than ever before.

March is with us once again, and with it comes Mlle. Spring. How glad we will all be to see her tripping into the Capital on March 21. In her train will be happy days, spring flowers and glorious days in which we can spend merry hours out of doors. Winter has its delights, of course, but a spring in Washington or anywhere else in the U. S. A. for that matter is a joy beyond words.

Play out of doors all that you can when spring comes. Wholesome play in the open is as necessary for boys and girls as good food and plenty of refreshing sleep. Washington itself has so many beautiful parks and playgrounds it is not difficult to discover a fine place in which to play.

Please remember the rules of the contest.

The prizes each week will be:

Two dollars for the best heading, 10½ inches long and 2¾ inches deep.

One dollar for the best cartoon.

One dollar for the best story.

One dollar for the best poem.

One dollar for the best single drawing; and, in addition to these regular prizes, there will be special prizes announced from time to time.

Rules:

All work must be original.

Drawings must be in black ink only, on cardboard or strong white paper.

The stories must be written only one side of the paper in ink (or typewritten), and must not be more than 350 words long.

The poems must not be more than one page long and original.

Address all your entries to "Editor Boys' and Girls' Page, Washington Post, Washington, D. C." Sign them with your full name, age, address and school.

All work for the Junior Post must be in the hands of the editor by Monday of each week.

Now get busy. Let us have the finest junior newspaper in the United States.

EDITOR, Junior Post.

Jack's First Ride In Real Airplane

(Honorable Mention.)

John Dawes, better known as Jack, was the son of a New York lawyer. At the age of 19 his father decided that it was time that he, too, should study law.

But Jack had altogether different plans. Instead of studying law, he wanted to become an aviator. As his father could not change his mind, he sent him to an aviation school in Baltimore.

Jack studied for three months without taking a ride in an airplane. Then they transferred him to an aviation field where he would take his first ride, and this he thought would be a cinch.

One morning as he was thinking how he would look flying over his home town, an aviator came and told him to get ready for his first trip. Jack got into his suit and went with the aviator.

All went well until they were about 800 feet up and the aviator was trying the quick descent by taking a nose dive.

Then Jack felt a funny feeling in his head, the aviator seeing him turn a little pale, turned his ship back. When they landed he helped Jack to his room.

The next day when he was supposed to go up again he refused and said he didn't think he was cut out to be a Lindy. So he returned home.

Some years later, to his father's delight, he was sitting in his private office and printed on his door was: "John H. Dawes, Lawyer and Attorney."

JEROME WALDVOGEL (age 15).
West Falls Church, Va.

From a Train.

(Honorable Mention.)

Quiet and peaceful the scenes that we see,
The forests, the mountains, the hills and the lea:
The green growing meadows, the stubble of corn,
All give us a cheery, bright welcome this morn.

The small country schoolhouse, just painted, it seems;
The rose-covered cottage, a haven of dreams;
The poplars are keeping some secrets, I know,
Within their close branches that upward must go.

Yet still we roll onward, and still the scenes fly
Around and behind us, and as we flash by
It seems 'tis a painting, both lovely and rare—
The hand of the Maker has rested just there.

RUTH C. CHINDBLOM (age 18).
1901 Fifteenth street northwest.

Jack Gets Reward For Saving Tots

(Honorable Mention.)

Jack was a poor boy who lived with his mother in a rough hut. His father was dead, so he had to work hard to buy something to eat for himself and mother. He did all he could to make his mother happy and to make their hut clean and as attractive as possible.

Jack had many friends who were very kind to him. They were all Boy Scouts. Jack often watched them when they went by on hikes and fishing trips. He often longed to go with them but he knew his mother needed him to stay with her; besides, he had no money to buy scout supplies.

One day Jack was going on an errand for his mother. He had to go through a thick woods in which there was a deep stream. He had gotten about half way through when he heard screams. He ran in the direction of the noise and found a little boy and girl who had fallen into the water.

Jack was unable to swim, but he jumped in and managed to pull the children out of the water. The boy and girl told Jack who their father was so he took them to him. He was a rich man and these were the only children he had. The man gave Jack $15,000 as a reward.

Jack ran home to his mother and told her of his day's work and to prepare for a better home, as he was now a rich lad. Jack was looked upon by every one as a brave hero. He joined the Boy Scouts and became a leading member. He was elected captain of the club.

MILTON H. HOWES (age 15).
Gaithersburg, Md., Route 2.

His Bravery Saves Valuable Package

Awarded $1 Prize.

Jim Thorns, a young man of 17, was a mail clerk on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. He was of a high standing among his fellow clerks.

Jim was busy sorting the mail when Mr. Briggs, the manager, came in and said:

"Mr. Thorns, I have a matter of great importance to confide to you. Yesterday we received a package which we are to deliver at the main office in Columbus. This package has a very high value, and you are the only one to whom I can entrust it. Guard this package with your life. Doubtless there are robbers along the route."

Jim knew what Mr. Briggs meant, so he quietly hid the package in the remotest corner of the shelf. Jim then went towards the door to get some rest.

As he was standing on the platform he happened to look up. A man was leaning over the roof of the car with pistol in hand.

The man motioned for Jim to lean against the wall.

Jim obeyed.

The man descended and said, "Go get that package which you just now hid."

Jim stood motionless.

The man raised his revolver.

Then Jim remembered these words: "Guard this package with your life."

He shuddered.

To run towards the shelf, grab the package, and dart out required but a moment

As the robber was clever he did not wait, but walked towards the shelf.

Instantly Jim sprang towards the bell. As he rang the bell a shot was heard. Jim fell to the floor in a heap. The door was thrown open and two guards appeared. The train was going at the rate of 45 miles an hour It was useless for the robber to jump. The guards tied him up and at the next station left him to the police.

Doubtless you will wonder what became of Jim.

Jim was taken to a hospital where it was discovered that the bullet entered just below the heart. As soon as Jim was able to go back to work he was transferred to the post of chief clerk.

EUGENE PETRENHO (age 15).
4824 Forty-first street northwest.

Brightwood Graduating Song.

(Honorable mention.)

From the halls of dear old Brightwood,
to the gates of High School,
We fight to control our tempers
And not to break the rule;
To respect our teachers, dear,
And to keep our honor good,
We're proud to claim the title
Of the graduates of Brightwood.
We want to leave a memory
That is worth being spoken of,
In the minds of our dear teachers
And in the school we love.
We are graduating today
And are going far away,
But we won't forget old Brightwood
'Cause we're coming back some day.

LUCILLE BLICK.
Age 13. 5333 Sixteenth street northwest.

Alexandria Celebrates 136th Birthday of George Washington

(Honorable Mention.)

The quiet little city of Alexandria was all aglow with excitement when the Mayflower docked and our President came ashore. He was escorted to the old historic Carlyle House where Gov. Byrd, of Virginia, was the host in his honor. On account of sickness Mrs. Byrd and Mrs. Coolidge were unable to attend the reception, but the governor's mother was there.

As I shook hands with Gov. Byrd my thoughts went back to the first governors, how they fought and protected their people. Then I imagined Washington standing there amongst handsome gentlemen and beautiful ladies whose exquisite silk dresses rustled as they walked passed. The jewels in their powdered hair shining like sunbeams as the tall tapers poured their light down upon them. The gentlemen dressed in their new breeches heavily embroidered and waistcoats of delicate pastel trimmed in old lace and their silver shoe buckles reflecting the light from the tall tapers also.

And then another scene came to my mind. That scene in the room when Washington warned Gen. Braddock and also the scene where the Declaration of Independence was talked of.

As President Coolidge reached for my hand my vision disappeared. I saw our President standing there perhaps in the same spot our first President once stood with a gorgeous American flag behind him for which Washington so gallantly fought.

I was out of the room in a moment, through another room in which the orchestra was playing "My Yankee Rose," and out into the street once more where the flags were flying in a delightful breeze.

The Richmond Light Infantry Blues were standing in front of the famous old house forming a court of honor. As they stood there they reminded me of the Continental Army waiting for their general's command.

After the reception a spectacular parade took place amidst much cheering and band music. Thousands of patriots pilgrimaged to pay homage to their first President, the Father of His Country.

DOROTHY GOULD FATHER,
1424 Sixteenth St. N. W., (age 16).

A Day With Mena.

(Honorable Mention.)

Mena Van Dyke put the last strap in place and surveyed her work with pride. Pierre, the dog, was firmly harnessed to the little gay green cart, and ready to start on his day's work.

"Mena," her mother called anxiously, "are you sure you can make Pierre obey?"

"Yes, mother," Mena replied, and with a crack of her whip and a jingle of bells they were off.

Mena's wooden shoes clattered noisily on the pavement as she walked along beside the brilliant fields of flowering bulbs. She gazed at the great windmills that never ceased their work of saving the land from the cruel seas, and she urged Pierre on with cheerful words.

To all of the houses Mena went, leaving the shining pails of milk. As the last one was left Mena and Pierre started swiftly home.

Then, at a bend in the road, Pierre spied his master climbing the hill.

Away he went, the cart swaying dangerously and Mena racing after.

Hans, Mena's brother, turning, saw the dog and the small, distressed figure in blue gingham hurrying after.

At a word from him, Pierre stopped and Mena jumped into her brother's arms.

"Hans," she cried, "mother sent me with Pierre because you were late coming home. Then Pierre saw you and ran."

Hans broke out laughing.

"Thank you, Mena," he said, gratefully, "for doing my work. Here, Pierre," he added, "you shall be punished for disobeying me." And putting Mena into the cart he made Pierre walk on. So they reached the top of the hill, then turning, followed the dyke home.

RUTH STEELE (age 14).
Army War College, City.

The Silver Moon.

(Honorable Mention.)

A silver moon
Shines on the trees
And lights the earth all night.
And while the stars are twinkling so,
It is a pretty sight.

HELEN COX (age 7 years).
107 Grafton street, Chevy Chase, Md.

Hails San Antonio As the "Wonder City"

San Antonio, I think, is as wonderful in itself as Venice or Athens. As one enters the city, one notices immediately the tropical atmosphere.

The palms and other tropical plants, that are typical of only South American cities, can be seen in abundance.

One also notices the Spanish architecture, which is well adapted to the tropical atmosphere.

As one traverses the city one notices the surprising San Antonio River. It is bluish green, and crystal clear in color and restful and pleasing in appearance.

This little canal-like river winds its way in and out among the blocks in downtown San Antonio.

There are many bridges crossing it, many parks alongside, and many pleasing cafe's overlooking it.

On the outskirts of the town may be seen the ruins of the old missions, built by the good Spanish Franciscan Fathers. Many of these old buildings were built probably 400 or 500 years ago.

Many Mexicans, too, may be seen. Most Mexicans are interesting and picturesque.

One hates to leave such a delightful city. Wouldn't you?

THOMAS NAUGHTEN (age 14).
411 Decatur street northwest.

Birds.

(Honorable Mention.)

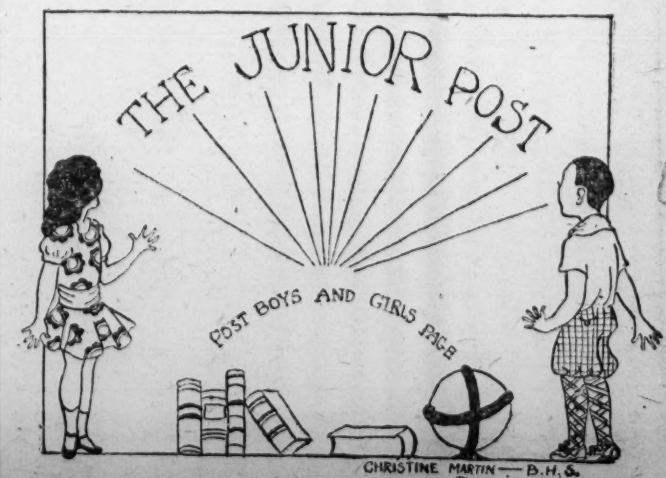
When evening shades are falling,
And nightingales are calling,
The whip-poor-wills are peeping forth to see
What the chatter and noise of every bird
And the glorious surprise that might be.

And then when it is very dark,
They wait to hear the meadowlark
And her song she sings all night long
Filling each heart with joy and fun.

And then when day is breaking,
And winter is drawing near,
Their songs we'll hear not often, now,
But wait until our next new year.

FRANCES JEAN FREEMAN,
Raeford, N. C.





CONSTRUCTION OF INDOOR PUSHER EXPLAINED

Merrill Hamburg, author of The Washington Post series of articles, is a foremost model plane expert. Many of his students, who have built the same types of planes you are learning to build, have won State and national flying championships. This is Mr. Hamburg's second construction article. You'll learn to build other smoothly flying indoor and outdoor models in coming weeks. If you have questions to ask, or wish to buy airplane model materials, or wish to join the Airplane Model League of America, write Mr. Hamburg at Room 49, Washington Post Building, inclosing a 2-cent stamp for your answer.

By MERRILL HAMBURG
Secretary, Airplane Model League of America.

MODEL aviators who are learning to build flying models through The Washington Post have cut their teeth on the Baby R. O. G.—a sturdy little ship with 12-inch wingspread that will fly from 30 to 50 seconds. In this article are the plans and instructions for the indoor pusher, that will fly over two minutes. It's called "pusher" because its propeller is at the rear end of the fuselage, pushing the ship forward.

The indoor pusher has no landing gear. You launch it from your hand. It's larger than the Baby R. O. G. and you need a bigger room in which to fly it. Pusher propellers are used on some of the large ships today. The first plane that crossed the Atlantic, the big NC-4, had both pusher and tractor propellers.

You've learned in building the R. O. G. that the best airplane models are made of the extremely light and tough balsa wood, Japanese imperial tissue, bamboo and piano wire. Since these materials are rather hard to secure, The Washington Post has arranged with the Airplane Model League of America to supply you with kits, to be sold at cost, containing enough material to build one plane, allowing for some waste. To get the kit for the indoor pusher, send 70 cents to Room 49, Washington Post Building, or bring 65 cents in person.

Before you start actual construction study the drawing. This shows you the assembled plane with its five major parts, including the elevator, wing, motor stick, fin and propeller. Be sure that you understand, as far as possible, the purpose of every part.

Start With Wing.

Start with the wing, shown in figure 2. To make your two spars, take a single piece of balsa 1-16 by 3-8 by 13½ inches, heat the center of it over the spout of a tea kettle and bend it to the angle shown in figure 2. After you've bent it, split it down the middle. Do this either with a sharp knife or a safety razor blade. Finish each spar to exactly the dimensions in the drawing, 3-32 wide by 1-16 thick. Half cut away or lap the ends, as shown at the upper left-hand corner of figure 2, to receive the bamboo wing tips.

For your wing tips, finish a 7-inch strip of ba. boo to exactly 1-32-inch thickness and ⅛-inch width. Since the shiny side of the bamboo is strongest, you may split off the under part and throw it away. Bend your strip over an open flame to the curve shown in the drawing, and, after it's bent, split it down the middle to form your two tips. Bending the two tips in one piece insures your getting the same curve on each tip.

Splitting bamboo is tricky. The split tends to work toward the edge. When it does that, start your knife again on the original line. Not hard at all, when you're used to it.

Your tips are now about 1½ inches longer than they need be. Cut them down to the right size and glue them to the spars. Next, cut and glue on your seven bamboo ribs according to the drawing. That's easy. Remember that the ambroid cement that comes in your kit evaporates quickly if exposed to the air. Keep your bottle corked at all times when you're not actually using it.

Your wing frame, now completed, should be coated with banana oil to strengthen it and allowed to dry.

Now cover your wing frame with Japanese imperial tissue. First of all paint the center rib with banana oil. Lay your tissue on it. Then work outward from the center rib, successively painting and covering each rib. When you've finished, trim the paper close and paint the edges with banana oil to stick them to the frame.

Nothing hard about it so far, is there? Just takes careful work.

The Motor Stick.

Your motor stick, or fuselage, shown in figure 3, is a piece of balsa ⅛-inch square by 15 inches long. To hold your wing in place upon the motor stick, use a single rubber band, both of whose strands stretch over the top of the wing and whose ends pass under the motor stick. This holds the motor stick tight to the bottom of the wing. The drawing, figure 1, makes this clear.

Figure III shows you the motor stick with the rudder, or fin, attached and the same drawing shows you how to bend the front hook from .020 music wire. Ambroid the front hook to the front end of the motor stick (in the drawing this is the left end) as shown in Figure III. Your rear bearing is the small flattened brad with a hole large enough to receive the propeller shaft drilled through it. In the small drawing above the rear end of Figure III this brad is called the "thrust bearing." It is glued to the rear end of the motor stick (in the drawing this is the right end) as shown in Figure III. If you find it difficult to obtain a drilled thrust bearing get your manual training teacher to help you. You can get a serviceable bearing by flattening a little brad, not longer than ½ inch, and punching a hole in it near one end with a phonograph needle.

The can, bent from .015 music wire, is clearly shown in Figure I, just below the motor stick. It is glued to the center of the motor stick as shown in Figures I and III.

At the rear end of the motor stick is the fin. This is made from a flat piece of balsa wood 1-32 inch thick. It is glued vertically to the top of the motor stick, as shown in Figure III. Be sure, too, that it is vertical. If it isn't it will affect the performance of the plane.

The Elevator.

The elevator, shown in Figure IV, is probably the hardest part of the plane to construct. And it is just about the most important.

Note, in Figure I, how the elevator goes on the front end of the motor stick. Your study of Figure IV will show you that the front or leading edge of the elevator is 5-16 inch higher at the tips (marked A) than the rear or trailing edge (marked B), except at the center where it rests on the stick. This center part is marked C and D.

Finish the bamboo for the frame of the elevator to 1-16 inch square, using as long a strip as you have. The best method of shaping it is to bend the strip to form one-half the elevator, as figure V indicates. Bend the strip over an open flame, just as you did the wing tips.

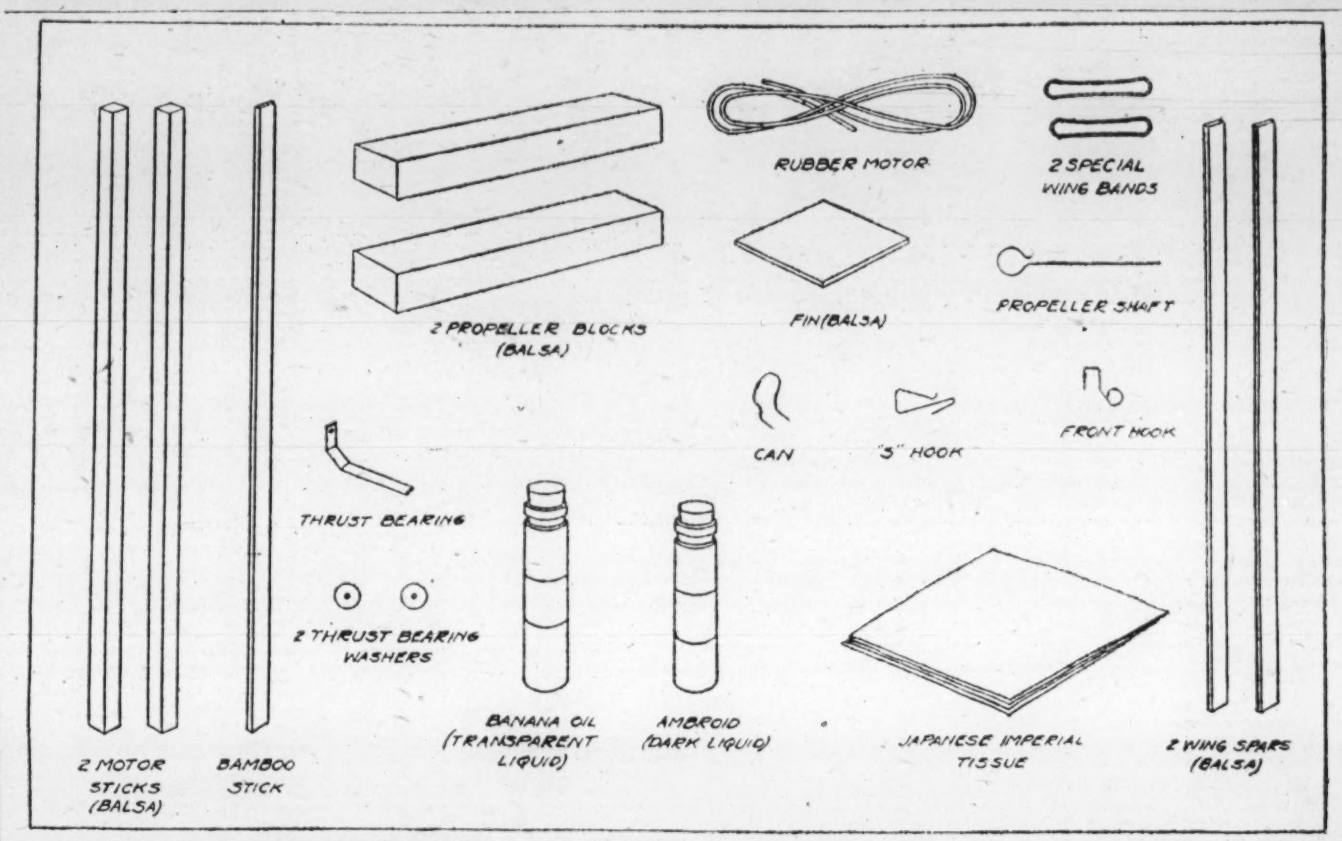
After the half has been bent to the proper shape you can split it into two pieces. With a razor blade, start first at one end and then the other, splitting the strip toward the middle. Figure V shows you just how it's done. When these halves have been trimmed to 1-32 inch square and well sanded, the corresponding ends can be cemented together. While glueing the halves together, you may also ambroid the center rib in place.

Your next step is to bend the front edge, marked ACA in the drawing, to form a flat V, with the two points A 5-16 inch higher than the point C. Take care with this, because the shape of the elevator frame is important.

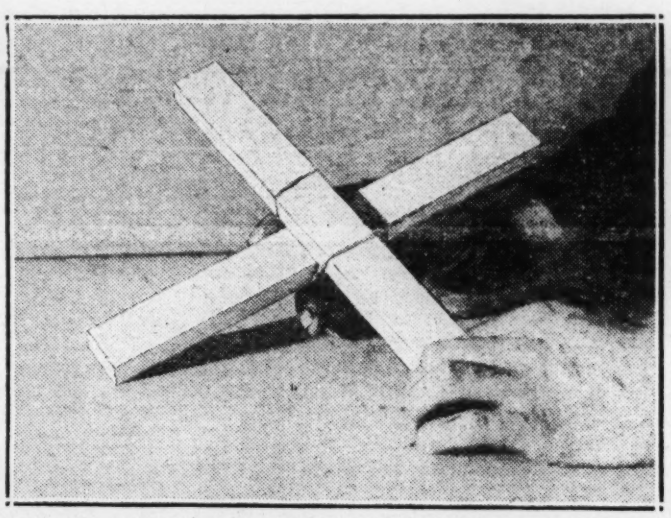
When you have the frame properly bent, cover it with tissue. Attach the elevator to the motor stick with a rubber band just as you did with the wing.

Carving the Propeller.

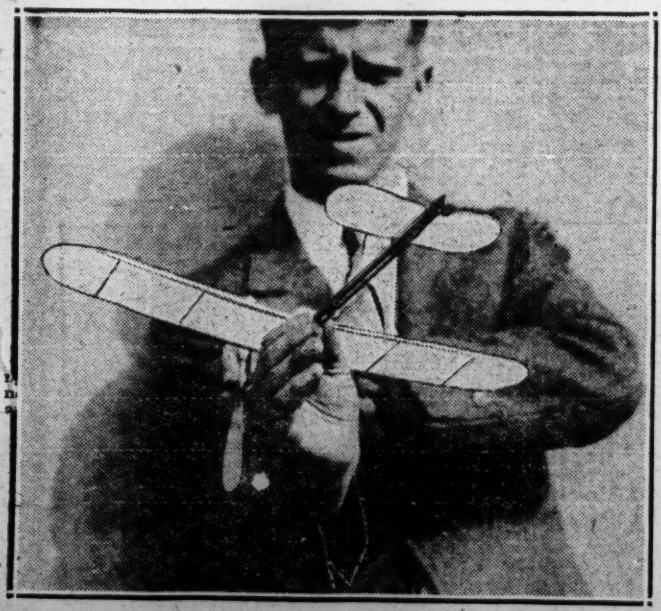
Now you're ready to carve the propeller from a balsa block ¾ by 1⅛ by 7 inches. Square and sand the block on all sides. Draw diagonals on the two 1⅛ by 7 inch surfaces, as shown in "A," Figure VI, and push a pin through the intersection of the diagonals, to make the hole for your propeller shaft. Now carve the block, following the four steps shown in the drawings. First, carve to the long diagonals to the shape of "B," Figure VI. Then draw the end diagonals shown in "B"—drawing the diagonal on each end to opposite corners. Carve



For your indoor pusher plane you'll need balsa—the wood that comes from South America and is one-half lighter than cork; you'll need special tissue for the wings, bamboo for struts and braces, the right kind of flat rubber for the motor, the little metal parts, banana oil, and ambroid cement. Most of these materials aren't easy to get! For that reason The Washington Post has arranged with the Airplane Model League of America to supply you with kits containing enough parts and materials to build one plane. The indoor pusher kit costs 65 cents at room 49, Washington Post Building.



The instructions for building the indoor pusher tell you that the wing is held to the motor stick by a single rubber band. If that statement puzzled you, glance at this picture. See how the single band holds two sticks together? Imagine that the upper stick is your wing and the lower the motor stick, and your bewilderment will be over.



To launch the indoor pusher, hold the motor stick in your right hand and the wound-up propeller in your left. Don't throw the plane! Just release the propeller and let it sail away from your hand.

Join the A. M. L. A.

Membership in the Airplane Model League of America—the nation-wide organization of model aviators headed by Commander Richard E. Byrd, William B. Stout, Clarence Chamberlin and other noted air leaders—costs you just a 2-cent stamp. The Washington Post has arranged with A. M. L. A. to supply you with airplane model parts and materials at cost, and to answer your questions on model plane construction, or aviation in general. Fill out the coupon below and join forces with 50,000 air-minded boys and girls throughout the United States and Canada.

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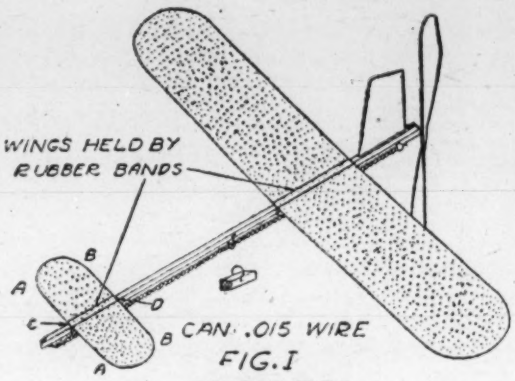
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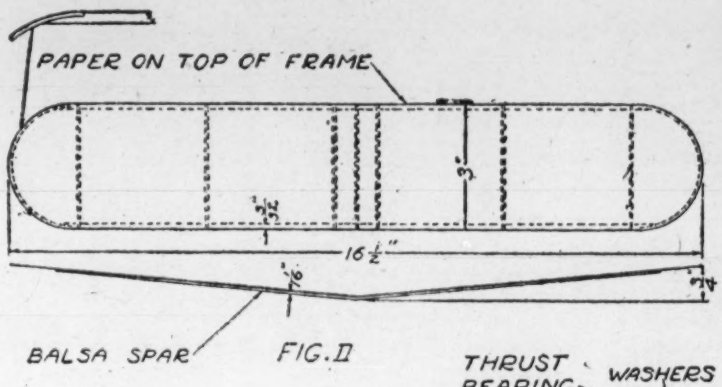
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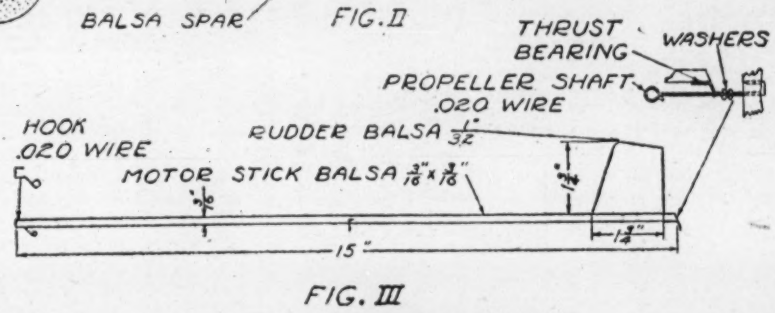
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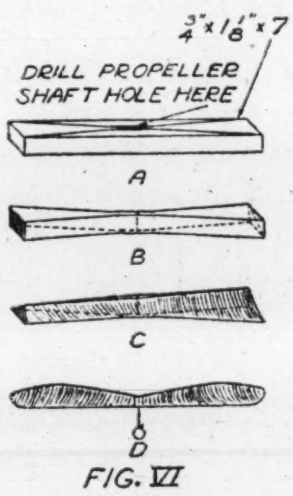
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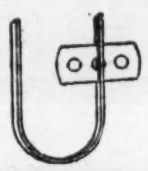
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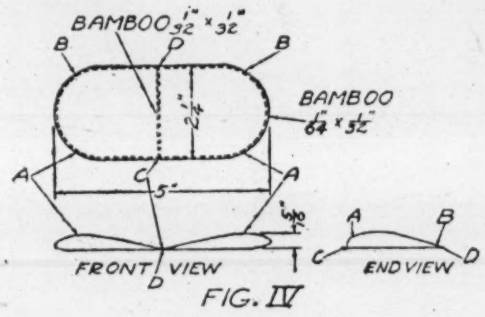












Here's the ship that flies elevator to the front. Study, particularly, Fig. IV, the elevator, and Fig. V, which shows how to split your bamboo wing tips. Note Fig. I, the assembled plane, how the wing and elevator are held to the motor stick with rubber bands, and how the motor runs beneath the motor stick, instead of above it as in the Baby R. O. G.

the block to the shape of "C," and finally, finish to "D." Finish the propeller to 1-32 inch thickness, except at the hub, where it should be about 1-16.

The propeller shaft is shown attached to the propeller in Figure VI and is shown more in detail in the drawing above the right end of Figure III. It is bent from a piece of .020 music wire about 3 inches long. One end is passed through the hole in the hub of the propeller, bent into a square U and ambroided in place. Slip on two small bronze washers next to the hub to prevent friction between the bearing and the propeller.

Your power is obtained from a strand of ⅛-inch flat rubber 30 inches long. The two ends of this are tied to form a 15-inch band, one end of which is hooked over the end of the propeller shaft and the other end (the end with the knot) over the front hook. The strands pass through the can. The rubber motor should be long enough to allow about an inch of slack when it is hooked in place.

You are ready now to try out your second plane—the indoor pusher. Remember that it flies with the small end—the elevator end—to the front. Give the propeller about 300 turns and let the plane sail from your hands. If it misbehaves badly you've probably been careless in finishing your parts to the correct dimensions. Perhaps you have not set your fin correctly upon the motor stick. Maybe your elevator doesn't have enough lift. In that case you will want to build another ship, profiting by your experience and working more carefully. If your plane climbs too rapidly, set the wing forward. Once you have the proper adjustment your ship will give you a smooth, steady flight that will delight you and astonish your friends.

(Look for next Saturday's article. It tells you how to build a winder that will save you the task of winding your motor by hand, and it will give you more tips on how to experiment with and improve your planes! And the week after that the indoor endurance tractor—the plane that holds the world's indoor record of 173 seconds!)

Seaplane Parking Law Held Needed

New York (A.P.).—Need for a parking ordinance for seaplanes is seen by the New York police. Some one parked a seaplane in Gravesend Bay and a rescue squad had to be called out to save it when the wind rose.

The rescuers got very wet. They held the seaplane pending the owner's return, but they were unable to think up any law that had been violated.

Find Theory Aids Makers of Models

If you want to know why it is that some model airplanes fly for minutes when yours will fly only a few seconds—

If you want to know why your model insists on doing stalls and nose dives when some boys have trained theirs to do a perfect loop-the-loop or to glide to a perfect landing—

If you want to find out why that plan you designed yourself simply refuses to fly—

Start studying the theory of flying.

Begin at Home.

You can begin your study with your own model, for building and flying model planes is one of the best possible ways to gain a knowledge of aeronautics. Try it with the wing in different positions, warp the tips of the wing and twist the fin and watch the results; experiment by adding more surface to your tail group and by lightening your construction. You'll learn a lot if you observe carefully and keep a mental record of what you see.

Maybe, though, you'll find that you can't answer your own questions. In that case, get your best friend to puzzle out your problems with you, or ask your father to help. If they can't help you, try your scoutmaster, your manual training teacher, or your Y. M. C. A. leader. And, in the meantime, read every authoritative piece of aviation literature you can get your hands on.

The Last Resort.

But should all your usual sources of information fail you, don't be discouraged. Write out your question, put it into an envelope along with a 2-cent stamp, and send it to Merrill Hamburg, model expert and secretary of the Airplane Model League of America. The Washington Post is cooperating with the league and with The American Boy Magazine in sponsoring model building.

Mr. Hamburg can answer your questions, and all members of the league have the right to make use of his knowledge and experience in building models. Here are a few of the hundreds of questions he answers every day:

Q. What is the S hook for?

A. The S hook is used for fastening the rubber motor of the model airplane to the rear hook when the motor is being wound with a mechanical winder. It is not needed when the motor is wound by hand.

Q. Should I cover the bottom of my wing as well as the top, or should I cover only one side of the frame?

A. The wings of the Baby R. O. G., the Indoor Pusher and the Indoor Tractor are known as single surface wings. They are covered on the top side only. Japanese Imperial Tissue is the best covering for the purpose. Covering the bottom surface would not give enough additional lift to make up for the weight.

Q. Do you cover the tail surfaces of the Baby R. O. G. on the top?

A. The tail surfaces of both the Baby R. O. G. and the Indoor Tractor are covered on the bottom and are flat with the fuselage.

Q. Which side of the fin should be covered? Should both sides be covered?

A. It makes no difference in the performance of the plane which side of the fin is covered. The fin gives directional control only so it would be of no use to cover both sides.

Q. How many turns should be given to the Baby R. O. G. motor?

A. The number of turns to be given a rubber motor is variable, but probably you will find 250 turns the best number for your Baby R. O. G., at least at first. If you go over that you may break your motor, although it should be able to stand 400 turns without stretching, or you may break your motor stick, which is worse.

U. S. Pilots Hold Two World Flying Records

Students of aviation who are following the airplane model articles in The Washington Post will be interested to know that two of the world's records for duration, distance, altitude and speed are held by Americans.

Charence Chamberlin, pilot of the Bellanca monoplane, Columbia, on its flight from New York to Eisleben, Germany, holds the distance record. The record was set June 4-6, 1927, and the distance was 3,923 miles.

The holder of altitude record is Lieut. C. C. Champion, U. S. N., who reached a height of 38,474 feet on July 25, 1925.

One of the records is held by Germans and the other by an Italian.



Commander Byrd, honorary president A. M. L. A., in his polar flying togs.

What Makes It Fly?

Why does an airplane fly?

Those aviation enthusiasts who have been building the model airplanes described by The Washington Post in the program sponsored by The American Boy Magazine and the Airplane Model League of America may have wondered about that. Maybe some of them have thought out answers for themselves, but anyway—

An airplane flies, not because it has wings like a bird, but because it hasn't time to fall down! It goes at such speed that the air—aeronautical engineers call it "airstream"—keeps it up. A boomerang, thrown into the air, rises for a while and then starts to fall. It drops as soon as its speed lessens and gravity takes hold. A kite stays up as long as the wind blows past its surface—when the wind dies or the string slackens it falls.

It is technically said that an airplane is supported by aerodynamic forces acting on its supporting surfaces. That means that moving air, flowing against the wing and tail surfaces, hold it up. The propeller pulls the plane so rapidly that the upward push and pull of the wind maintains the plane in the air, just as a motorboat can pull an aquaplane so swiftly that it will bear the weight of a man.

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Honor Certificate Department
Airplane Model League of America
Room 49, Washington Post Building

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is ten cents to cover cost of issuing and mailing an honor certificate to

..... of
(Name of A. M. L. A. Member)

.....
(Street) (City) (State)

who in my presence on .....19..... flew a model airplane of the.....

.....type a total of .....seconds, sustained flight. To my knowledge this plane was built by himself.

.....Flight Witness

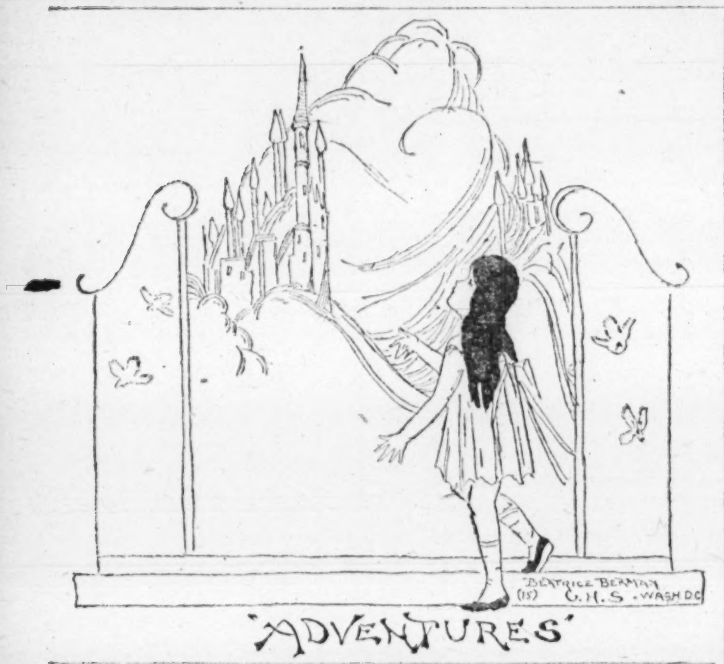
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Instructions to Flight Witness: Any adult may be a flight judge. First satisfy yourself that the A. M. L. A. member actually built the plane he proposes to fly. Then take out your watch, direct him to launch his plane from any height under six feet and compute his "duration." "Duration" begins when the plane leaves his hand—it ends when the plane lands on the ground or floor. If the plane (determine its type in advance) exceeds the following minimum durations it is entitled to a certificate and this coupon should be filled out: Baby R. O. G., 30 seconds; Indoor Pusher, 65 seconds; Indoor Tractor, 100 seconds; Outdoor Pusher, 120 seconds. Flights of the first three models must take place indoors—the larger and higher the room the better. The Outdoor Pusher must be flown outdoors.





"ADVENTURES"

"Wings of the World."

(Honorable Mention.)

It was a late afternoon in the year 96 B. C. The glow of the setting sun shone on the faces of two men as they stood on a hill near the city of Jerusalem. They were watching a huge bird fly about in the sky.

They watched till the bird disappeared in the distance, and then one spoke. "There shall come a time," he said, "when man shall be given the wings of a bird, and he shall soar into unknown realms."

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Two thousand years later, on December 17, 1903, this prophecy came true. On the bleak sands of a lonely seaside village in North Carolina the first aeroplane took off and was successfully flown.

The Wright brothers, inventors of the plane, chose this desolate place for their experimenting, for they did not wish to be disturbed.

The aeroplane has been greatly improved upon since that time, for then a man could stay in the air only a few hours and now transoceanic flight can be made.

The first flight of this nature was made in 1919, when Capt. Alcock and Lieut. Brown flew in their British plane from Newfoundland to Ireland. Thus were Europe and America first bridged by air. In the same year a prize of $25,000 was offered by Raymond Orteig to the first who made a nonstop flight from New York to Paris.

The first to try for this prize were Coli. But since they took off from Paris they have not been heard from. It is believed their plane was lost in the ocean.

Then came an unknown lad out of the West. He quietly took off in the gray dawn of a foggy morning, and the next night his silver plane landed at Le Bourget, Paris.

This was Lindbergh, who is now enshrined in the hearts of the people the world over.

Following this flight came others by American aviators. Byrd and Chamberlin flew across the Atlantic, four of the Dole fliers arrived safely in Hawaii from San Francisco. All these flights have taken place in the past year. Can not the year 1927 well be called the "year of aviation?"

MARY ALICE LANMAN, Age 14.
1310 Farragut st. nw.

Treasures.

(Honorable mention.)

A chest full of treasures,
Childhood's souvenirs,
Priceless, for their value is reckoned
In heart throbs, laughter and tears.
Why do I keep them—
Pictures, scrap-book and tops,
Poignant reminders
Of yesterday's sorrows and joys?
Because they are my treasures
To be lovingly stored away
In an attic, with other dim relics
Forever and a day.

DOROTHEA LAMORE.
Age 18. Washington, D. C.

Capitol Pigeons Are Interesting

(Awarded $1 Prize.)

I went to the Capitol last week and saw some pigeons.

I fed them peanuts; they would eat right from my hand. They followed me a little way.

Then I walked a little farther and saw squirrels. My father was with me.

He knelt down and was cracking a peanut when a squirrel jumped on his lap and took the peanut from him.

Then I fed him some. He would take about two or three shelled peanuts in his mouth.

When he could find no more he'd sit on your knee and hold them in his paw while he was eating them. Then I came home.

HARRIET SCHMIDT (age 11).
811 Eleventh street northeast.

Snowbound.

(Honorable Mention.)

The north wind was howling fiercely over the snow-covered flats of Alaska bringing with it a terrific flurry of snow.

Just a little way from a very large snow drift came a sled drawn by a very tall dark man.

Behind it followed Dick, his big black Newfoundland dog.

Upon arriving directly before the drift the man stopped and took a snowshoe from the sled.

Straightening up he looked around and then started digging in the drift. It was very evident that this man and his dog were going to spend the night in the snow covered desert.

"We will soon have as fine a house as we could want," muttered the man as he bent to the digging wearily.

About 6 o'clock the wind had died down but the snow was falling rapidly. What did this matter; for the man and his dog were both snug and warm inside the cave while on a snow shoe which had been driven into the wall a small carbide lamp was burning brightly.

After about a half hour of quiet the dog went to the door and sniffed the air. Stepping back a little and turning toward his master he uttered a low savage, "Woof."

"What do you think you smell Dick?" asked the man

"G-r-r-r-r," answered the dog.

Going outside he saw the dark figures of a man and a girl.

His heart gave a sudden leap. Could this be his long lost sister Irene and her servant John. It was. She told him how they had wandered ever since they were separated. This storm had brought a sister and brother together in a wonderful way.

LOUISE SCOTT.
Rockville, Md.

The Tale that a Prairie Schooner Told.

(Honorable Mention.)

Listen a moment, friends, please do
To the story that I will tell you.
Listen to the adventures that were mine
During the gold rush of forty-nine.

I was built in the East, good and strong,
For the westward journey was known to be long.
I was made into a prairie schooner, with canvas hood,
But the rest of me was made of tough iron and wood.

I have stood between men and certain death
And felt the flare of their rifle's breath,
As the "Injuns" circled and tried to stampede
The outfit which we certainly did need.

We crossed rivers, hills, valleys and dales
Rode thru' snowstorms, blizzards and gales.
But I rambled along till we came thru'
With many adventures for the land was new.

Then I was put on a farm to rot and decay,
To die in a sad pitiful way.
Years passed by as they usually do,
And how I was saved I must tell you.

I was broken up and made into smaller size,
The persons who did it sure were wise,
Reduced twelve times I'm brought out in my smallest form,
Tho' I don't look so tired and travel worn.

From box and gear to every spoke,
There is in me the same old oak.
And now my simple tale is ended,
'Tis plainly told as I intended.

LYLE FRITZ (age 13).
211 R street northeast.



Portugese Seamen

(Awarded $1 Prize.)

A Little Boy and Contemplation.

(Awarded $1 prize.)

I often sit and wonder why
I can not reach that far blue sky,
I can not touch the stars at night,
I can not feel their yellow light,
I can not catch the winds that blow,
I can not stop the river's flow.

I often think that if I could,
I'd have the moon made all of wood,
Though what good that could do for me,
I do not know—I can not see,
But since I can not reach the sky,
That bowl of blue, I will not try,
And since the stars I can not touch
I guess it doesn't matter much;
Although I can not feel their light
I'll be content to watch at night;
And since the winds won't stop for me,
The elements my slaves won't be—
I'd have to sit me down somewhere
And cry and scream and tear my hair
If it wasn't for the fact
That I'm too old for things like that.

WINIFRED L. ELLIS.
Age 15. 919 Shepherd street northwest.

Ready! Set! Go!

Ready, set, go!" shouted the starter.

This was my friend's first race. He was very much excited and so was I. The race was one mile long.

He stayed in the rear to save his breath for the last lap. Finally he arrived at the last lap. Some of the others had dropped behind my friend; he was fifth.

He started to sprint for the finish; so did the others. The tape was broken not by him alone because there was another boy beside him. The race was a tie. This was his first thrilling race.

WILLIAM BOWERS, (age 13 years).
512 Fifteenth street northeast.

Describes First Day In New High School

My first day at high school was rather like a first day in a big city for a person who has grown up in the country.

The school, with its winding corridors, was much larger than the public school from which I was graduated.

There was much confusion with the crowd of older students and the newcomers trying to get their bearings, and many strange faces were seen.

When I got on the wrong stairway, older pupils laughed at me.

I was jostled about from one room to another, losing my way and arriving late.

I did not see any of my old school classmates during the day.

The continuous ringing of bells was a source of wonderment, as I did not know what they were all about. However, I got home all right.

ROBERT CHAIMSON,
13 years old. 1833 S street northwest.

Brothers.

(Honorable Mention.)

Some of us girls have brothers
And we are always saying things about them to others—
Things we really don't mean;
Things that make them seem
To be not wanted,
To be taunted.

Oh, but don't they know
We do not mean it so;
That we really love them
And our eyes would be among the first to dim
If they were hurt or harmed,
And we among the first would be alarmed.

So to whoever reads these lines
Let me tell them what gold mines
Our brothers are to us;
And although we make a fuss
We love them in our hearts,
And when the time comes to part
We will have a lasting pain
And find it hard to play the game.

ANNE RUSSELL (age 14),
2314 Twentieth street northwest.



